

Question on Notice
No. 712
Asked on 12 June 2025

MS N BOYD ASKED THE MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND WATER AND MINISTER FOR FIRE, DISASTER RECOVERY AND VOLUNTEERS (HON A LEAHY)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise the total number of FTE staff employed within the Queensland Fire and Rescue Division of the Queensland Fire Department as at 1 June 2025 (or closest reportable date), reported separately by (a) Northern Region, (b) Central Region, (c) Southern/South Western Region, (d) Greater Brisbane/South Eastern Region, (e) State Capability and (f) State Operations?

ANSWER:

I am advised by the Queensland Fire Department (QFD) that the number of paid full-time equivalent (FTE) staff employed within the Queensland Fire and Rescue (QFR) Division (as at 1 June 2025) includes 497.96 FTE in Northern Region; 333.2 FTE in Central Region; 846.54 FTE in Southern Region; 1089.82 FTE in Greater Brisbane Region and 305.25 FTE in State Capability. I am advised that as at 1 June 2025, State Operations comprised of 219.84 paid FTE.

Auxiliary firefighters are represented as 0.1 of an FTE which reflects their on-call nature and variable working hours. This approach aligns with the MOHRI methodology.