

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Finance and Administration Portfolio

Department of Finance and Administration

Additional Budget Estimates Hearings – 14 February 2006



Question: F57

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Topic: Home Base and Expenditure for Government Personal Staff

Written Question on Notice

Senator Evans asked:

1. The Department has provided a table showing the number of personal staff assigned to Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Office Holders. For each Minister, Parliamentary Secretary and Office Holder indicate the nominated home base of each personal staff member (e.g. Melbourne, Canberra). Do not provide the name of individual staff members.
2. In relation to the Leader of the National Party in the Senate indicate the nominated home base of each personal staff member. For each staff member who is not based in Canberra indicate the number of trips they have made to Canberra since 1 July 2005. Do not provide the name of individual staff members.
3. What was the total salary related costs of all Government personal staff in 2004-05?
4. What was the total annual salary cost of all Government personal staff from 1 July 2005 to 31 December 2005?
5. What was the total cost of allowances for all Government personal staff in 2004-05? (including travel allowance).
6. What was the total cost of allowances for all Government personal staff from 1 July 2005 to 31 December 2005? (including travel allowance).

Answer:

1. Details of the nominated home base for each Government personal staff member as at 1 February 2006 are provided in the table at Attachment A. In addition, Attachment B shows details of the nominated home base for each Non-Government personal staff member as at 1 February 2006.
2. The information on the nominated home base for personal staff of the Leader of The Nationals is included in the table below as at 1 February 2006:

Classification of Employee	Home Base of Employee	No of Trips
Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	Canberra	-

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Adviser	Canberra	-
Adviser	Brisbane	12
Adviser	Vacant	-
Assistant Adviser	Canberra	-
Assistant Adviser	Canberra	-
Assistant Adviser	Brisbane	5
Assistant Adviser	Brisbane	7
Assistant Adviser	Vacant	-
Secretary/Administrative Assistant	Canberra	-

3. The total salary related costs of all Government personal staff in 2004-2005 were \$33,192,779.40. The total salary related costs for Non-Government staff for the same period were \$7,820,900.06. This figure comprises salary, employer superannuation and a 15 per cent loading for non-ongoing employees.
4. The total annual salary cost for all Government personal staff from 1 July 2005 to 31 December 2005 was \$17,665,160.76. The annual salary cost of Non-Government personal staff for the same period was \$3,879,132.03. This figure comprises salary, employer superannuation and a 15 per cent loading for non-ongoing employees.
5. The total cost of allowances for all Government personal staff in 2004-2005 was \$9,842,818.90. The total costs of allowances for all Non-Government personal staff for the same period was \$2,804,969.26. This figure comprises Parliamentary Staff Allowance, Travelling Allowance, Ministerial Staff Allowance, Allowance in lieu of Private Plated Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Allowance.
6. The total cost of allowances for all Government personal staff from 1 July 2005 to 31 December 2005 was \$4,882,348.66. The total cost of allowances for Non-Government personal staff for the same period was \$1,266,703.39. This figure comprises Parliamentary Staff Allowance, Travelling Allowance, Ministerial Staff Allowance, Allowance in lieu of Private Plated Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Allowance.

Portfolio	Name	Classification	Number of Positions as at 1 February 2006	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Positions Vacant		
Prime Minister	Mr Howard	Principal Adviser	2	2 X Canberra							
		Senior Adviser 2	3	3 X Canberra							
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	7	6 X Canberra	1 X Sydney						
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra							
		Adviser	7	5 X Canberra	2 X Sydney						
		Assistant Adviser	7	7 X Canberra							
		Personal Secretary	2	1.6 X Canberra					0.4		
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	6	3 X Canberra	2 X Sydney				1		
		Secretary / Admin Assist	5.3	2.3 X Canberra	1.3 X Sydney				1.7		
		Consultant	0.1	0.1 X Sydney							
		Total			40.4						
		Trade	Mr Valle	Principal Adviser	1	1 X Canberra					
				Senior Adviser 2	1	1 X Canberra					
Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2			1 X Canberra					1		
Media Adviser (Deputy PM/Treasurer)	1			1 X Canberra							
Adviser	4			3 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne						
Assistant Adviser	5			3 X Canberra	0.6 X Taree				1.4		
Exec Assist / Office Mgr	4			2 X Canberra					2		
Secretary / Admin Assist	1								1		
Total					19						
Treasurer	Mr Costello			Principal Adviser	1	1 X Canberra					
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	3	2 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne						
		Media Adviser (Deputy PM/Treasurer)	1	1 X Canberra							
		Adviser	3	1 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne				1		
		Assistant Adviser	3	1 X Canberra	2 X Melbourne						
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	2	0.4 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne				0.6		
		Secretary / Admin Assist	2	2 X Canberra							
		Total			15						
Foreign Affairs	Mr Downer	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Melbourne							
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Melbourne							
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Adelaide							

