LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Vowles to the Minister for Community Services:

Corporate and Governance – Department of Community Services

- 1. Please provide:
 - a) A breakdown of the services and the value of individual services provided to the Department of Community Services by the Department of Housing.
 - b) The basis of the formulae used to quantify the value of the services provided to the Department of Community Services by the Department of Housing.
- 2. Please provide details of all positions by level, salary and function of all positions transferred from the Department of Regional Development and Women's policy and, later, the Department of Community Services to other Northern Territory agencies in 2013-14. In answering the question please show the destination agency for each staff position and program transferred from the Department of Regional Development and Women's policy and, later, the Department of Community Services in 2013-14.

ANSWER

- a. The Department of Housing provides a range of corporate services to the Department of Community Services, including Corporate Communications, Human Resources, Finance, Information and Business Support, and Office Services. The value of these services for 2014-15 is budgeted to be \$1.56 million.
 - b. The methodology used is based on a mixture of the cost of estimated FTEs and actual costs to be incurred.
- 2. Refer to Attachment A.