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RESPONSE TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**Questions on Notice Paper No 3****7 March 2025****Question No. 174**

Asked by Mr Peter Cain MLA –

1. Can the Minister provide the number of Environment Protection Officers employed, both full-time and part-time, for the (a) 2020-2021, (b) 2021-2022, (c) 2022-2023 and (d) 2023-2024 financial years.
2. Can the Minister advise the number of Environment Protection Officers, both full-time and part-time, currently employed as at 19 February 2025.

Ms Cheyne MLA - The answer to the Member's question is as follows:**Note:** To enable a clear response, noting that staffing numbers change throughout each year, the following are provided:

- Number of officers employed within the Environment Protection Authority, and below the Executive level.
- The report represents last pay cycle for each of the specified financial years, and at the end of February for 2025.



Please refer to the below table for answers to question one and question two.

	Last pay of each financial year				Last pay of February 2025
Year	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
Date of relevant pay cycle	23-Jun	22-Jun	21-Jun	19-Jun	26-Feb
Full Time	16	17	19	20	20
Part Time	3	2	4	0	2
Total Environment Protection Officers	19	19	23	20	22

Approved for circulation to the Member and incorporation into Hansard.



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