

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD — DISTRICT OFFICE STAFFING

**389. Hon MATT BENSON-LIDHOLM to the minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

Will the minister advise the house how many full-time equivalent and contract staff are based in the following Department of Agriculture and Food district offices —

- (1) Waroona;
- (2) Bunbury;
- (3) Busselton;
- (4) Manjimup;
- (5) Northam;
- (6) Lake Grace; and
- (7) Merredin?

**Hon DONNA FARAGHER replied:**

I thank the member for some notice of this question and I provide the following response on behalf of the minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food.

- (1) Waroona has 13.5 FTEs of which 2.5 are contract staff;
- (2) Bunbury has 98.4 FTEs of which 4.1 are contract staff;
- (3) Busselton has no FTEs;
- (4) Manjimup has 21.07 FTEs of which 1.15 are contract staff;
- (5) Northam has 56.23 FTEs of which 6.79 are contract staff;
- (6) Lake Grace has 7.6 FTEs of which none are contract staff; and
- (7) Merredin has 27.5 FTEs of which 3.4 are contract staff.