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Australian Communications and Media Authority

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Topic: Contracts for Temporary Staff

Senator Ludwig, Joe asked:

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

1. How much did the department/agency spend on temporary or contract staff?
2. How many temporary or contract staff have been employed?
3. What is the total number of temporary or contract staff currently employed?
4. How much was paid for agencies/companies to find temporary/contract staff?
5. Have there been any changes to the policies/criteria that govern the appointment of contract staff?

Answer:

1. Between 14 September 2015 and 29 January 2016 inclusive, the ACMA spent \$1,124,329 on temporary/contract staff.
2. Between 14 September 2015 and 29 January 2016 inclusive, the ACMA employed 3 new temporary/contractor staff.
3. As at 29 January 2016, the ACMA had 19 temporary/contractor staff.
4. Nil.
5. No.