

Senate Finance and Public Administration Standing Committee
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates for 2009-10 (May 2009)

Prime Minister and Cabinet portfolio

Department/Agency: Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General
Outcome/Output Group:

Outcome 1: The Governor-General is enabled to perform the constitutional, statutory, ceremonial and public duties associated with the appointment.

Output Group 1.1 – Support of the Governor-General,

Output Group 1.2 – Administration of the Australian Honours and Awards system

Topic: Staffing

Senator: RONALDSON

Question reference number: PM6

Type of question: Hansard, 25 May p.66

Senator RONALDSON—How many senior staff in Government House or employed by the Governor General have been replaced or have left? To give you some assistance, I am talking about senior by way of salary, perhaps the top 12 staff. Are any of those people still at Government House?

Mr Brady—I will answer from memory, if I may, and then take the question on notice to be absolutely certain.

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Answer:

Of the top 12 staff by way of salary, three have been replaced or have left since the Governor-General has taken office.