

ARALUEN BOTANIC PARK — STAFF

3555. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Environment:

At the date of this question, what was the total number of people employed in managing/operating Araluen Botanic Park:

- (a) what number of each public sector classification level and each Senior Executive Service band were employed in these roles;
- (b) what number of these people were employed at Araluen Botanic Park and what number were located elsewhere (state location); and
- (c) how much money in total was spent on consultancy in support of Araluen Botanic Park during the last 12 months before the date of the question and what was the breakdown of expenditure on consultancy (i.e. how much was spent on each contract and what was the topic/task of each consultancy contract?)

Mr A.P. Jacob replied:

- (a) The Department of Parks and Wildlife has one Level 5 Public Service Award staff member at 0.4 full time equivalent who undertakes a liaison role with the Araluen Botanic Park Foundation.
- (b) This position is based at the Department's Swan Region office in Crawley.
- (c) No money was spent on consultancy in support of Araluen Botanic Park during the last 12 months.