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Inquiry into referred 2017–18 Annual and Financial Reports ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE



Asked by MISS C BURCH MLA:

State of the Service Report, B.2 Performance Analysis - Workforce Strategies

In relation to: A Commitment to Better Communications and Engagement

1. How many community consultation and engagement initiatives were run in 2017-18 as part of the "A Commitment to Better Communications and Engagement" measure?
2. Of those initiatives identified in (1), for how many were high level "What We Heard" reports published within a month of an engagement closing for public comments?
3. Of those initiatives identified in (1), for how many were final Consultation Reports published within three months of the consultation closing?
4. For each of those initiatives identified in (1), what was the length of time between the close of consultation and the publication of a high level Outcomes Statement?

Chief Minister: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:—

1. The Compulsory Third Party Insurance (CTP) deliberative engagement process was the only initiative funded under the Commitment to Better Communications and Engagement measure that ran in 2017-18. The engagement commenced in August 2017 and concluded in March 2018.
2. Guidance to Directorates about reporting and timeframes for engagements, including 'What We Heard' reports for YourSay engagements was introduced in July 2018. Feedback from the community on the CTP scheme and the results of market research conducted in September 2017 were presented to the jury and published on YourSay on 16 October 2017.
3. The Jury report on the priorities for a CTP scheme was published on 29 October 2018, the same day it was finalised by the jury. A report on the preferred CTP scheme chosen by the jury was published on 25 March 2018, the same day it was finalised by the jury.
4. No outcome statement has been published as work on the ACT's CTP scheme is ongoing.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts

Signature: *Andrew Barr*

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By the Chief Minister, Andrew Barr MLA