

Department/ Agency: Australian Taxation Office

Question: BET 2107-2109

Topic: Staffing recruitment

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Senator: Ludwig

Question:

2107. How many ongoing staff were recruited from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date? What classification are these staff?
2108. How many non-ongoing positions exist or have been created from Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date? What classification are these staff?
2109. From Additional Estimates in February, 2014 to date, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

2107. From 1 March 2014 to 31 May 2014, the ATO has recruited 147 ongoing staff, both full and part time (includes the Australian Valuation Office, Tax Practitioners Board, and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission).

Ongoing staff recruited from 1 March 2014 to 31 May 2014	
Classification	Total
APS2	100
APS3	1
APS4	1
APS5	3
APS6	12
EL1	17
EL2.1	11
SES1	2
Total	147

2108. As at 31 May 2014, there was a total of 2,687 non-ongoing (temporary) positions (includes the Tax Practitioners Board and Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission).

Non-ongoing positions as at 31 May 2014		
Type	Classification	Total
Irregular/Intermittent (Casual)	APS1	1,703
	APS2	793
	APS3	62
	APS6	1

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Casual Total		2,559
Non-ongoing employees with specified term contracts, specified hours	APS1	102
	APS3	13
	APS4	1
	APS6	4
	EL1	1
	EL2.1	2
	EL2.2	1
	SES1	3
	SES2	1
Specified term contract Total		128
Combined Total		2,687

- One non-ongoing (temporary) position has been created from 1 March 2014 to 31 May 2014.

Non-ongoing positions created from 1 March 2014 to 31 May 2014	
Classification	Total
SES1	1
Total	1

2109. From 1 March 2014 to 31 May 2014, there was one new employee on specified term contract with specified hours and zero irregular/intermittent (casual) employees. The average length of contract for this specified term employee with specified hours was 44 days. Please refer to the second table at response 2108.