Portfolio	Name	Classification	Number of Positions as at 1 February 2006	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Positions Vacant
Finance and Administration	Sen Minchin	Adviser	4	4 X Canberra	1 X Adelaide				
		Assistant Adviser	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Adelaide				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra					
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra					
		Total	11						
		Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra					
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Melbourne					
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Adelaide					
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Adelaide					
		Adviser	5	2 X Canberra	1 X Adelaide	1 X Perth			1
		Assistant Adviser	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Adelaide				
Personal Secretary	1	1 X Adelaide							
Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra							
Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra							
Total	14								
Transport and Regional Services	Mr Truss	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra					
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2	1 X Canberra					
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	2 X Canberra					
		Adviser	3	2 X Canberra	1 X Maryborough				
		Assistant Adviser	2	2 X Canberra					
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra					
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra					
		Total	11						
		Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra					
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne				
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Sydney					
Adviser	5	1 X Canberra	2 X Sydney	1 X Melbourne			1		
Assistant Adviser	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney						
Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra							
Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra							
Total	13								
Health and Ageing	Mr Abbott								

Portfolio	Name	Classification	Number of Positions as at 1 February 2006	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Employees Home Base	Positions Vacant		
Attorney-General	Mr Ruddock	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Sydney						
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	2 X Canberra						
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Sydney						
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Sydney						
		Adviser	4	2 X Canberra	2 X Sydney					
		Assistant Adviser	2	2 X Canberra						
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney					
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra						
		Total	13							
		Communications, Info Tech & Arts	Sen Coonan	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
				Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Sydney				
				Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Sydney				
				Adviser	4	3 X Canberra	1 X Sydney			
Assistant Adviser	2			2 X Sydney						
Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1			1 X Sydney						
Secretary / Admin Assist	1			1 X Canberra						
Total	11									
Immigration and Multicultural Affairs	Sen Vanstone	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra						
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Adelaide						
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Adelaide						
		Adviser	4	2 X Canberra	2 X Adelaide					
		Assistant Adviser	2	2 X Canberra						
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	2	1.6 X Canberra			0.4			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra						
		Total	12							
		Defence	Dr Nelson	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
				Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2	1 X Canberra			1	
Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1						1			
Adviser	3			1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney		1			
Assistant Adviser	3			2 X Canberra			1			
Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1			1 X Canberra			1			

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		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra						
		Total	12							
Industry, Tourism and Resources	Mr Macfarlane	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Brisbane						
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Brisbane						
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra						
		Adviser	4	1 X Canberra	1 X Brisbane	1 X Toowoomba	1 X Melbourne			
		Assistant Adviser	3	2 X Brisbane	1 X Toowoomba					
		Personal Secretary	1	1 X Brisbane						
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra						
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra						
		Total	13							
Employment and Workplace Relations	Mr Andrews	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra						
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2.8	2.8 X Melbourne						
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Melbourne						
		Adviser	5	5 X Melbourne						
		Assistant Adviser	3	2 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne					
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra						
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra						
				Total	14.8					
		Environment and Heritage	Sen Campbell	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
				Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1			1 X Canberra						
Media Adviser	1			1 X Perth						
Adviser	4			2 X Canberra	2 X Perth					
Assistant Adviser	1.8			1 X Canberra	0.8 X Perth					
Exec Assist / Office Mgr	2			1 X Canberra	1 X Perth					
Secretary / Admin Assist	1			1 X Canberra						
				Total	12.8					
Agriculture, Fisheries & Forestry	Mr McGauran			Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Melbourne				
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	1	1 X Melbourne						
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra						

