Question on Notice

No. 230

Asked on 11 March 2021

MR A POWELL ASKED THE MINISTER FOR POLICE AND CORRECTIVE SERVICES AND MINISTER FOR FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES (HON M RYAN)

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise the total number of personnel (both permanent and volunteer) in the (i) Fire and Rescue Service, (ii) Rural Fire Service and (iii) State Emergency Service for each financial year from 2013-14?

ANSWER:

I am advised by Queensland Fire and Emergency Services (QFES) the Fire and Rescue Service personnel for the period of 2013-14 to 2019-20 is as follows

Financial Year	Permanent personnel	Volunteer personnel
2013-14	2,111	94
2014-15	2,165	97
2015-16	2,198	100
2016-17	2,201	104
2017-18	2,172	100
2018-19	2,228	99
2019-20	2,294	109

Fire and Rescue Services (Headcount)

I am advised by QFES that data identifying the approximate volunteers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service is publicly available in the QFES Annual Reports tabled in Parliament each year.

The 2013-14 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on pages 15-16 of the 2013-14 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.

The 2014-15 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on pages 14-15 of the 2014-15 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.

The 2015-16 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on pages 14-15 of the 2015-16 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.

The 2016-17 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on page 17 of the 2016-17 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.

The 2017-18 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on pages 10-11 of the 2017-18 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.

The 2018-19 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on page 14 of the 2018-19 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.

The 2019-20 approximate volunteer numbers for the Rural Fire Service and the State Emergency Service can be found on pages 10 of the 2019-20 Annual Report for Queensland Fire and Emergency Services.