

**Question on Notice  
No. 817  
Asked on 17 August 2004**

Mr HOPPER asked the Minister for Public Works, Housing and Racing (MR SCHWARTEN) –

QUESTION:

What is the number of people who have been on the public housing waiting list by regional reporting area for more than three years?

ANSWER:

The number of public housing applications broken down by area office that have been on the wait list for over three years as at 31 July 2004 is presented in the table below.

| Area Office           | Number of Applicants |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Bayside               | 288                  |
| Brisbane Central      | 279                  |
| Brisbane North        | 327                  |
| Brisbane South        | 539                  |
| Brisbane South West   | 117                  |
| Central Queensland    | 56                   |
| Far North Queensland  | 262                  |
| Gold Coast            | 1,596                |
| Logan                 | 138                  |
| Mackay - Whitsundays  | 59                   |
| North Queensland      | 76                   |
| North West Queensland | Nil                  |
| Redcliffe             | 312                  |
| South West Queensland | 37                   |
| Sunshine Coast        | 761                  |
| West Moreton          | 63                   |
| Wide Bay - Burnett    | 89                   |
| <b>Queensland</b>     | <b>4,999</b>         |

Source: SAP R3 @ 31/07/2004.