

POLICE — PINJARRA — CRIME

**1396. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:**

- (1) Is the minister aware of any concerns from Pinjarra residents about the level of crime and perceived lack of police presence in the area?
- (2) If yes to (1), what action is the minister taking to address the concerns of these residents?
- (3) Does WA Police record the concerns of members of the public?
- (4) If yes to (3), are these records used to adjust operations of police patrols?

**Hon MICHAEL MISCHIN replied:**

On behalf of the Minister for Police, I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1) No.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Pinjarra police regularly speak to members of the public regarding local issues. Concerns are recorded on police intelligence holdings, which are used to target specific actions by Pinjarra staff to resolve these local issues.
- (4) Pinjarra police use public information and crime statistics to regularly target particular problem areas. The operations of the Pinjarra Police Station are tailored for local solutions to these problems.