

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

To: Mr Michael Gunner, Member for Fannie Bay
 From: Minister for Housing

Department of Housing, grants and funding for non-government and external organisations

1. Would you please advise what grant, program, project and operational funding was provided by the former Department of Housing, Local Government and Regional Services to non-government and external organisations, including contractors, in the year prior to 24 August 2012.

Funding to external non government organisations for the year prior to 24 August 2012 (period 25 August 2011 to 24 August 2012):

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| Agent Service Arrangement | 4,852,444 |
| Current Grants | 157,357,542 |
| Capital Grants | 22,576,149 |
| Charities/ non profit | 216,004 |
| Current Subsidies | 5,024,899 |
| TOTAL | 190,027,038 |

2. Would you please advise what grant, program, project and operational funding will be provided by the Department of Housing to non-government and external organisations, including contractors, in the year following the 4 December 2012 Mini-budget.

As at 31 January 2013, there were no proposed reductions of funding within the Mini-Budget to external and non-government organisations, but Commonwealth Territory National Partnership agreements are subject to review and outcomes of those negotiations and quantum of Commonwealth funding commitment are yet to be determined.

3. Would you please advise which service or funding agreements currently or previously administered by the Department of Housing have been, or will be affected as the result of:
- i. machinery of government changes, or the creation of new departments or agencies since 24 August 2012;
 - ii. the implementation of measures contained in the 4 December 2012 Mini-budget.

As at 31 January 2013, no service or funding agreements have currently been affected by machinery of government changes, creation of new agencies, or measures contained in the mini-budget.

- 4. Would you please outline the specific changes, amendments and monetary adjustments to service or funding agreements between the Department of Housing and non-government and external organisations referred to in question 3 above.**

There were no changes, amendments, or monetary adjustments to these funding agreements contained within the mini-budget.

- 5. Would you please advise what grant, program, project and operational funding provided by the Department of Housing to non-government and external organisations will be adjusted or diverted, and by how much, as the result of the implementation of measures contained in the Northern Territory Mini-budget on 4 December 2012.**

No measures implemented in the mini-budget contained reductions in funding to external or non-government organisations.