

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Finance and Administration Portfolio

Department of Finance and Administration

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Senator Carr asked:

What is the change in the number and level of positions between 1 February 2004 and 1 February 2005?

Answer:

During the period 1 February 2004 to 1 February 2005 the following positions were either created or abolished:

Position	No Created	No Abolished	Variation
Senior Adviser	11.6	3	8.6
Media Adviser	6	8	- 2
Adviser	27.3	13	14.3
Assistant Adviser	7	12	- 5
Personal Secretary	-	4	- 4
Executive Assistant/ Office Manager	9	5	4
Secretary/Admin Assistant	7.3	3	4.3
Total	68.2	48	20.2