

ATTORNEY GENERAL — PORTFOLIOS — STAFF LEAVE BALANCES

500. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs:

As at 31 December 2021, for each agency/department within the Minister's portfolio, can the Minister please provide, in tabular form, the total dollar value of accrued annual leave balances and the number of staff to whom those balances apply, for leave balances of the following periods:

- (a) four weeks or less;
- (b) four to five weeks;
- (c) five to six weeks;
- (d) six to seven weeks;
- (e) seven to eight weeks; and
- (f) eight weeks or greater?

Hon Matthew Swinbourn replied:

(a)–(f) I table the following information for each agency/department within the Minister's portfolio —

Corruption and Crime Commission:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	71	\$364,204
(b) 4–5 weeks	21	\$226,950
(c) 5–6 weeks	13	\$184,108
(d) 6–7 weeks	2	\$26,888
(e) 7–8 weeks	4	\$74,095
(f) 8 weeks or greater	5	\$137,964

Department of Justice, and all agencies governed by its human resources and payroll services:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	3,947	\$9,905,428
(b) 4–5 weeks	635	\$5,018,957
(c) 5–6 weeks	483	\$4,656,419
(d) 6–7 weeks	454	\$5,361,612
(e) 7–8 weeks	369	\$5,001,515
(f) 8 weeks or greater	1,153	\$25,403,647

Legal Practice Board:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	25	\$81,567.36
(b) 4–5 weeks	3	\$31,078.17
(c) 5–6 weeks	3	\$29,831.31
(d) 6–7 weeks	3	\$50,763.15
(e) 7–8 weeks	2	\$28,726.27
(f) 8 weeks or greater	6	\$258,268.85

Legal Aid:

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Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	270	\$801,596
(b) 4–5 weeks	42	\$411,339
(c) 5–6 weeks	19	\$220,464
(d) 6–7 weeks	18	\$227,588
(e) 7–8 weeks	6	\$97,551
(f) 8 weeks or greater	17	\$364,452

Office of the Commissioner for Children and Young People:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	17	\$62,362.92
(b) 4–5 weeks	Nil	Nil
(c) 5–6 weeks	Nil	Nil
(d) 6–7 weeks	Nil	Nil
(e) 7–8 weeks	Nil	Nil
(f) 8 weeks or greater	1	\$64,304.29

Office of the Director of Public Prosecution:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	201	\$736,697
(b) 4–5 weeks	34	\$331,547
(c) 5–6 weeks	23	\$304,728
(d) 6–7 weeks	15	\$258,905
(e) 7–8 weeks	16	\$211,004
(f) 8 weeks or greater	33	\$1,086,068

Office of the Information Commissioner / Freedom of Information:

Periods	Number of staff (FTE)	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	5.34	\$25,576
(b) 4–5 weeks	2.40	\$35,073
(c) 5–6 weeks	Nil	Nil
(d) 6–7 weeks	4.00	\$141,318
(e) 7–8 weeks	Nil	Nil
(f) 8 weeks or greater	Nil	Nil

State Solicitors Office:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 weeks or less	171	\$802,034.89
(b) 4–5 weeks	35	\$446,165.97
(c) 5–6 weeks	28	\$446,153.43
(d) 6–7 weeks	12	\$225,582.31
(e) 7–8 weeks	5	\$122,321.50

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(f) 8 weeks or greater	19	\$1,089,612.55
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Western Australian Electoral Commission:

Periods	Number of staff	Total Value of Accrued Annual Leave Balances
(a) 4 or less weeks	17	\$60 059
(b) 4–5 weeks	4	\$32 740
(c) 5–6 weeks	5	\$41 426
(d) 6–7 weeks	3	\$46 655
(e) 7–8 weeks	2	\$30 473
(f) 8 weeks or greater	16	\$340 115