

PUBLIC SECTOR — STAFF — PERMANENCY

1100. Hon Dr STEVE THOMAS to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management:

I refer to the conversion to permanency of staff of the Western Australian public sector.

- (1) For the financial years 2020–21, 2021–22 and 2022–23, how many public sector staff have been converted to permanency under the government's policy to convert existing contract and casual staff to permanent roles?
- (2) As at 18 September 2023, what is the total leave liability on the books for the state's part-time and full-time public servants?
- (3) Is there an additional leave liability created by the policy to convert existing contract and casual staff to permanent roles; and, if so, what is the value of it?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

The member is requesting a significant amount of information, which is not able to be prepared in the limited time provided. If the member decides to put the question on notice, the Premier will endeavour to provide a response.