

PUBLIC HOUSING — EVICTIONS

677. Hon ROBIN CHAPPLE to the Minister for Housing:

- (1) How many people have been evicted from government housing in South Hedland in the last 12 months?
- (2) How many people have been evicted from government housing in Port Hedland in the last 12 months?
- (3) How many of those people in (1) and (2) were identified as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander?

Hon COL HOLT replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question.

The Housing Authority advises that it does not collate this information by suburb. We might need to do some more work for the member.

- (1)–(2) In the Housing Authority’s Pilbara region, 29 tenancies were evicted from 1 July 2015 to 30 May 2016.
- (3) The provision of information to the Housing Authority relating to a person’s cultural identity is voluntary. The Housing Authority does not collect the information in the format requested.