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Family, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs	Mr Brough	Adviser	3	1 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne			1
		Assistant Adviser	3	2 X Melbourne	1 X Sale			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Melbourne				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Sale				
		Total	11					
		Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Caboolture				
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	3	3 X Canberra				
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Adviser	4	2 X Canberra	1 X Caboolture			1
		Assistant Adviser	2					2
Education, Science and Training	Ms Bishop	Exec Assist / Office Mgr	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Caboolture			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1					1
		Total	14					
		Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2					2
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Adviser	3	2 X Canberra	1 X Perth			
		Assistant Adviser	3	1 X Perth				2
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1					1
Justice and Customs	Sen Ellison	Total	12					
		Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Media Adviser	1					1
		Adviser	5	2 X Canberra	2 X Perth			1
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Perth				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Perth				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra				
		Total	10					
		Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Melbourne				
Arts and Sport	Sen Kemp	Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				

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		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Melbourne			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Melbourne			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra			
		Total	6				
Human Services	Mr Hockey	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra			
		Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney		
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Sydney			
		Adviser	3	2 X Canberra	1 X Sydney		
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Sydney			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney		
		Total	11				
Fisheries, Forestry and Conservation	Sen Abetz	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra			
		Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	0.6	0.4 X Hobart			0.2
		Media Adviser	1				1
		Adviser	3	2 X Canberra	1 X Brisbane		
		Assistant Adviser	3	2 X Hobart			1
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Hobart			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra			
		Total	10.6				
Vocational and Technical Education	Mr Hardgrave	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Brisbane			
		Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra			
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Brisbane			
		Adviser	2	2 X Canberra			
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Brisbane			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Brisbane			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra			
		Total	8				
Small Business and Tourism	Mrs Bailey	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra			
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Canberra			
		Adviser	3	1 X Canberra	2 X Gisborne		

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		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Gisborne				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Gisborne				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra				
		Total	8					
Local Government, Territories and Roads	Mr Lloyd	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Gosford				
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Adviser	3	1 X Canberra	2 X Gosford			
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Gosford				
		Total	8					
Revenue and Assistant Treasurer	Mr Dutton	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	1					1
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Adviser	4	2 X Canberra	1 X Strathpine			1
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Strathpine				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Strathpine				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1					1
		Total	10					
Community Services	Mr Cobb	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Adviser	1					1
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1					1
		Total	6					
Workforce Participation	Dr Stone	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1					1
		Media Adviser	1					1
		Adviser	3					3
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Shepparton				

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		Secretary / Admin Assist	1					1
		Total	8					
Veteran's Affairs	Mr Billson	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Melbourne				
		Adviser	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne			
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Frankston				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Frankston				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Frankston				
		Total	7					
SMOS	Mr Nairn	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	1	1 X Canberra				
		Media Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Adviser	1					1
		Assistant Adviser	1					1
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Canberra				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1.6	1.6 X Canberra				
		Total	7.6					
Ageing	Sen Santoro	Senior Adviser (Chief of Staff - non-Cabinet)	1					1
		Media Adviser	1					1
		Adviser	4					4
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Brisbane				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Brisbane				
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra				
		Total	9					
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Trade	Mrs Kelly	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Mackay				
		Total	2					
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Ageing	Mr Pyne	Adviser	3	1 X Adelaide	2 X Melbourne			
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Adelaide				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Adelaide				
		Total	5					

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Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Foreign Affairs	Ms Gambaro	Adviser	1				1
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Brisbane			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Brisbane			
		Total	3				
Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasurer	Mr Pearce	Adviser	2	2 X Melbourne			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Melbourne			
		Total	3				
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra			
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Environment and Heritage	Mr Hunt	Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Hastings			
		Total	2				
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Albury			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Albury			
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Ms Ley	Total	2				
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Albury			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Albury			
		Total	2				
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Education, Science and Training	Mr Farmer	Assistant Adviser	2	1.8 X Campbelltown			0.2
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Campbelltown			
		Total	3				
		Adviser	1	1 X Canberra			
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance and Administration	Sen Colbeck	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Devonport			
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1	1 X Devonport			
		Total	3				
		Adviser	1	1 X Canberra			
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Defence	Sen Macdonald	Assistant Adviser	1				1
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1				1
		Total	3				
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra			
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry, Tourism and Resources	Mr Baldwin	Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1				
		Total	2				
		Adviser	1				
		Assistant Adviser	1				
Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs	Mr Robb	Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1				
		Total	3				
		Assistant Adviser	1				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1				

