

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMICS QUESTION
(Supplementary Budget Estimates 20 October – 21 October)

Question: SBT 108

Topic: Administrative Arrangements Orders

Senator Bushby asked:

1. Can you detail what changes have occurred in your portfolio as a result of the Administrative Arrangements Orders published on 14 September 2010?

Were there any costs associated with these changes (for example changes to departmental signage or whether refurbishment or additional space will need to be leased to accommodate new staff? Alternatively, will agencies be left with empty office space due to loss of staff)? Please provide details

Were there any staff changes as a result (staff transferring to or from your agency)? If yes, please detail what the staff changes were, including a breakdown of changes to each SES band, each Executive Level band and each APS band.

2. Were there any changes in your portfolio as a result of the Administrative Arrangements Orders published on 14 October 2010.

Were there any costs associated with these changes (for example changes to departmental signage). Please provide details.

Were there any staff changes as a result (staff transferring to or from your agency)? If yes, please detail what the staff changes were, including a breakdown of changes to each SES band, each Executive Level band and each APS band.

3. Can you describe what, if any, Administrative Arrangements Orders occurred in your portfolio between November 2007 and July 2010? Please detail the costs associated with these.

Answer:

This response is limited to the ATO and does not include information relating to the broader Treasury portfolio.

1. The ATO was not impacted by the Administrative Arrangements Orders published on 14 September 2010.
2. The ATO was not impacted by the Administrative Arrangements Orders published on 14 October 2010.
3. The ATO has not been impacted by any Administrative Arrangements Orders between November 2007 and July 2010.