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## Mrs Cheryl Edwardes; Ms Alannah MacTiernan

## GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, STAFF SECONDED FROM UNIONS WA OR INDIVIDUAL UNIONS

1355. Hon. C.L. Edwardes to the Minister representing the Minister for Housing and Works; Local Government and Regional Development; the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne

Since the election of the Labor Government in 2001, for each department and agency under the Minister's responsibility -

- (a) how many members of your ministerial staff or persons working in your ministerial office have been seconded from Unions WA or an individual Union;
- (b) what are the names of these persons, positions held and duties these persons perform; and
- (c) are these persons paid directly by the Government or are their wages subsidised to the union?

## Ms A.J. MacTIERNAN replied:

The introduction of this question refers to each department and agency under the responsibility of the Minister for Housing and Works; Local Government and Regional Development; the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne whereas in the body of the question it refers to ministerial staff or persons working in a ministerial office.

The intention of the Member's question is unclear. If the Member wishes to clarify the intention, I will endeavour to provide a reply.