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### **NOTICE OF QUESTIONS**

Notice has been received from Hon Members of the following oral and written questions to be asked at the Meeting of the Gibraltar Parliament to be held on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2013.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Melvyn L Farrell'.

Melvyn L Farrell  
Clerk to the Parliament

#### **QUESTION No: 765/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Further to Written Question W122 of 2013, can the Minister for Tourism state on what basis the operators reported solid growth?

#### **QUESTION No: 766/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Port provide an explanation to Parliament stating the reason/s for the ship 'Norstar' adopting an 18° heel sometime during Sunday the 17<sup>th</sup> November 2013, whilst having in its cargo some 4000 tonnes of material dredged from Ocean Village for the purpose of allowing the floating hotel to dock?

**QUESTION No: 767/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Tourism say if there are any plans by the Government to construct an underwater breakwater between the two newly created groynes at Sandy Bay in order to maintain the sand in the enclosed area given that at the moment the one deposited there earlier this year has been almost washed away by the levanter?

**QUESTION No: 768/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to Questions: No. W132 of 2013, No. 571 of 2013, No. 522 of 2013 and No. W61 of 2013, can the Minister for Culture say when the position of Caretaker at John Mackintosh Hall will be advertised and by when it is expected to be filled?

**QUESTION No: 769/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer to Question No. W99 of 2013 can the Minister for Culture and Heritage say when the vacancy for night receptionist at John Mackintosh Hall will be advertised?

**QUESTION No: 770/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can Government provide details of any refurbishment works it may intend to carry out in respect of the children's play park at Waterport Terraces, together with respective estimated completion dates and estimated costs?

**QUESTION No: 771/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answers to Questions No. 560 of 2013 and No. 561 of 2013, can the Minister for Sports and Leisure inform this House if he has now identified and agreed upon with the respective Sports Governing Association, any alternative facilities to Europa Sports Grounds for the playing, teaching and development of either cricket or rugby?

**QUESTION No: 772/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer to Question No. 567 of 2013, can the Minister for Heritage provide details of all works, together with respective cost, undertaken at any Heritage related site; stating by whom these works were carried out?

**QUESTION No: 773/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 701 of 2013, can the Minister with responsibility for Utilities state what is the envisaged Gas Storage facility time line, and whether completion of this aspect of works will be known when the tender is awarded?

**QUESTION No: 774/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer to Question No. 617 of 2013, can the Minister for Housing provide details of all works which have been completed, together with respective costs, in respect of the actions he announced would be undertaken in order to curtail non compliance of house rules at Mid-Harbour Estate?

**QUESTION No: 775/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer to Question No. 617 of 2013, can the Minister for Housing provide details of all works programmed but which have still not been completed, together with their respective estimated costs and completion dates, in respect of planned actions to be undertaken in order to curtail non compliance of house rules at Mid-Harbour Estate?

**QUESTION No: 776/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide updated details in respect of all expenditure incurred, since the answer to Question No. 618 of 2013, in respect of contracts awarded for making empty homes suitable for re-allocation; stating to whom payments were made, how much has been paid, the number of residential homes pertaining to each payment, as well as indicating if the services contracted were for either repairs works or cleaning services?

**QUESTION No: 777/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details in respect of rental homes assigned since the answer to Question No. 619 of 2013, indicating how many will be repaired by:

- (a) the Housing Works Agency;
- (b) sub-Contractors; and
- (c) the assigned tenants themselves?

**QUESTION No: 778/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details of how many tenants required urgent decanting from their homes, since the answer to Question No. 623 of 2013, indicating the reason why, the date when said decanting became necessary and the date when the tenants were able to return to their home?

**QUESTION No: 779/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing say how many residential homes have, since the answer to Question No. 624 of 2013, been:

(a) allocated; and

(b) assigned,

showing the room composition of the respective homes?

**QUESTION No: 780/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer to Question No. W145 of 2013, can the Minister for Housing provide updated details of arrears in respect of unpaid rents pertaining to Government rental homes as at the end of November 2013?

**QUESTION No: 781/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide updated information, inclusive of details of grades and dates, in respect of any further employees of the Housing Works Agency who have been:

(a) retired;

(b) transferred; and

(c) seconded,

either from or into of the Housing Works Agency, since the answer to Question No. W146 of 2013?

