

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
ADDITIONAL BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012

Prime Minister and Cabinet Portfolio

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Question:

1. How many ongoing staff recruited this financial year to date? What classification are these staff?
2. How many non ongoing positions exist or have been created this financial year to date? What classification are these staff?
3. This financial year to date, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

Answer:

1. The Australian Public Service Commission (APSC) has recruited 50 ongoing employees this financial year to date. The number of staff recruited at each classification were:

- 3 APS1
- 3 APS3
- 5 APS 4
- 1 APS5
- 7 APS6
- 23 EL1
- 7 EL2
- 1 SES B1

2. The APSC has employed 54 non ongoing employees in 2011-12. 37 of these are still currently employed. The classification of these employees are:

NON ONGOING EMPLOYEES	APSL2	APSL3	APSL4	APSL5	APSL6	EL1	EL2	SESB1	SESB2	Total
2011-12	2	13	9	6	11	8	2	2	1	54

3. This financial year to date the APSC employed 21 staff on contract from temporary employment agencies with the average length of employment being 31 working days.