

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee  
—Budget Estimates Hearing—May 2013**

**Answers to Questions on Notice**

**Parliamentary departments, Department of Parliamentary Services**

Topic: **Cabinet reshuffle**

Question: **97**

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**Senator KROGER:** I am interested in knowing what was involved when the Prime Minister announced her cabinet reshuffle—another cabinet reshuffle—this year. How many members of parliament and senators did you have to move out of offices and relocate into different offices?

**Ms Mills:** I am sorry, I would have to take the full number on notice.

**Senator KROGER:** So you cannot tell me—

**Ms Mills:** I do know; I have seen the number but I do not have it in front of me.

**Senator KROGER:** You will know though how many staff were involved in the relocation of those members and senators?

**Answer**

There were 20 Senators and Members relocated following the cabinet reshuffle in March 2013.

Work carried out by Art Services staff consisted of three to four staff periodically working on moving artwork.

Work carried out by Infrastructure Services Branch, Building Fabrics section consisted of staff working periodically updating the glass name plates for affected offices.