**QUESTION No: 782/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to Question No. W147 of 2013 and No. 616 of 2013, is the Minister for Housing now in a position to furnish this House with any details of the comprehensive review pertaining to the Housing Works Agency and the Ministry for Housing which he has previously answered was now being considered by Cabinet?

**QUESTION No: 783/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer to Written Question W149 of 2013, can the Government state how many of the vehicles listed are powered by non-polluting engines, as this part of the answer was missing?

**QUESTION No: 784/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services say how many times a Looked After Child needs to abscond and how seriously challenging the behaviour of the child has to be before he or she is considered as a candidate for specialist care in a specialist institution in the UK?

**QUESTION No: 785/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

As per her Budget speech of 2013, can the Minister for Social Services explain how she will be providing for children with challenging behaviour generally and for their secure accommodation specifically?

**QUESTION No: 786/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services explain what the management restructure of the Children and Families team is, as stated in her Budget speech of 2013?

**QUESTION No: 787/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services provide details of the regulations that have already been drafted, as confirmed in her 2013 Budget speech, on the vetting of people who work or volunteer with children and vulnerable adults?

**QUESTION No: 788/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services say when legislation on the vetting of people who work or volunteer with children and vulnerable adults will be brought to Parliament?

**QUESTION No: 789/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

During the Hon Minister for Social Services' Budget speech of 2013, she mentioned the commencement of a new Nursing Co-ordinator for Mount Alvernia. Can the Minister say if this post is in an acting capacity and who the new Nursing Co-ordinator is?

**QUESTION No: 790/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

As outlined in her Budget statement of 2013, can the Minister for Equality say if she has set up the forum to deal with domestic violence, which interested parties form part of the forum and how often does the forum meet?

**QUESTION No: 791/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Equality say if she is in contact with, and when we will see, the introduction of the 'White Ribbon Campaign' to Gibraltar?

**QUESTION No: 792/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Equality say how Government provides for homeless men requiring refuge from domestic violence?

**QUESTION No: 793/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Mr Speaker, can the Minister for Equality say when the Government will legislate to further protect disabled people, ratifying and using the terms of the United Nations convention on the rights of disabled persons as a model?

**QUESTION No: 794/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Education provide details of how many students have left full time education since the start of this present academic year; providing a breakdown by educational establishment, age of student with detail of school year in which enrolled, date of termination and reason for leaving if known?

**QUESTION No: 795/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Education provide details of how many students who were undergoing full-time education and enrolled in Year 10 at the start of the academic year 2012-2013, have since left full-time education and consequently not presently in Year 11 for this current academic year; providing a breakdown by educational establishment, age of student at the time with date (month) of termination and reason for leaving if known?

**QUESTION No: 796/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Education provide details of how many students have ceased full time education in either Years 10 or 11 since the start of this present academic year; providing a breakdown by school year, educational establishment and reason for termination if known?

**QUESTION No: 797/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer to Question No. 635 of 2013, can the Minister for Education provide details in respect of any changes there may be in respect of students still enrolled for post GCSE education in Year 12 (or equivalent) when compared with those enrolled at the start of the current academic year?

**QUESTION No: 798/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 702 of 2013, can the Minister for Education provide Parliament with copies of the Health & Safety audit report appertaining to the school/s in which the works have now been completed?

**QUESTION NO: 799/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment provide details, to include the number of individuals, their grades and how many of them are FJS trainees currently forming part of the labour inspectorate?

**QUESTION NO: 800/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment provide details as to how the placements of so called trainees of the FJS are being monitored?

**QUESTION NO: 801/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment provide details of the companies currently involved in providing employment to the FJS trainees to include the names of the companies, directors and shareholders?

**QUESTION NO: 802/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment advise this House how the training which he claims graduates in the FJS are receiving are designed to produce jobs for them?

**QUESTION NO: 803/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Further to Question No. W152 of 2013, can the Minister for Employment provide current details of the individuals employed under the Future Job Strategy broken down into each of the FJS companies they are employed by with the duration of their contracts?

**QUESTION NO: 804/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment provide details of the services which are being provided to the Government by Rock Administrative Services (Gibraltar) Limited?



**QUESTION NO: 805/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment confirm that the requirements for recruitment at the Housing Works Agency are being complied with?

**QUESTION NO: 806/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment state whether it is the Government's policy not to offer vacancies to those in employment?

**QUESTION NO: 807/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Government say when the definition of 'disabled' will change to ensure that all those who suffer disability, at whatever stage in their lives, will be entitled to disability benefits, what criteria will be used to define 'disability' and at what stage is Government in the review of disability in our laws?

