

**Senate Finance and Public Administration Legislation Committee**  
**ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE**  
**SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ESTIMATES 2011-2012**

Finance and Deregulation Portfolio

**Department/Agency:** Department of Finance and Deregulation

**Outcome/Program:** General

**Topic:** Staffing Numbers

**Senator:** Ryan

**Question reference number:** F61

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- b) What classification are these staff?
- c) How many temporary positions exist or have been created for the year 2010-11?
- d) For the year 2010-11, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

**Answer:**

- a) 271 ongoing employees.
- b) The classifications of these employees are as follows:  
  
Australian Public Service Levels 1 to 6 (162 employees)  
Executive Levels 1 and 2 (105 employees)  
Senior Executive Service Levels 1, 2 and 3 (4 employees)
- c) For the year 2010-11 there were 91 non-ongoing positions created.
- d) Of the 91 non-ongoing positions the average length of employment was 68 days.

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**Answer:**

a) 83 staff members.

b)

<b>Classification</b>	<b>Number of staff</b>
AEONT	1
AEOSA	1
AEOTAS	1
APS 2	15
APS 3	14
APS 4	9
APS 5	7
APS 6	12
EL1	8
EL2	3
GRAD	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>83</b>

- c) The AEC does not classify positions as temporary in its HR system so this data is unavailable.
- d) There were 301 non-ongoing staff employed on contract at some point during the 2010-2011 financial year with the average length of contract being 67.28 days.

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- c) How many temporary (non ongoing) positions exist or have been created for the year 2010-11?
- d) For the year 2010-11, how many employees have been employed on contract and what is the average length of their employment period?

**Answer:**

a) 49.

b)

<b>Classification</b>	
APS Level 2	2
APS Level 3	17
APS Level 4	10
APS Level 5	2
APS Level 6	4
CEO	1
Executive Level 2	4
Executive Level 1	9
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>49</b>

c) 63.

d) 63 staff on contract totalling 2,718 employment days. The average length of employment was 43.1 days (2,718/63).

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**Answer:**

Refer to ARIA's Annual Report to Parliament 2010-2011, page 7. Weblink here:

[http://www.aria.gov.au/annualreport/1011/ARIA\\_1011.shtml#anchor-5](http://www.aria.gov.au/annualreport/1011/ARIA_1011.shtml#anchor-5)

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**Answer:**

- a) 12.
- b) Four at FFMA 3 and eight at FFMA 4.
- c) None.
- d) None.