LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Maley to the Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics:

NT Transit Officers

1. How many positions are there currently for NT Transit officers?

As at 31 March 2024, there are 24 positions within the Transit Safety Unit. 21 of these positions have Transit Officer Powers.

2. How many of these positions are currently vacant?

As at 31 March 2024, the Manager role is currently being recruited; however, a Transit Officer is performing the role.

There are two Transit Officer positions vacant due to a Transit Officer acting in the Manager role and another Transit Officer acting in the Senior Transit Officer position.

3. How many transit officers are currently carrying OC spray?

There are 20 Transit Officers carrying OC spray.

4. How many times has OC spray been deployed since the rollout of OC spray to transit officers?

Nil.

5. How many NT transit officer positions were there in the financial year 2022-23?

In 2022-23, 17 staff (13 Transit Officers, two Senior Transit Officers, one Training and Administration Coordinator and one Manager).

6. How many positons were vacant during the year 2022-23?

As of 30 June 2023, there were two vacant Transit positions and one AO5 Administration position.