

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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FINANCE AND DEREGULATION PORTFOLIO

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Outcome/Program: General

Topic: Staffing – additional staff transfers

Senator: Cormann

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Question:

Can you maybe tell us on notice: since 2007 how many of the additional staff for your department were transfers which came with transfers of responsibilities from other departments and how many of the additional staff were just new staff because of new spending?

Answer:

Since 2007, 31 employees transferred from other APS agencies to the Department of Finance and Deregulation due to the transfer of responsibilities between agencies. Other additional positions were established and funded to support new initiatives, some of which have since lapsed.