

**Senate Community Affairs Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
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**Outcome Number: Cross Outcome - Across Programs**

**Question No: 949**

**Topic: Staffing reductions**

**Hansard Page: Written**

**Senator Ludwig** asked:

- a) How many ongoing staff left the department/agency from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date? What classification were these staff?  
 b) How many non-ongoing staff left department/agency from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date? What classification were these staff?

**Answer:**

**Aged Care Commissioner**

Nil

**Aged Care Pricing Commissioner**

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, one non-ongoing staff member at EL2 level has left the Office of the Aged Care Pricing Commissioner.

**Australian Aged Care Quality Agency**

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, eight ongoing staff left the Australian Aged Care Quality Agency.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
		1	1	1	5					

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, two non-ongoing staff left the Australian Aged Care Quality Agency.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
		1		1						

**Australian Institute of Family Studies**

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, two non-ongoing staff left the Australian Institute of Family Studies.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
		1		1						

**National Disability Insurance Agency**

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, 11 ongoing staff left the National Disability Insurance Agency.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
		2	1	2	5	1				

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, 13 non-ongoing staff left the National Disability Insurance Agency.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
		1	2	4	3	1	2			

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**Social Security Appeals Tribunal**

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, two ongoing staff left the Social Security Appeals Tribunal.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
			2							

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, one non-ongoing staff left the Social Security Appeals Tribunal.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
	1									

**Department of Social Services**

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, 113 ongoing staff left the Department of Social Services.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
1	2	2	8	8	31	38	18	2	3	0

Since Additional Estimates in February 2014 to 4 June 2014, 41 non-ongoing staff left the Department of Social Services.

APS1	APS2	APS3	APS4	APS5	APS6	EL1	EL2	SES1	SES2	SES3
	1	6	8	3	13	7	3			