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Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister	Mr Turnbull	Adviser	1					1
		Assistant Adviser	1					1
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1					1
		Total	3					
Other	CPU	Secretary to Cabinet	1	1 X Canberra				
		Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	2	1 X Canberra				1
		Media Adviser (Cabinet)	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney			
		Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Exec Assist / Office Mgr	1					1
		Total	7					
Other	GMS	Senior Adviser (non-Cabinet)	2	2 X Canberra				
		Adviser	5	4 X Canberra				1
		Assistant Adviser	4	3 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne			
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra				
		Total	12					
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Sydney				
Other	Whips	Whips Clerk	7	4 X Canberra	1 X Nowra	1 X Bundaberg		1
		Total	8					
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	0.8 X Canberra				0.2
Other	Leader of The Nationals	Adviser	3	1 X Canberra	1 X Brisbane			1
		Assistant Adviser	5	2 X Canberra	2 X Brisbane			1
		Secretary / Admin Assist	1	1 X Canberra				
		Total	10					
Other	Former Office Holder	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
		Total	1					
Other	Taskforce on Workplace Relations Reform	Adviser	1	1 X Melbourne				
		Total	1					

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Leader of the Opposition						
Chief of Staff	1	1 X Canberra				
Senior Adviser (Leader)	1	1 X Canberra				
Senior Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
Media Adviser (Senior)	2	2 X Canberra				
Adviser Level 2	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney			
Adviser Level 1	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Sydney			
Assistant Adviser	4	4 X Canberra				
Executive Assistant Level 2	3	3 X Canberra				
Executive Assistant Level 1	4	4 X Canberra				
Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Canberra				
Total	21					
Deputy Leader of the Opposition						
Senior Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
Adviser Level 2	1	1 X Sydney				
Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
Executive Assistant Level 2	2	1 X Canberra	1 X Melbourne			
Total	5					
Leader of the Opposition in the Senate						
Senior Adviser	2	2 X Canberra				
Media Adviser (Senior)	1	1 X Canberra				
Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 x Perth				
Total	6					
Deputy Leader of the Opposition in the Senate						
Media Adviser (Senior)	1	1 X Canberra				
Adviser Level 2	1	1 X Melbourne				
Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Melbourne				
Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Melbourne				
Total	4					
Mr A Albanese MP						
Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Sydney				
Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
Total	2					
Hon A Bevis MP						
Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Brisbane				
Total	1					

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Sen M Bishop	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Mr T Burke MP	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Sydney				
	Total	1					
Sen K Carr	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	2					
Hon S Crean MP	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Mr L Ferguson MP	Executive Assistant Level 3	1	1 X Sydney				
	Total	1					
Mr M Ferguson MP	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 3	1	1 X Melbourne				
	Total	2					
Mr J Fitzgibbon MP	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Ms J Gillard MP	Adviser Level 2	1	1 X Sydney				
	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
Total	4						
Mr A Griffin MP	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Senator A Hurley	Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Adelaide				
	Total	1					
Sen J Ludwig	Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 X Brisbane				
	Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Brisbane				
	Total	2					
Sen K Lundy	Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Mr R McClelland MP	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 3	1	1 X Canberra				

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	Total	2					
Sen J McLucas	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Sen K O'Brien	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Mr G O'Connor MP	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Geelong				
	Total	1					
Ms T Pilbersek MP	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Sydney				
	Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Sydney				
	Total	2					
Ms N Roxon MP	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Mr K Rudd MP	Adviser Level 1	3	3 X Canberra				
	Total	3					
Mr B Sercombe MP	Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Melbourne				
	Total	1					
Sen the Hon N Sherry	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Devonport				
	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Devonport				
	Total	2					
Mr S Smith MP	Adviser Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 3	1	1 X Canberra				
	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	4					
Mr W Swan MP	Media Adviser (Senior)	1	1 X Brisbane				
	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Brisbane				
	Executive Assistant Level 1	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	3					
Mr L Tanner MP	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Melbourne				
	Total	1					
Mr K Thompson MP	Adviser Level 1	1	1 X Melbourne				
	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Melbourne				

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	Total	2					
Sen P Wong	Assistant Adviser	1	1 X Adelaide				
	Secretary / Admin Assist 1	1	1 X Adelaide				
	Total	2					
Opposition Whip in the HoR	Clerk	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Opposition Whip in the Senate	Secretary / Admin Assist 2	1	1 X Canberra				
	Total	1					
Former Opposition Office Holder	Executive Assistant Level 2	1	1 X Melbourne				
	Total	1					