

Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Supplementary Budget Estimates

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Question No: SBT 350

Topic: ASIC Communications

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Senator Bushy asked:

350. How many communications people are there in each of your departments and agencies?

List their classification, position description, services they provide to Ministers and/or Parliamentary Secretaries and any guidelines they must adhere to.

Answer:

Communications people within ASIC are broken into the following groups: media, issues management, government relations, internal communications and publishing and editing.

These staff support our strategic priorities including:

- Confident and informed investors and financial consumers;
- Fair and efficient financial markets; and
- Efficient registration and licensing.

Classification level	FTE
SES	2.00
EL 2	2.68
EL 1	4.60
APS6	3.80
Total	13.08

All ASIC staff are required to uphold the Public Service Act 1999 and comply with the APS Code of Conduct. Staff also need to adhere to the Privacy Act and the legislation that ASIC regulates along with other internal guidelines.