

Question on Notice

No. 107

Asked on Thursday, 8 February 2007

MR LINGARD asked the Minister for Communities, Minister for Disability Services Queensland, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships, Minister for Seniors and Youth **(MR PITT)** -

With reference to his response to Question on Notice No. 1387 for 2006—

(1) Will he confirm the numbers of staff in public affairs, communications, marketing, media liaison, graphic design and public relations positions quoted in the answer includes all such positions in the Department of Communities, Disability Services, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders, Seniors and Youth and associated portfolio entities, both in corporate office and outside of corporate office; if not, will he detail the number of additional full time and part time staff employed and the total amount of wages/salaries paid to these staff for the same period?

(2) Will he detail the number and names of contractors and consultants engaged in public affairs, communications, marketing, media liaison, graphic design and public relations positions in his department and associated portfolio entities, both in corporate office and outside of corporate office in 2004-05, 2005-06 and 2006-07 (year to date)?

(3) Will he detail the individual and total cost of these contractors and consultants in the same period?

ANSWER:

I thank the Honourable Member for Beaudesert for his Question on Notice No.107. I refer the Honourable Member to the response by the Premier and the Minister for Trade to the Clerk of the Parliament in relation to staff and costs to my portfolio for public affairs, communications, marketing, media liaison, graphic design and public relations.

