



Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2023–24

Answer to question taken on notice

Asked by: Mr Shane Rattenbury MLA

Addressed to: Ms Yvette Berry MLA, Minister for Homes and New Suburbs

In relation to: Community housing data

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Ms Yvette Berry MLA took on notice the following question(s):

MR RATTENBURY: Just quickly, minister, hopefully I am not misrepresenting you, so please—if I do, but I thought I heard you just say you do not really have a line of sight on the number of community housing properties in the ACT?

Ms Berry: I think it is the different circumstances in which they rent was the thing that I think we would have to—we can find out, and if we do have that information, we can provide it maybe at tomorrow's hearing. The number of properties we can probably get a pretty good idea of, but what they do with each property might be a little bit trickier.

MR RATTENBURY: Does the national regulator collect that data on community housing?

Ms Berry: Again, I would have to take it on notice for tomorrow.

Ms Yvette Berry MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

As per the Office of the ACT Human Services Registrar data, as of June 2024, there were 1,147 community housing dwellings in the ACT owned or managed by Community Housing Providers (CHPs) registered under the National Regulatory System for Community Housing (NRSCH). Please note this number excludes CHP-managed properties owned by Housing ACT.

Including dwellings owned by Housing ACT, the total number of dwellings managed by NRSCH-registered CHPs was 2,213.

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