Question on Notice

No. 1711

Asked on 14 November 2018

MR D JANETZKI ASKED THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE (HON Y D'ATH) -

QUESTION:

Will the Attorney-General outline the FTE allocation of staff to the Queensland Coroners Court from 2014-15 to 2017-18 (reported separately by year) and the nomination for 2018-19?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Toowoomba South for his question. As published in the Coroners Court of Queensland's annual reports for financial years between 2014-15 and 2016-17, the staff allocated to the Office of the State Coroner are:

2014-15	41 full-time equivalent staff members
2015-16	48 full-time equivalent staff members
2016-17	50 full-time equivalent staff members

For 2017-18, staff allocated to the Queensland Coroners Court was 55 full-time equivalent staff members.

The 2018-19 staff allocated to the Queensland Coroners Court is 53 full-time equivalent staff members.

The decrease of two FTEs between 2017-18 and 2018-19 reflects the completion of temporary positions recruited in 2017-18 for the Whiskey Au Go Go inquest, which has subsequently been referred to Queensland Police Service for further investigation.