

MORLEY POLICE STATION — UPGRADE

1279. Hon AMBER-JADE SANDERSON to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

I refer to Morley Police Station and to the Minister for Police's answer to question without notice 303, citing a capacity for 41 full-time equivalent staff and to media reports that the station houses 26 police officers.

- (1) How many full-time equivalent sworn police officers were stationed at the Morley Police Station from 14 October 2014?
- (2) How many of those FTEs will be permanently located at the station?
- (3) How many of them are temporarily stationed at Morley while the Mirrabooka station refurbishments are undertaken?

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

On behalf of the Attorney General, I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1)–(3) Western Australia Police advises that due to operational sensitivities, specific information relating to staffing levels of individual police stations is not released. Resources are allocated at a district level and district superintendents deploy those resources within their districts to deliver the best possible policing service to the community. Additionally, metropolitan districts are supported by a range of other police staff, including, for example, regional operations group, traffic enforcement group and the dog squad.