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**ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

Asked by: Mr Mark Parton MLA

Addressed to: Minister for Housing and Suburban Development

Redirection:

Reference: Housing ACT

Hearing Date: 26/07/2024

In relation to: Community Services Directorate and Social Housing Details

Question Lodgement Date: 31/07/2024

Date Answer Due: 08/08/2024

(1) In relation to social housing procured and supplied by the Community Services Directorate (and Housing ACT as appropriate), for

- (a) 2023-24;
- (b) Expected for the 2024-25 Budget;
- (c) Could the Minister provide a table showing the;
  - (i) Total resident population as at 30 June for each of the years above,
  - (ii) Number of new residents accommodated each year,
  - (iii) Number of residents who transferred out to accommodation procured and supplied by community service providers,
  - (iv) Number of residents evicted,
  - (v) Number of residents who transferred out into accommodation in the private sector and no longer dependent on social housing
  - (vi) Net change in resident population for each year.

(2) In relation to social housing procured and supplied by community services providers for:

- (a) 2023-24;
- (b) Expected for the 2024-25 Budget;
- (c) Budget, could the Minister provide a table showing the;
  - (i) Total resident population as at 30 June for each of the years above,
  - (ii) Number of new residents accommodated each year,
  - (iii) Number of residents who transferred back into housing procured and supplied by the Community Services Directorate (and Housing ACT as appropriate),
  - (iv) Number of residents evicted,
  - (v) Number of residents who transferred out into accommodation in the private sector and no longer dependent on social housing
  - (vi) Net change in resident population for each year.

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

(1)

(a) Total stock number for Community Services Directorate is 11,731 as at 30 June 2024. This included delivery of 212 constructions of homes in 2023-24 and the purchase of 45 homes in 2023-24.

(b) The 2024-25 budget includes the release of approximately \$46 million previously provisioned to continue to the delivery of the Growing and Renewing Public Housing programs as well as \$5 million to commence delivery of the Social Housing Accelerator program.

(c) (i), (ii), (iv) and (v)

Year (FY)	Total Resident Population as at 30 June	Number of New Tenancies (households)	Number of New people in Tenancies	Number of residents evicted	Number of residents who moved to private housing market (rental and purchase)
2022-2023	20,424	414	897	4	158
2023-2024	20,291	459	978	4	150

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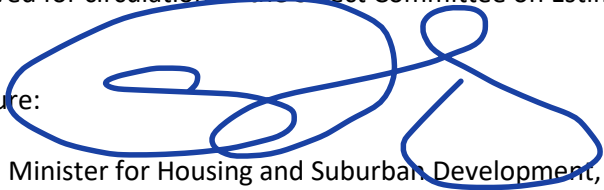
(iii) Community Services Directorate does not record this information.

(vi) The non-standard data required to fully respond to this question could not be provided within the given timeframe. Longer timeframes are required for reporting data not already contained in an established report as this requires additional methodology design, quality assurance and appropriate clearance for use by the Data Custodian, particularly when unpublished operational data is the underlying data source.

(2)

The non-standard data required to fully respond to this question could not be provided within the given timeframe. Longer timeframes are required for reporting data not already contained in an established report as this requires additional methodology design, quality assurance and appropriate clearance for use by the Data Custodian, particularly when unpublished operational data is the underlying data source.

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates 2024-2025

Signature:  Date: 12/08/24

By the Minister for Housing and Suburban Development, Ms Yvette Berry