Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications

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Australia Post

Question No: 169(d)

Australia Post

Hansard Ref: Written, 19/02/2016

Topic: Staffing Recruitment Senator Ludwig, Joe asked:

Since the change of Prime Minister on 14 September, 2015:

- 1. How many ongoing staff have been recruited? What classification are these staff?
- 2. How many non-ongoing positions exist or have been created? What classification are these staff?
- 3. How many staff have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

- 1. 336. Australia Post does not use APS classifications. Classifications are determined as per the Australia Post Enterprise Bargaining Agreement.
- 2. 322 Fixed Term Positions were created, bringing the total to 1,143 Fixed Term Positions as at 29 January 2016. Australia Post does not use APS classifications. Classifications are determined as per the Australia Post Enterprise Bargaining Agreement.
- 3. 8 staff were employed on contract between 14 September 2015 29 January 2016 and their average length of employment is 11 months.