Senate Standing Committee on Economics

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Treasury Portfolio

Supplementary Budget Estimates

20 October 2011

Question No: SBT 93

Topic: Paid parental leave

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Senator Bushby asked:

For the FYTD list which portfolio department and agencies are providing its employees with payments under the Government's Paid Parental Leave scheme?

(a) Please list how many staff are in receipt of these payments.

Answer:

In the 2011-12 financial year to 3 November 2011:

- 10 ATO employees commenced and finished receiving paid parental leave payments.
- 68 ATO employees commenced and are receiving paid parental leave payments.
- 6 ATO employees as are eligible and approved to receive paid parental leave payments by both the ATO and Centrelink, with payments commencing next pay (24 November 2011)