

**Extract from Hansard**

[ASSEMBLY COMMITTEES A AND B SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION — Thursday, 26 May 2016]

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Ms Margaret Quirk; Ms Janine Freeman

**Division 38: Attorney General —**

**[Supplementary Information No B86.]**

*Question: Ms M.M. Quirk asked:* Can the minister provide a list of dates for the last year on which the Attorney General met with the Chief Justice?

*Answer:* A comprehensive record of all contacts between the Attorney General and the Chief Justice has not been maintained. However, in the past 12 months, a meeting took place on 8 April 2016, and telephone calls were made on 22 June 2015 and 23 May 2016. Other phone calls, and discussions at various events, have not been recorded.

**[Supplementary Information No B87.]**

*Question: Ms J.M. Freeman asked:* for a comprehensive summary of funding for the line item “Legal Aid Assistance” to the state community legal centres.

*Answer:*

**Community Legal Centres Funding 2016-17**

Centre	C'wealth CLC Funding \$	C'wealth Grant Funding \$	Family R'ships Centre Funding \$	State CLC Funding \$	SACS Funding*	TOTAL \$
Albany CLS	243,060		32,745		35,859	311,664
Bunbury CLC	193,489	90,000	28,883	60,186	40,613	413,171
CASE for Refugees	115,042			7,787	14,957	137,786
Citizens Advice Bureau				60,186		60,186
CLC Association				168,120		168,120
Consumer Credit LS	139,405	120,000		418,118	33,726	711,249
Fremantle CLC	81,856		24,256	135,505		241,617
Geraldton CLC	248,195		50,209	152,552	38,797	489,753
Goldfields CLC	241,298		30,805			307,480
Gosnells CLC	233,427	120,000	26,744	241,670	49,428	671,269
Kimberley CLS	320,898	120,000	36,104		62,017	539,019
Mental Health Law Centre				806,599		806,599
Northern Suburbs CLC	286,156	120,000	26,744		56,283	489,183
Peel CLC		90,000	48,139	468,460	17,960	624,559
Pilbara LS	252,346	90,000			44,510	386,856
RAWA (PAFVPLS)				708,000		708,000
SCALES	179,870		24,256	172,528	26,539	403,193
Street Law Centre WA Inc	67,916				8,830	76,746
Sussex Street CLS	303,938		24,256	8,566	42,670	379,430
Tenancy WA Inc	133,297					133,297
WRAS	205,240	80,000		16,742	37,085	339,067
Wheatbelt CLC		90,000			11,701	101,701
Women's Law Centre	409,399		38,513		58,235	506,147
Youth Legal Service WA	80,089			248,061	10,413	338,563
TIS & CLSIS replacement	149,425					149,425
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,884,346</b>	<b>920,000</b>	<b>391,654</b>	<b>3,673,080</b>	<b>625,000</b>	<b>9,494,080</b>

**NOTE:** CLC - Community Legal Centre

SACS – Social and Community Services

**[Supplementary Information No B88.]**

*Question: Ms J.M. Freeman asked:* In each of the financial years 2012–13, 2013–14, 2014–15 and 2015–16, how many people successfully called the infoline and how many calls were abandoned?

*Answer:*

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<b>FYTD</b>	<b>Offered</b>	<b>Abandoned</b>
2012-13	79,736	17,936 (22.49%)
2013-14	78,054	12,984 (16.63%)
2014-15	85,570	13,841 (16.17%)
2015-16 (April)	81,999	21,451 (26.16%)