



Inquiry into Appropriation Bill 2026–2027 and Appropriation (Office of the Legislative Assembly) Bill 2026–2027

Answer to question taken on notice

Asked by: Mr Andrew Braddock MLA

Addressed to: Jacqueline Agius, Work Health and Safety Commissioner

In relation to: ACT Public Service MOG – Psychological Hazards

Hearing: 29 July 2026

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Answer Due: 7 August 2026

Ms Agius took on notice the following questions:

MR BRADDOCK: The ACT public service has gone through machinery-of- government changes, recruitment freeze and now voluntary redundancies. Are there any concerns for you from the psychosocial hazard perspective of the ACTPS at the moment?

Ms Agius: We have received complaints in relation to some of that work and from memory, we issued one notice on—sorry, I am going from memory here, so I could be incorrect. Did we issue notice in relation to the redundancies? I am sorry, I am going to take that one on notice because I—so many notices sometimes.
[...]

Ms Agius: But do we have concerns? We are always concerned about psychosocial hazards in workplaces.

MR BRADDOCK: I am very happy for you to take it on notice, but I will more interested in any detail you can provide about that notice, around that. Thank you.

Jacqueline Agius: The answer to the Member's questions are as follows:

During 2025-26, WorkSafe ACT did not issue any notices regarding psychosocial hazards in the ACTPS which could be identified as relating to the machinery-of-government changes, recruitment freeze and/or voluntary redundancies.

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Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates

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Signature:

Date: 05 August 2026

By the Work Health and Safety Commissioner, Jacqueline Agius