

## Questions taken on notice and further information agreed to be supplied at the hearings

Portfolio:	Special Minister of State
Witness:	Gavin Jennings MLC, Special Minister for State
Committee member:	Ms Vallence
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### Relevant text:

The VPSC was subject to a \$2 million business case as a study to how it could better support the Victorian public sector. What we are after is around that business case and if we could have a copy of that business case.

### Answer:

The Victorian Public Sector Commission works across government to help strengthen the efficiency, effectiveness and capability of the public sector. This is the core business of the VPSC and is supported by the VPSC's Strategic Plan, which is available on the VPSC website.

Agencies across government produce business cases from time to time for Budget or Cabinet consideration.

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- (a) Would there be any fixed-term contracts lapsing?
- (b) if we could have a list of how many fixed-term contracts in each unit of DPC
- (c) the same for ongoing staff too, if you would not mind.

Answers:

(a) 216 of DPC's fixed-term contracts are scheduled to end by June 2020.

(b) The table below provides the fixed-term FTE numbers across DPC units as at the end of May 2019:

Group/Agency	Total FTE
Economic Policy and State Productivity	9.8
Fairer Victoria	59.6
General Counsel	7.8
Governance Policy and Coordination	99.7
Industrial Relations Victoria	11.4
Senior Executive Offices	3.0
Social Policy Group	51.2
DPC Total	242.5

(c) Ongoing contracts of employment do not have a specified expiry date and, therefore, do not lapse.

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can you advise the date on which the CPSU was notified of the decision around keeping a departmental head count on the quiet—the change?

Answer:

Departmental FTE is regularly reported in annual reports and was provided to PAEC in the PAEC Budget Estimates General Questionnaire.