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Hon Derrick Tomlinson; Mr Tom Stephens

HOMESWEST, RENTAL HOMES

120. Hon DERRICK TOMLINSON to the Minister for Housing:

In the suburbs of Midland, Midvale, Swan View, Koongamia, High Wycombe, Maida Vale, Forrestfield, Ellenbrook, Guildford, Belmont, Rivervale, Redcliffe, Cloverdale, Welshpool and Queens Park -

- (a) how many rental homes are owned and maintained by Homeswest; and
- (b) how many of those rental homes have Aboriginal tenants?

Hon TOM STEPHENS replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question.

Please note that the figures quoted in this response exclude properties under the community housing, crisis accommodation and joint venture housing program as specific details of the tenants are not known.

The Ministry of Housing does not distinguish ethnicity, and these figures are only an estimation -

Suburb	Total Properties	Aboriginal Tenancies
Midland	352	32
Midvale	141	21
Swan View	153	22
Koongamia	117	11
High Wycombe	80	12
Maida Vale	2	-
Forrestfield	162	28
Ellenbrook	110	4
Guildford	28	1
Belmont	344	16
Redcliffe	221	14
Rivervale	546	39
Cloverdale	231	36
Welshpool	-	-
Queens Park	344	32
Total	2 831	268

Should the member require a briefing on this matter, I would be happy to arrange for the chief executive officer of the Ministry of Housing to undertake the task. The member should direct his inquiry to my executive officer.