

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

Agency - Workplace Gender Equality Agency

Department of Employment Question No. EM0106_15

Senator Ludwig provided in writing.

Question

WGEA - New non-ongoing contracts

1. How many of these new non-ongoing employee applications were rejected by the Public Service Commission?
 - a. For every new non-ongoing engagement rejected by the Public Service Commission please provide the following details: APS level, a description of their job, the length of their non-ongoing contract, the reason for engaging the new employee and the reason given by the Public Service Commission for rejecting this engagement, as well as all relevant dates relating to this application.
2. How many new employees have been engaged on non-ongoing contracts without the approval of the Public Service Commission?
 - a. For every non-ongoing employee engaged without the Public Service Commission's approval please provide the following details: the employee's age, gender, wage, APS level, a description of their job, the length of their non-ongoing contract, whether this position was advertised externally, the reason for engaging this new employee and the reason for engaging this employee without the Public Service Commission's approval, as well as all relevant dates.

Answer

1. Not applicable.
2. Not applicable, approval not required as these were less than 12 months.