**QUESTION NO: 808/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can Government provide details in respect of the number of employees who may have been employed, since the answer provided to Question No. 650 of 2013, by Leisure Construction & Maintenance Company Limited, broken down by grade, age, gender and nationality?

**QUESTION No: 809/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health & Safety provide the November 2013 statistics to Parliament of Health & Safety as these were unavailable on the Government website when the deadline to hand in the Opposition Questions to Parliament expired?

**QUESTION No: 810/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 704 of 2013, can the Minister for Health & Safety say for what reason/s did the Factories Inspectors seek legal advice in the month of October?

**QUESTION No: 811 /2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Further to Question No. 598, can the Minister for Health say when the GHA complaints process will be taken over by the Ombudsman and at what stage they are in the process?

**QUESTION No: 812/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health explain what the GHA policy for the recruitment and retention of staff is and what the terms for contract workers are wishing to apply for permanent and pensionable status?

**QUESTION No: 813/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say when the 25% gratuity offer, in lieu of permanent and pensional status, was removed from the contract of GHA contract workers?

**QUESTION No: 814/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say why there has been a reduction in the Housing allowance of GHA contract workers and whether this financial incentive will be removed entirely from the contract of GHA contract workers and, if so, when?

**QUESTION No: 815/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say why the Director for the GHA's Human Resources and the Executive Director for Strategic Development are no longer in employment at the GHA, and how much they were each given for terminating their employment contracts?

**QUESTION No: 816/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say how many applicants there were for the vacant post of District Nursing Charge Nurse and who was successful in getting the job?

**QUESTION No: 817/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say who is dealing with negotiating the Consultants' contract and at what stage of progress are we in the process?

**QUESTION No: 818/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

With reference to the Government press release number 861/2013, can the Minister for Health say how sexual health will be promoted in addition to the Minister's plans to publish HIV and AIDS statistics?

**QUESTION No: 819/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

The Hon Minister for Health said in his Budget statement of 2013 that the new Mental Health Unit would be ready in October or November. Can the Minister advise when the facility will be now opening?

**QUESTION No: 820/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Further to Written Question No. 135 of 2013 can the Minister for Health say:

- (a) why there are no figures for April 2012 and June 2013; and
- (b) why the cost for sending patients to Xanit have more than doubled, per month, since September 2013?

**QUESTION No: 821/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say if there is any truth in the rumour that a motorbike and its owner were transported in one of the new ambulances and, if so, can the Minister provide details to Parliament?

**QUESTION No: 822/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

In relation to the amendment to the Medical Health Act 1997 to provide for the compulsory registration of allied health professionals, can the Minister for Health say how will the powers of UK governing bodies be transferred to the Gibraltar Registration Board for the overseeing and policing of the ongoing requirements health professionals need to meet?

**QUESTION No: 823/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if the discussion alluded to by the Minister at the Committee Stage of the Appropriation Bill 2013 regarding extending the duties carried out by FERA to GONHS in relation to the culling of seagulls have now concluded and, if so, provide Parliament with details of the agreement?

**QUESTION No: 824/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the Written Answer to Question W136 of 2013, can the Minister for the Environment state what has been the criteria for selecting the West Place of Arms as a Dogs Park?

**QUESTION No: 825/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 690 of 2013, is the Minister for the Environment aware that the Gibraltar Cat Welfare Society have been neutering cats for some years now and, if so, does the Minister know how many cats have been spayed on an annual basis?

**QUESTION No: 826/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer to Question No. 691 of 2013, can the Minister for the Environment provide the monthly number of cats culled since the 11<sup>th</sup> of December 2011, as asked for but not given?

**QUESTION No: 827/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer to Question No. 700 of 2013, is the Minister for the Environment not aware of the ESG communiqué of the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 2013, in relation to the concerns of Air Pollution?

**QUESTION No: 828/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state which pathways, green areas and walking routes in the Upper Rock Nature Reserve have been temporarily closed as a result of the comments made by the Minister for Heritage at the Heritage Trust AGM in which he stated that what he saw were 'death traps'?

**QUESTION No: 829/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to Question No. 694 of 2013, can the Minister for the Environment state what will be the waste disposal options that the Government will embark upon following the completion of the specialist report by Ramboll in January 2013, providing a timeline for the implementation of such policies?

