

Establishment Variances Government

1 February 2012 to 1 May 2012 (inclusive)

Portfolio/Ministry	Current Minister/ Parliamentary Secretary	Former Minister/ Parliamentary Secretary	Allocation as at 1 Feb 2012	Allocation as at 1 May 2012	Net difference	Net Changes
Prime Minister	*Ms Gillard	*Ms Gillard	52	52	0	+ 1 X Senior Media Adviser + 1 X Asst Adviser - 1 X Exec Asst/Office Manager - 1 X Secretary/Admin Asst
Treasurer (Deputy Prime Minister)	*Mr Swan	*Mr Swan	21	21	0	
Minister for Tertiary Education, Skills, Science and Research (Leader of the Government in the Senate)	*Sen Evans	*Sen Evans	13	13	0	
Minister for Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy Minister Assisting the Prime Minister on Digital Productivity (Deputy Leader of the Government in the Senate)	*Sen Conroy	*Sen Conroy	12	12	0	
Minister for Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government Minister for the Arts	*Mr Crean	*Mr Crean	15	15	0	
Minister for Defence (Deputy Leader of the House)	*Mr Smith	*Mr Smith	13	13	0	
Minister for Immigration and Citizenship	*Mr Bowen	*Mr Bowen	11	11	0	
Minister for Infrastructure and Transport (Leader of the House)	*Mr Albanese	*Mr Albanese	13	13	0	+ 1 X Senior Media Adviser - 1 X Adviser
Attorney-General Minister for Emergency Management	*Ms Roxon	N/A	N/A	11	N/A	
Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs Minister for Disability Reform	*Ms Macklin	*Ms Macklin	12	12	0	
Minister for Foreign Affairs	*Sen R Carr	*Mr Rudd	11	11	0	
Minister for Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities	*Mr Burke	*Mr Burke	12	12	0	
Minister for Finance and Deregulation	*Sen Wong	*Sen Wong	12	12	0	
Minister for School Education, Early Childhood and Youth	*Mr Garrett	*Mr Garrett	11	11	0	
Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Minister Assisting on Queensland Floods Recovery	*Sen Ludwig	*Sen Ludwig	11	11	0	
Minister for Resources and Energy Minister for Tourism	*Mr M Ferguson	*Mr M Ferguson	10	10	0	
Minister for Trade and Competitiveness	*Dr Emerson	N/A	N/A	10	N/A	
Minister for Climate Change and Energy Efficiency Minister for Industry and Innovation	*Mr Combet	*Mr Combet	14	14	0	
Minister for Health	*Ms Plibersek	*Ms Plibersek	11	11	0	
Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations Minister for Financial Services and Superannuation	*Mr Shorten	*Mr Shorten	11	12	1	+ 1 X Adviser
Minister for Mental Health and Ageing Minister for Social Inclusion Minister Assisting the Prime Minister on Mental Health Reform	*Mr Butler	*Mr Butler	9	9	0	
Minister for Housing Minister for Homelessness Minister for Small Business	*Mr O'Connor	N/A	N/A	10	N/A	

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Minister for Human Services	Sen K Carr	N/A	N/A	8	N/A	
Minister for Early Childhood and Childcare Minister for Employment Participation	Ms Ellis	Ms Ellis	8	7	-1	- 1 X Adviser
Minister for Veterans' Affairs Minister for Defence Science and Personnel Minister for Indigenous Health Minister Assisting the Prime Minister on the Centenary of ANZAC	Mr Snowdon	Mr Snowdon	9	9	0	
Special Minister of State Minister for the Public Service and Integrity	Mr Gray	Mr Gray	9	9	0	
Minister for Home Affairs Minister for Justice Minister for Defence Materiel	Mr Clare	N/A	N/A	10	N/A	
Minister for Community Services Minister for Indigenous Employment and Economic Development Minister for the Status of Women	Ms Collins	Ms Collins	7	7	0	
Assistant Treasurer Minister Assisting for Deregulation	Mr Bradbury	N/A	N/A	8	N/A	
Minister for Sport Minister for Multicultural Affairs Minister Assisting for Industry and Innovation	Sen Lundy	N/A	N/A	8	N/A	
Parliamentary Secretary for Trade	Ms Elliot	Ms Elliot	3	3	0	
Parliamentary Secretary for Defence	Dr Kelly	Dr Kelly	3	3	0	
Parliamentary Secretary for Foreign Affairs Parliamentary Secretary for Pacific Island Affairs	Mr R Marles	N/A	N/A	4	N/A	
Parliamentary Secretary for Disabilities and Carers Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister	Sen McLucas	N/A	N/A	4	N/A	
Parliamentary Secretary for School Education and Workplace Relations (Manager of Government Business in the Senate)	Sen Collins	N/A	N/A	4	N/A	
Cabinet Secretary Parliamentary Secretary for Climate Change and Energy Efficiency Parliamentary Secretary for Industry and Innovation	Mr Dreyfus	Mr Dreyfus	4	4	0	
Parliamentary Secretary for Sustainability and Urban Water	Sen Farrell	Sen Farrell	3	3	0	
Parliamentary Secretary for Defence	Sen Feeney	Sen Feeney	3	3	0	
Parliamentary Secretary for Health and Ageing Parliamentary Secretary for Infrastructure and Transport	Ms King	Ms King	3	3	0	
Parliamentary Secretary for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Mr Sidebottom	Mr Sidebottom	3	3	0	
Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasurer	Mr Ripoll	Mr Bradbury	4	3	-1	- 1 X Asst Adviser
Parliamentary Secretary for Higher Education and Skills	Ms Bird	N/A	N/A	3	N/A	
Caucus Communications Team			7	7	0	

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	Allocation as at 1 Feb 2012	Allocation as at 1 May 2012	Net difference
Pool (unallocated positions)	2	1	-1
Difference 1 Feb 12 to 1 May 12 (Total) =	420	420	0

Summary	Allocation as at 1 Feb 2012	Allocation as at 1 May 2012	Net difference
Principal Adviser	8	8	0
Chief of Staff (Cabinet)	17	17	0
Senior Adviser 2 (PM / Deputy PM / Treasurer)	6	6	0
Senior Adviser 1 (Cabinet)	47	47	0
Chief of Staff (non-Cabinet)	8	8	0
Senior Adviser 1 (non-Cabinet)	0	0	0
Media Adviser (Deputy PM / Treasurer)	1	1	0
Senior Media Adviser	18	20	2
Media Adviser	8	8	0
Adviser	126	127	1
Assistant Adviser	92	92	0
Executive Assistant / Office Manager	54	53	-1
Secretary/Administrative Assistant	33	32	-1
Consultant	0	0	0
Pool (unallocated positions)	2	1	-1
Total	420	420	0

