

MINISTERS OF THE CROWN, STAFF, VEHICLES, MOBILE PHONES, PAGERS AND CREDIT CARDS

28. Hon C L Edwardes to the Minister for State Development; Tourism; Small Business; Goldfields-Esperance

With respect to the Minister's Offices –

- (a) will the Minister indicate for each staff person working in the Minister's office as at 1 May 2001 the following details –
  - (i) name;
  - (ii) level; and
  - (iii) type of employment contract;
- (b) how many vehicles are attached to the office, what are the names of the staff to which they are allocated and under what scheme are they allocated to the staff member;
- (c) how many mobile phones are available at the Ministers office and to which staff are they allocated;
- (d) how many pagers are available and to which staff are they allocated; and
- (e) how many Government credit cards have been authorised for use in the Minister's office and to which officers have they been allocated;

Mr BROWN replied:

- | (a) | (i)                 | (ii)     | (iii)                                 |
|-----|---------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|
|     | Michael Thorn       | 9        | Short Term Ministerial                |
|     | Simon Whitehouse    | 9        | Secondment (Permanent Public Servant) |
|     | Neil Roberts        | 8        | Term of Government                    |
|     | Jeremy Henderson    | 7        | Term of Government                    |
|     | Bev East            | 6        | Term of Government                    |
|     | Melinda Hayes       | 5        | Permanent Public Servant              |
|     | Merrilyn Ercegovich | 5        | Term of Minister                      |
|     | Kristi Clarke       | Acting 3 | Permanent Public Servant              |
|     | Iris Barnes         | 2        | Permanent Public Servant              |
|     | Diane Collard       | Acting 2 | Permanent Public Servant              |
|     | Jenny Lee           | Acting 2 | Secondment                            |
|     | Kim O'Brien         | 1        | Short Term Contract                   |
- (b) Michael Thorn (Government Vehicle Scheme)  
Jeremy Henderson (Commuting purposes)  
Bev East (Government Vehicle Scheme).  
Simon Whitehouse has a vehicle supplied by the Department of Transport which is recouped by this office.
  - (c) There are 8 operative mobile phones within the office and several inoperative phones that are being collected to be disposed of. The operative mobile phones are allocated to the following staff:  
  
Michael Thorn  
Jeremy Henderson  
Neil Roberts  
Bev East  
Melinda Hayes  
Simon Whitehouse has a mobile phone supplied by the Department of Transport and call costs are recouped by this office.
  - (d) Five pagers of which only one is operative and is used by myself. The four unused pagers are inactive and will be disposed of or reallocated as appropriate.

- (e) 7 cards in total, allocated to Hon Clive Brown MLA, Michael Thorn, Simon Whitehouse and Melinda Hayes.