Answer:

We were asked:

Q1. How many days on average were staff in each pay grade absent from work as a result of ill health in each of the last three financial years?

We replied:

The table below shows the average days lost by grade in financial years 2011-12 and 2012-13. There is no available data for financial year 2010-11 as ill health absence data for Wales Office staff was not reported separately.

	Financial Year	
Grade	2011-12	2012-13
Administrative Assistant	2.5	4.5
Administrative Officer	35.1	30.6
Executive Officer	3.8	5.3
Higher Executive Officer	6.3	11.6
Senior Executive Officer	0.6	0.4
Principal Officer	1.4	4.5
Senior Civil Servant	0.5	4.1

We were asked:

Q2. What was the total number of days lost in each pay grade as a result of ill health absence in each of the last three financial years?

We replied:

Information about the total number of days lost by grade for financial years 2011-12 and 2012-13 is shown in the table below:

	Financial Year	
Grade	2011-12	2012-13
Administrative Assistant	2	9
Administrative Officer	266	181
Executive Officer	35	40
Higher Executive Officer	76	123
Senior Executive Officer	3	2
Principal Officer	20	67
Senior Civil Servant	2	11