

Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Finance and Administration Portfolio

Department of Human Services and agencies

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Question: HS61

Outcome 1, Output 1

Topic: Core Department - AWAs

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SENATOR CARR asked on 26/05/2005:

1. How many staff are covered by AWAs in your Agency/Department?
2. Can you provide a break down of AWAs by gender and by classification?
3. Can you tell me how many of the staff on AWAs are paid more than the band for their classification under the certified agreement?
4. Why were these staff not simply promoted to a higher classification?

Answer:

1. At the time of writing all permanent staff have an AWA either approved by the Office of the Employment Advocate, or awaiting signature.
2. The following information is available

	Male	Female
SES B3	1	
SES B2	2	1
SES B1	3	3
EL2	6	11
EL1	3	2
APS6	3	4
APS 5		1
APS4		3
	18	25

3. There is no Certified Agreement for core DHS.
4. There is no Certified Agreement for core DHS.