

Senate Community Affairs Committee

ANSWERS TO ESTIMATES QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Senator: Senator Boyce

Question:

- a) How many ongoing staff were recruited in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?
- b) How many non-ongoing staff were recruited in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff?
- c) How many contract staff left were recruited in the year 2011-12? What classification were these staff? What is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

The Department of Health and Ageing, including Therapeutic Goods Administration Trust, National Industrial Chemical Notification and Assessment Scheme and Office of Gene Technology Regulator recruited in the financial year 2011-12:

- a) 370 ongoing staff ranging in level from APS 1 to Senior Executive Band 3;
- b) 645 non-ongoing (including casual) staff ranging in level from APS 1 to Senior Executive Band 1;
- c) To provide an answer to this question would involve an unreasonable diversion of Departmental resources.