# Senate Community Affairs Committee ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

#### **Social Services Portfolio**

## **2014-15 Budget Estimates Hearings**

Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs Question No: 763

**Topic: Staff Transfers - Hiring** 

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## Senator Ludwig asked:

Since the federal election how many non-ongoing contracts have been extended by your department without the Public Service Commission's approval?

1. For every unapproved extension please provide the following details: the employee's age, gender, wage, where they were located, APS level, a description of their job, their length of continuous employment by the APS, the length of the unapproved extension, the reasons why the extension was granted, whether the extension was submitted to the Public Service Commission for approval, and the reasons why the extension was granted without the approval of the Public Service Commission, as well as all relevant dates.

#### **Answer:**

See answers to question 758 and 761.