

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

SELECT COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES 2022-2023 Mr James Milligan MLA (Chair), Mr Andrew Braddock MLA (Deputy Chair), Dr Marisa Paterson MLA

ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Elizabeth Lee MLA: To ask the Chief Minister

- 1. Broken down by each Minister's office since the commencement of the Tenth Assembly, please advise:
 - a. The current FTE and headcount.
 - b. The number of employees during this period who have commenced employment.
 - c. The number of employees who have ceased employment.
 - i. The reasons for these departures.
 - d. The number of ministerial staff departures that have resulted in payouts beyond the usual payout of annual leave and/or long service leave (such as ex gratia or extraordinary payments), and the total of each.
 - e. The number of employees who were terminated.

Andrew Barr MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows: -

- 1. All ACT Executive staff are pooled and employed by the Chief Minister so no further breakdown can be provided.
- (a) As at 30 June 2021:
 - Total FTE 62.6
 - Total headcount 68
- (b) 54 employees commenced employment since the start of the 10th Assembly. This number does not include staff that continued employment from the 9th Assembly into the 10th Assembly.
- (c) 23 staff have ceased employment with the ACT Executive.
 - (i) There have been 21 resignations and 2 voluntary redundancies. This number does not include staff that ceased employment at the end of the 9th Assembly.

(d) Two staff took voluntary redundancies that resulted in payouts beyond the usual payout. The total of cost has been combined to ensure privacy and is detailed below.

	Combined Total
Severance in Lieu of	
Service	\$ 27,620.48
In Lieu of Notice	\$ 19,825.28
Total	\$ 47,445.76

(e) There have been no employees terminated since the commencement of the 10^{th} Assembly.

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Signature:

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By the Chief Minister, Andrew Barr MLA