

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mrs Lambley MLA to the Minister for Housing and Community Development

Department of Housing and Community Development \$69 million stimulus package to the urban and regional construction sector

Since 7 March 2018 -

1. What is the breakdown in number of jobs per region (Darwin - Palmerston - Nhulunbuy - Katherine - Tennant Creek – Alice Springs)?

As at 13 July 2018, the breakdown by number of jobs per region is shown below:

Region	Number of Jobs
Alice Springs	618
Arafura	115
Arnhem	163
Katherine	1095
Greater Darwin (includes Casuarina and Palmerston)	661
Tennant Creek	115
Total	2767

2. What is the breakdown in dollar value per region (Darwin - Palmerston - Nhulunbuy - Katherine - Tennant Creek - Alice Springs)?

As at 13 July 2018, the breakdown by dollar value per region is shown below:

Region	Amount
Alice Springs	\$17,443,179.43
Arafura	\$1,667,317.76
Arnhem	\$2,301,129.11
Katherine	\$8,529,890.21
Greater Darwin (includes Casuarina and Palmerston)	\$38,120,480.72
Tennant Creek	\$4,359,315.01
Total	\$72,421,312.24

3. What is the breakdown per region in number of jobs that have been awarded to existing panel contractors or subcontractors of the Department of Housing and Community Development?

As at 13 July 2018, the breakdown per region in number of jobs that have been awarded to panel contractors, stimulus contractors and grant agreements is shown below:

Region	Stimulus	Panel Contractor	Grant Agreement	Grand Total
Alice Springs	37	579	2	618
Arafura	0	115	0	115
Arnhem	1	162	0	163
Katherine	36	1059	0	1095
Greater Darwin	124	536	1	661
Tennant Creek	7	108	0	115
Grand Total	205	2559	3	2767

The number of panel contractors used is higher than the number of stimulus contractors. This is due to factors such as existing contractual obligations (urban vacancies, repairs and maintenance, and remote community works), non-response from registered stimulus contractors, aberrant pricing from registered stimulus contractors, Northern Territory Government procurement requirements, and the timeframe placed upon this package. These works have still had a direct impact on local contractors through subcontracting, many of which are registered stimulus contractors, and through local suppliers.

4. What is the breakdown per region in dollar value awarded to an existing panel contractor or subcontractor of the Department of Housing and Community Development?

As at 13 July 2018, the breakdown per region in dollar value awarded to panel contractors, stimulus contractors and grant agreement is shown below:

Region	Stimulus	Panel Contractor	Grant Agreement	Grand Total
Alice Springs	\$8,275,950.80	\$8,517,228.63	\$650,000.00	\$17,443,179.43
Arafura	\$0	\$1,667,317.76	\$0	\$1,667,317.76
Arnhem	\$24,476.71	\$2,276,652.40	\$0	\$2,301,129.11
Katherine	\$2,834,179.94	\$5,695,710.27	\$0	\$8,529,890.21
Greater Darwin	\$5,012,443.24	\$32,908,037.48	\$200,000.00	\$38,120,480.72
Tennant Creek	\$228,416.22	\$4,130,898.79	\$0	\$4,359,315.01
Grand Total	\$16,375,466.91	\$55,195,845.33	\$850,000.00	\$72,421,312.24