

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mrs Finocchiaro to the Minister for Education:

NT Teacher Registration Board

1. Why does the NT Teacher Registration Board (the Board) not publish its findings as in other Australian jurisdictions?
2. How many findings of incompetence have been made by the Board? Please list for the last three financial years.
3. How many findings of misconduct have been made by the Board? Please list for the last three financial years.
4. How many teachers who have a criminal conviction recorded against them are registered to teach in the Northern Territory? Please list for the last three financial years.
5. What checks and balances are in place to ensure that registered teachers are fit and proper persons?
6. What is the membership of the Board?
7. Who appointed each board member?
8. How many disciplinary hearings has the Board heard in the last three years? p
9. How many hearings in total has the Board conducted in the last three years?
10. What funding does the Board receive?
11. What remuneration do board members receive?
12. Where does the Board meet?
13. How many education courses have been accredited by the Board in the last three years?
14. How many unregistered persons have been authorized to teach by the Board in the last three years?
15. How many registrations have been suspended or cancelled by the Board?

16. How many members have disclosed interests (whether pecuniary or otherwise) that would conflict with the proper performance of the board member's or alternate member's functions in relation to a matter being considered or about to be considered by the Board in the last three years?

17. How many board members have resigned in the last three years?