

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

NATIONAL WATER COMMISSION

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES HEARINGS 2006-07

(Question No. PM 65)

With regard to the preparation of Possible Parliamentary Questions briefs or other documents intended to brief Minister's on an issue specifically for Question Time, could the department/agency provide:

1. The number of briefs prepared in each of the last three financial years (2003/04, 2004/05, 2005/06).

Answer: Two briefs have been prepared in each of the financial years listed above.

2. The number of staff who are responsible for coordinating such briefs and the salary level they are engaged at.

Answer: One staff member is responsible for coordinating such briefs and is employed at a salary level of \$66,000.

3. The name of internal unit/team that those staff belong to and a description of its other responsibilities.

Answer: Corporate Governance and Strategy Team. This team is responsible for all Governance, Parliamentary, Human Resources, ICT, Property and Legal Service matters in the Commission.

4. The total budget associated with the unit/team referred to in response to part 3.

Answer: \$276, 579