**No. 364**

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY**

**WRITTEN QUESTION**

Mr Mills to the Chief Minister, in relation to the portfolio areas within the Department of the Chief Minister.

**HR Questions Agency Specific:**

1. **In the period 01 July 2011 to 31 March 2012, how many staff are employed in the Office of the Chief Minister (Parliament House)?**

* **Breakdown by level and Title by per Minister (eg Organisational Chart)**

At 31 March 2012 the following staff are employed in the Office of the Chief Minister, broken down by title, level and staff group:

**Ministerial Support Unit**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO1 | Administrative Assistant | 1 |
| AO2 | Administrative Assistant | 2 |
| AO2 | Media Monitor | 1 |
| AO3 | Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| AO4 | Administrative Assistant | 1 |
| AO4 | Administration Officer | 1 |
| AO4 | Government Members Liaison | 1 |
| AO4 | Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| AO5 | Administration Officer | 1 |
| AO5 | Executive Assistant and Projects | 2 |
| AO5 | Graphic Designer/Desktop Publisher | 1 |
| AO5 | Media Monitoring and Research | 1 |
| AO5 | Photographer | 1 |
| AO6 | Research Officer Territory 2030 | 2 |
| AO6 | MSU Community Engagement | 1 |
| AO7 | Executive Officer to Chief of Staff | 1 |
| AO7 | Team Leader, Media Monitoring and Research | 1 |
| AO7 | Ministerial Support Officer | 1 |
| EO1C | Director Ministerial Support Unit | 1 |
| EO2 | Senior Adviser Corporate Services | 1 |
| EO2C | Director Communications | 1 |
| EO6C | Chief of Staff | 1 |
| SAO1 | MSU Community Engagement | 1 |
| SAO1 | MSU Electorate Liaison | 1 |
| SAO1 | Deputy Director, MSU | 1 |
| SAO2 | Director Community Liaison | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **29** |

**Chief Minister’s Office – Palmerston**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| EO1C | Senior Ministerial Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Office Manager, Palmerston Office | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **2** |

**Chief Minister’s Office – Central Australia**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO3 | Administrative Assistant | 2 |
| AO6 | Ministerial Adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Policy Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **5** |

**Chief Minister’s Office – Katherine**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| SAO1 | Senior Ministerial Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **1** |

**Chief Minister Paul Henderson**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO6 | Adviser Multicultural Affairs | 1 |
| AO7 | Personal Secretary to the Chief Minister | 1 |
| AO7 | Media and Communications Adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Police Fire and Emergency Services adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Director of Government Strategy | 1 |
| EO2 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Senior Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **8** |

**Deputy Chief Minister and Treasurer Delia Lawrie**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 2 |
| AO5 | Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Treasury Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Employment Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **7** |

**Minister Christopher Burns**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 1 |
| AO4 | Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| AO7 | Leader of Government Business Adviser and Public Employment | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Ministerial Adviser, Education | 1 |
| SAO1 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Housing Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **7** |

**Minister Konstantine Vatskalis**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 2 |
| AO4 | Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| EO1C | Health Adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Primary Industry and Fisheries Adviser | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Adviser – Special Projects Disability Services | 1 |
| SAO1 | Families and Child Services Adviser | 2 |
| SAO1 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **10** |

**Minister Robert Knight**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 1 |
| AO7 | Ministerial Adviser Seniors and Youth | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Justice Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Power and Water Corporation Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **6** |

**Minister Malarndirri McCarthy**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 1 |
| AO6 | Ministerial Adviser Statehood/Women’s Policy | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **4** |

**Minister Karl Hampton**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 1 |
| AO4 | Ministerial Assistant | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | ICT and Climate Change Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Ministerial Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **6** |

**Minister Karl Hampton – Alice Springs**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| SAO2 | Ministerial Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **1** |

**Minister Gerald McCarthy**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO4 | Personal Assistant | 1 |
| EO1C | Senior Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Arts and Museums Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Media Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Planning and Lands Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **5** |

**Leader of the Opposition**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| AO2 | Office Transcriber | 1 |
| AO3 | Research Assistant | 1 |
| AO4 | Corporate Services Assistant | 1 |
| AO5 | Media Assistant | 1 |
| AO6 | Media Assistant | 1 |
| EO1C | Chief of Staff | 1 |
| SAO1 | Rural, Regional Social Policy Adviser | 1 |
| SAO1 | Senior Adviser Corporate Services | 1 |
| SAO1 | Senior Policy Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Senior Policy Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Secretary to Shadow Cabinet | 1 |
| SAO2 | Legislation Adviser | 1 |
| SAO2 | Senior Media Adviser | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | **13** |

**Independent Members**

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| **Level** | **Title** | **Head Count** |
| SAO1 | Adviser to the Independent Members | 1 |
| **TOTAL** | | 1 |

**Note: figures include employees on maternity leave, part-time and regional officers**

1. **How many staff employed in the Office of the Chief Minister are Permanent Employees of NTG?**

* **Breakdown by level and agency**

The following table outlines permanent NTG Office of the Chief Minister employees broken down by level and agency.

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| **Nominal Level** | **Nominal Agency** |
| AO1B | NRETAS |
| 2ACS | PWC |
| AO2 | NRETAS |
| AO2 | PFES |
| AO2 | DET |
| AO3 | PFES |
| AO3 | DBE |
| AO3 | DCM |
| AO4 | Treasury |
| AO4 | DLP |
| AO4 | DBE |
| AO4 | NRETAS |
| AO5 | DBE |
| AO5 | DCM |
| AO5 | NRETAS |
| AO5 | DCM |
| AO5 | DCM |
| AO5 | LA |
| AO6 | DET |
| AO6 | DLP |
| AO7 | DOR |
| AO7 | DBE |
| AO7 | DLGH |
| AO7 | DCI |
| NTTC2 | TNT |
| P3 | NRETAS |
| SAO1 | NRETAS |
| SAO1 | DET |
| SAO1 | DET |
| SAO2 | DOH |

**TOTAL: 30**