## Extract from Hansard

[ASSEMBLY - Tuesday, 16 October 2001] p4416b-4416b Mrs Cheryl Edwardes; Ms Sheila McHale

## GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, VACANT POSITIONS

- 518. Hon C L Edwardes to the Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth; Disability Services; Culture and the Arts
- (1) For each Department or agency under the Minister's control as at 30 June 2001, will the Minister advise how many vacant positions were there?
- (2) What level of classification were each of the vacant positions?
- (3) What was the salary level of each of the vacant positions?
- (4) What was the title of each of the vacant positions?

Ms McHALE replied:

**Disability Services Commission** 

- (1) 122 vacant positions.
- (2)-(4) [See paper No 722.]

Culture and the Arts

- (1) 71 vacant positions
- (2)-(4) [See paper No 723.]

Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth

(1)-(4) Provision of this information would require considerable research that would divert staff away from their normal duties. The nature of our service delivery requires flexibility in staffing. This may involve the creation of temporary positions and the selective filling of positions dependent on demand for services. If the member has a specific inquiry I will endeavour to provide a reply.