**QUESTION No: 830/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state which recommendations of the 'Upper Rock Nature Reserve, A Management and Action Plan' have been implemented since the 9<sup>th</sup> of December 2011, which ones the Minister intends to implement in the next 24 months, and which ones the Minister feels that will not be able to implement and why?

**QUESTION No: 831/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say if there are any permanent plans to avoid having Barbary Macaques entering into Mount Alvernia in the near future?

**QUESTION No: 832/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 696 of 2013, can the Minister for the Environment say how many pigeons have been culled in the last six months in the Varyl Begg Estate?

**QUESTION No: 833/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say what is the carbon footprint cost of importing 140 trees from Italy for the Commonwealth Park compared to a closer jurisdiction such as Portugal or Spain?

**QUESTION No: 834/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say what is the carbon footprint cost of importing turf from the UK for the Commonwealth Park as compared to a closer jurisdiction say Portugal or Spain?

**QUESTION No: 835/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please explain why the Government laid the artificial reef in the area that it did, at the time that it did?

**QUESTION No: 836/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Chief Minister state the breakdown of expenditure so far since the commencement of this financial year in relation to: 1. Protocol; 2. Travel; and 3. Entertainment by all members of the Government, broken down by each separate category and stating the purpose, place and date in which such event took place?

**QUESTION No: 837/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please provide a breakdown of all costs to the taxpayer of the recent visit to the Fourth Committee of the United Nations identifying everyone who was paid for by the taxpayer together with items of expenditure associated with that individual?

**QUESTION No: 838/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please provide details of the cost of the Mega Pop Concert, the Jazz Festival, the Literary Festival and Gibraltar Day in London?

**QUESTION No: 839/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please state whether the investigation into the leak of personal tax affairs of the former Speaker of this House has now concluded?

**QUESTION No: 840/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Did the Chief Minister read the speech of the SDGG Chairman Denis Matthews before it was delivered at the United Nations?

**QUESTION No: 841/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister state whether the Government has abandoned its plans to set up an Anti-Corruption Authority?

**QUESTION No: 842/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please state what is the total amount paid by Credit Finance Company Limited in commuted pensions of civil servants?

**QUESTION No: 843/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please state how many civil servants have had their commuted pensions paid (a) by Credit Finance Company Limited; and (b) from the Consolidated Fund since Credit Finance Company Limited was incorporated?

**QUESTION No: 844/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Tourism advise whether any hotels, other than the Sunborn but including the Marriott, are the beneficiaries of any loans from Credit Finance Company Limited or are in any other way receiving financial assistance from the Government or the Gibraltar Savings Bank?

**QUESTION No: 845/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please state whether the Government, the Gibraltar Savings Bank or Credit Finance Company Limited are involved or proposed to be involved directly or indirectly in the business of buying and selling gold or silver bullion?

**QUESTION No: 846/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Bearing in mind that we are now two years into the New Dawn Government, will the Chief Minister please state whether he is now in a position to identify those foreign investors which he said in an interview with Gerard Teuma in May of 2011 he had up his sleeve if his Party was elected into office?

**QUESTION No: 847/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister state what steps his Government is taking to stop the smuggling of tobacco from Western and Eastern beaches?

**QUESTION No: 848/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please provide the House with an update on the likelihood of ad hoc talks taking place between Gibraltar, the United Kingdom and the Kingdom of Spain?

**QUESTION No: 849/2013**

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Does the Chief Minister accept that he can stand firm on issues that are vital and fundamental to the sovereignty, jurisdiction and control of our waters, airspace and land, without comparing Spain to North Korea or accusing it of state sponsored vandalism towards citizens in Gibraltar at the United Nations?



## **WRITTEN QUESTIONS**

### **QUESTION No: W160/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Sports and Leisure provide updated details of all payments made, pertaining to financial year 2013/2014, in respect of 'Sports Grants' under each of the following:

- (a) Grants to Sporting Societies;
- (b) International Competitions;
- (c) Sports Development Projects; and
- (d) Hosting of Special Sports and Leisure Events?

### **QUESTION No: W161/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Culture provide updated details of all Cultural Grants awarded so far pertaining to financial year 2013/2014?

### **QUESTION No: W162/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Culture and Heritage provide details of any changes there may have been in respect of persons employed by the Culture and Heritage Agency since the answer to Question No. W129 of 2013?

