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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Giles to Minister for Public and Affordable Housing

SIHIP - additional allocation by the Commonwealth for Tenancy Management

The National Partnership Agreement on Remote Indigenous Housing encompasses the SIHIP program and the Northern Territory has been allocated an additional sum by the Commonwealth for tenancy management.

Could you please advise:

- 1. The 2010/11 and 2011/12 budget allocations from the Commonwealth for the program on tenancy management.
- 2. What services and activities are covered by the additional budget allocation.
- 3. What is the expense allocated to each activity of repairs, maintenance, tenancy management.
- 4. How many additional staff have been employed to manage and deliver the allocation, where are they located and what regions/communities do they service and what is the pay scale and employment conditions for these staff and are they permanent employees.
- 5. How many indigenous staff have been employed to manage and deliver the allocation, where are they located and what regions/communities do they service and what is the pay scale and employment conditions for these staff and are they permanent employees.
- 6. How much of the allocation is budgeted for consultants, how much has been spent or committed to consultant expenditure, what were/are the consultations for the purpose of.
- 7. How much is allocated to the management of each dwelling on an average basis, that is dollars per dwelling