

PUBLIC HOUSING — WAITLIST

**1054. Hon STEVE MARTIN to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Housing:**

I refer to the housing options assessment that is required to be submitted by potential public housing applicants.

- (1) For each of the following years, how many people submitted a housing options assessment form —
  - (a) 2019–2020;
  - (b) 2020–2021;
  - (c) 2021–2022;
  - (d) 2022–2023 to date?
- (2) For those in (1), how many progressed to the social housing waitlist and how many were rejected?

**Hon SUE ELLERY replied:**

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

- (1)–(2) The housing options assessment was implemented in the Department of Communities service delivery practice from 28 September 2021.

The data requested is not currently captured by the Department of Communities' internal reporting systems and would require a manual review of individual files. Given the level of agency resourcing required to provide this detailed information, it is not considered to be a reasonable use of government resources.