

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON  
EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES 2008-09**

**Outcome**            **Cross-Portfolio**

**DEEWR Question No. EW0943\_09**

Senator Humphries provided in writing.

**Question**

*Departmental Recruitment*

How many permanent staff were recruited (a) in calendar year 2008 and (b) in FY 2008-09 to date?

(c)     What level are these staff?

**Answer**

(a)     In the calendar year 2008, a total of 626 ongoing employees were recruited to the department.

(b)     In the FY 2008-09 to 11 March 2009, a total of 370 ongoing employees have been recruited to the department.

(c)     Classification levels of recruits are as follows:

<b>APS Level</b>	<b>2008 calendar year</b>	<b>FY 2008-09 at 11 March 2009</b>
APS1	4	0
APS2	5	4
APS3	35	22
APS4	55	33
APS5	64	51
APS6	127	81
Executive Level 1	114	65
Executive Level 2	36	21
SES Band 1	4	1
SES Band 2	1	3
SES Band 3	1	1
Cadet	1	0
Graduate	179	88
<b>Total</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>370</b>

**Note:**     This data does not include internal promotions and transfers of existing DEEWR employees.