

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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Department of Employment Question No. EM0605_15

Senator Lines provided in writing.

Question

Staff transfers to and from Canberra

How many people did your department employ in Canberra immediately prior to the 2013 federal election? How many employees have been transferred out of Canberra since the 2013 federal election? How many of your employees have been transferred to Canberra since the 2013 federal election? For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide their age. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide their wage. Please provide the figure for before their transfer and after their transfer. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide their gender. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide the area of the department they worked in. Please provide this detail for before their transfer and after their transfer. For all employees transferred to or from Canberra since the 2013 federal election, please provide a description of their position. Please provide this detail for before their transfer and after their transfer. For every transferred employee please provide an explanation for their transfer? For every transferred employee please provide any other cost incurred by the department because of that transfer?

Answer

The Department of Employment did not exist prior to the 2013 federal election.

The Department has not initiated transfers of any employees in or out of Canberra since the federal election.