

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Guyula to the Minister for Education:

**School Support for Teacher Pay Rise**

- 1. Under the new enterprise agreement teachers will receive a 3% pay rise backdated to October 2021. Please advise how schools will be supported to back pay teachers and cover the cost of the annual 3% increase in wages until the end of the agreement in 2025?**

Additional funding has been provided to schools for the back pay of teachers. The amount provided was the equivalent of the back pay amount, less the amount already accrued by schools in 2022 (first \$1,000 plus on-costs per teacher).

From 2024, additional funding to cover the increase in wages will be distributed to schools through the School Resourcing Model.