LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY WRITTEN QUESTION

Ms Boothby to the Minister for Equality and Inclusion:

Equality and Inclusion Budget

1. What is funded under the social inclusion output in Budget Paper 3, page 155? Please provide as much detail as possible.

Answer:

The Social Inclusion Budget allocation provides funding to:

- The Office of Youth Affairs
- The Office of Multicultural Affairs
- The Office of Gender Equity and Diversity
- The Office of Disability
- The Office of Senior Territorians
- The Interpreting and Translating Service Northern Territory
- 2. How many staff are employed in the Office of Gender Equity and Diversity? What are their roles and levels?

Answer:

There are four staff employed in the Office of Gender Equity and Diversity.

Out of respect for the staff members' privacy, the information pertaining to their remuneration cannot be shared.

3. Please provide detail of what the goals and KPIs of the Office of Gender Equity and Diversity are, and what this office has achieved in the 2021/22 financial year?

Answer:

The Northern Territory Gender Equality Action Plan 2022-25 was released in March 2022, and has 47 Actions under five key focus areas. These actions will guide the work to be undertaken by the Office of Gender Equity and Diversity (OGED) from 2022-25.

OGED provides grants, sponsorships and scholarships through the following programs:

- Gender Equity and Diversity General Grants and Sponsorship Program
- International Women's Day Grants
- Minister for Women's Scholarships

The Department of Territory Families, Housing and Communities' key performance indicator (KPI) for the OGED is events and activities supported to enhance gender equity and diversity.

In 2021/22, the goal KPI was 50 events and activities. In 2021/22, the OGED supported 66 events and activities to enhance gender equity and diversity.