

Question on Notice
No. 109
Asked on 15 February 2024

MR J BLEIJIE ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TOURISM AND SPORT (HON M HEALY)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise how many of the department's staff will be travelling to France during 2024, reported separately by (a) before the Paris 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games, (b) during the Games and (c) after the Games?

ANSWER:

Queensland athletes took home the largest number of medals at the Tokyo 2021 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

The Department of Tourism and Sport, via the Queensland Academy of Sport (QAS), will provide our elite Olympic and Paralympic athletes with the support needed to once again bring home gold from the Paris 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games (Paris 2024).

Regarding the components of the question, I can advise the following:

- a) There are eight QAS staff and six QAS contractors traveling to support Queensland's athletes before the Paris 2024 Olympics. There will also be four QAS staff and one QAS contractor providing specialist support before the Paris 2024 Paralympics.
- b) During the Paris 2024 Olympics there will be four QAS staff and six QAS contractors engaged with Queensland's Olympians, along with a specialist QAS contractor supporting our Paralympians.
- c) There will be no travel related to Paris 2024 after the event concludes.