### **QUESTION No: W163/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Sports and Leisure provide details of any changes there may have been in respect of fixed bookings and/or allocations made for facilities falling under the auspices of the Gibraltar Sports and Leisure Authority for the 2013/2014 winter season, since the answer to Question No. W130 of 2013?

**QUESTION No: W164/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Sports and Leisure provide details of any changes there may have been in respect of persons employed by the Gibraltar Sports and Leisure Authority since the answer provided to Question No. W131 of 2013?

**QUESTION No: W165/2013**

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment provide all the monitoring and surveillance programmes undertaken by the Department of the Environment and the Environmental Agency either by itself or by any other entity on its behalf either for EU compliance purposes, or for any other International or local needs basis?

**QUESTION No: W166 /2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say how many staff members on either 10 or 11 month renewable rolling contracts have been in the employment of the GHA for more than three or four years, notwithstanding any break of service up to four weeks at the end of any of the individual 10 or 11 month contracts, broken down by grade, nationality and location?

**QUESTION No: W167/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say, since 9th December 2011:

- (a) How many new 10-month contracts have been initiated, stating the grade, nationality and location; and
- (b) How many 10-month contracts have now terminated and of those, how many ended with an indefinite contract and how many had their 10-month contract renewed, stating their nationality, grade and location?

**QUESTION No: W168/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health state how many nursing, medical and allied health professional positions are left to fill within the GHA as stated within the Estimates Book 2013/2014, as at 30<sup>th</sup> November 2013 stating the numbers in each profession and departments?

**QUESTION No: W169/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say, since 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011:

- (a) How many new 11-month contracts have been initiated, stating the grade, nationality and location; and
- (b) How many 11-month contracts have now terminated and of those, how many ended with an indefinite contract and how many had their 11-month contract renewed, stating their nationality, grade and location?

**QUESTION No: W170/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Mr Speaker, can the Minister for Health say, since 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011, how many GHA employees have been offered contract work stating:

- (a) Length of contract, start date, end date;
- (b) Nationality, grade and location of contract worker; and
- (c) Whether on completion of contract the employee has been offered an indefinite contract or renewed for another short-term contract?

**QUESTION No: W171/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Health say, since 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011:

- (a) How many contract workers have completed four years employment with the GHA, stating the grade, nationality and location; and
- (b) How many of these contract workers ended with an indefinite permanent and pensionable contract and how many have been offered a short-term contract, stating their nationality, grade and location?

**QUESTION No: W172/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services say how many staff members on either 10 or 11 month renewable rolling contracts have been in the employment of the Care Agency for more than three or four years, notwithstanding any break of service up to four weeks at the end of any of the individual 10 or 11 month contracts, broken down by grade, nationality and location?

**QUESTION No: W173/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Since Question No. 143 of 2013, can the Minister for Social Services say:

- (a) How many new 11-month contracts have been initiated, stating the grade, nationality and location; and
- (b) How many 11-month contracts have now terminated and of those, how many ended with an indefinite contract and how many had their 11-month contract renewed stating their nationality, grade and location?

**QUESTION No: W174/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services say how many 10-month contracts have been initiated since the 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011, stating the grade, nationality and location?

**QUESTION No: W175/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Mr Speaker, can the Minister for Social Services say, since 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011, how many Care Agency employees have been offered contract work stating:

- (a) Length of contract, start date, end date;
- (b) Nationality, grade and location of contract worker; and
- (c) Whether on completion of contract the employee has been offered an indefinite contract or renewed for another short-term contract?

**QUESTION No: W176/2013**

Questioner: The Hon Mrs I M Ellul-Hammond

Can the Minister for Social Services say, since 9<sup>th</sup> December 2011:

- (a) How many contract workers have completed four years employment with the Care Agency, stating the grade, nationality and location; and
- (b) How many of these contract workers ended with an indefinite permanent and pensionable contract and how many have been offered a short-term contract, stating their nationality, grade and location?

**QUESTION No: W177/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the information provided through Table H.1, last updated on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2013, can the Minister for Housing provide details of the number of applicants on the housing waiting lists (inclusive of Medical and Social Lists) as at 30<sup>th</sup> November 2013?

**QUESTION No: W178/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the information provided through Table H.2, last updated on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2013, can the Minister for Housing provide updated details of the number of applicants on the Housing pre-list as at 30<sup>th</sup> November 2013?

**QUESTION No: W179/2013**

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details in respect of all repairs undertaken to lifts servicing Government rental homes, since the answer to Question No. W148 of 2013?