

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, STAFF IN NORTH WEST

158. Mr GRAHAM to the Minister for Local Government; Disability Services; Forest Products:

- (1) What departmental staff, in departments under the Minister's control, are located in the following towns -
- (a) Port Hedland;
  - (b) South Hedland;
  - (c) Tom Price;
  - (d) Paraburdoo;
  - (e) Telfer;
  - (f) Marble Bar;
  - (g) Nullagine;
  - (h) Karratha;
  - (i) Halls Creek;
  - (j) Wiluna;
  - (k) Dampier;
  - (l) Roebourne; and
  - (m) Wickham?
- (2) What are the classifications of those staff?
- (3) What programs are currently being funded in the towns listed in the departments under the Minister's control?

Mr OMODEI replied:

DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- (1) None
- (2) Not applicable
- (3) Not applicable

DISABILITY SERVICES COMMISSION

Disability Services Commission staff members are located in the following towns:

(a)	Port Hedland	Local Area Co-ordinator (level 5)
(b)	South Hedland	nil
(c)	Tom Price	nil
(d)	Paraburdoo	nil
(e)	Telfer	nil
(f)	Marble Bar	nil
(g)	Nullagine	nil
(h)	Karratha	Local Area Co-ordinator Supervisor (level 6)
(i)	Halls Creek	nil
(j)	Wiluna	nil
(k)	Dampier	nil
(l)	Roebourne	nil
(m)	Wickham	nil

Another Local Area Co-ordinator is based in Newman. The three DSC staff members based in the Pilbara provide a responsive service to people with disabilities living in this region of the state.

- (4) See above
- (5) People with disabilities (and their families) living in each of these location has access to a wide range of DSC programs, including Local Area Co-ordination, Community Aids and Equipment Program, Accommodation Support Funding, Autism Early Intervention Program, Post School Options Program, and Specialist Country Services.

METROPOLITAN CEMETERIES BOARD

(1)-(3) Nil

**KEEP AUSTRALIA BEAUTIFUL COUNCIL**

- (1) None
- (2) Not applicable
- (3) None

**FREMANTLE CEMETERY BOARD**

(1)-(3) Not applicable

**FOREST PRODUCTS**

The Office of the Minister for Forest Products was established on 22 December 1999. Pending passage of legislation currently before Parliament, there are no departments or agencies within the Forest Products portfolio.