

NORTHERN TERRITORY PUBLIC SECTOR STAFFING
March Quarter 2026
Measured as Full-Time Equivalent

Agency	2025 Ave Mar Qtr	2025 Ave Dec Qtr	2026 Ave Mar Qtr	Qtly change From Dec 2025	Annual change from Mar Qtr 2025
Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority [^]	31	37	37	-	6
Agriculture and Fisheries	302	299	304	5	2
Attorney General's Department	596	576	591	15	-5
Auditor General's Office	4	5	6	1	2
Chief Minister and Cabinet	293	286	285	-1	-8
Children and Families	556	584	589	5	33
Corporate & Digital Development	1 263	1 203	1 194	-9	-69
Corrections	1 294	1 405	1 454	49	160
Education and Training	4 700	4 958	4 994	36	294
Health	7 421	7 627	7 589	-38	168
Housing, Local Government & Community Development	540	532	548	16	8
Independent Commissioner Against Corruption	22	16	18	2	-4
Jacana Energy	87	83	84	1	-3
Land Development Corporation	15	12	13	1	-2
Lands, Planning and Environment	450	444	443	-1	-7
Legislative Assembly	98	104	102	-2	4
Logistics & Infrastructure	741	739	731	-8	-10
Mining and Energy	166	166	170	4	4
Northern Territory Fire & Emergency Services	356	384	384	-	28
Northern Territory Police Force [^]	2 155	2 208	2 223	15	68
NT Electoral Commission	16	15	14	-1	-2
Ombudsman's Office	17	14	13	-1	-4
People, Sport and Culture	147	150	148	-2	1
Power and Water Corporation	911	882	863	-19	-48
Territory Generation	190	193	193	-	3
Tourism & Hospitality	424	421	427	6	3
Trade, Business & Asian Relations	231	217	225	8	-6
Treasury and Finance	112	104	118	14	6
Total ^{2,3}	23 138	23 664	23 760	96	622

1. Reporting does not include board members.

2. Results are represented as whole figures for ease of reading, with rounding performed at the last stage of calculation for maximum accuracy. Values from X.00 to X.49 are rounded down, and values from X.50 to X.99 are rounded up. Totals may not add due to rounding.

[^] Uniformed Police and the Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority are administered under their own Acts, not under the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*.