No. 214

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Vowles to the Minister for Police Fire and Emergency Services:

Police

- 1. How many staff has Northern Territory Police, Fire and Emergency Services, as both FTEs and in actual numbers of staff?
- 2. How many of these are police officers and are employed by the NT as at 1 June 2014, excluding police officers paid for by the funding arrangement with federal government for immigration and border protection?
- 3. What are their classifications or levels and what was the rate of staff separation of each level?
- 4. Please provide a breakdown of where police officers are rostered, by task force, police station or other grouping as appropriate.
- 5. How many Aboriginal Community Police Officer positions exist in the Northern Territory police as at 1 June 2014?
- 6. How many police were rostered on general duties as at 1 June 2011, 1 June 2012, 1 June 2013 and 1 June 2014?
- 7. How many police are on leave as at 1 June 2014? Please provide a breakdown by type of leave.
- 8. Please detail how the \$3.8m was made in savings in the community safety and crime prevention area?
 - a) What activities or operations that were occurring in 2012-13 will no longer occur in 2013-14 as a result of these savings?
 - b) What activities or operations that were occurring in 2012-13 will be modified in 2013-14 as a result of these savings?
 - c) How many officers were assigned to these duties in 2012-13 and how many will be assigned to these duties in 2013-14?
- 9. Please detail how the \$5.5m was made in savings in the general policing, crime detection and investigation and prosecution areas?
 - a) What activities or operations that were occurring in 2012-13 will no longer occur in 2013-14 as a result of these savings?
 - b) What activities or operations that were occurring in 2012-13 will be modified in 2013-14 as a result of these savings?

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- c) How many officers were assigned to these duties in 2012-13 and how many will be assigned to these duties in 2013-14?
- 10. What are the average response times for the police to respond to calls received at the JESCC at the Peter Macaulay Centre as at 1 June 2014, and compared to 1 June 2013 and 1 June 2012?
- 11. How many shifts were Territory Response Group Officers and Water Police Officers required to work in the JESCC in 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14?
- 12. When is Casuarina Police Beat scheduled for closure?
- 13. How many incidents were handled by police officers at all Police Beats in 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14?
- 14. How many Police Beats will operate in 2014-15?
- 15. How many staff are allocated to each Police Beat in 2014-15?
- 16. How many Temporary Beats are projected to operate in 2014-15?
- 17. When will Temporary Beats commence in Darwin and Palmerston?
- 18. How many incidents were responded to by an officer from a Temporary Beat Location in 2013-14?
- 19. When police are rostered onto a Temporary Beat, is this over and above the allocation for general duties police that day?
- 20. What was the average response time to requests for assistance from the community, including:
 - a) call centre operations
 - b) response tasking and incident attendance
 - search and rescue operations for the following dates: by-monthly average from 1 September 2012 to 31 May 2014?
- 21. In relation to the three new police facilities earmarked for some years at Arlparra, Yuendumu and Pirlangimpi:
 - a) \$9.4m was set aside in budget 2013 for Arlparra police station. Is this funding amount still earmarked for the Arlparra project?
 - b) How much funding is budgeted for the Yuendumu police facilities?
 - c) How much funding is budgeted for the Pirlangimpi police facilities?
 - d) How will all three projects be completed when only \$15.6m in total has been earmarked for these three police facility upgrades?