

PORT HEDLAND VOLUNTARY BUYBACK SCHEME

**1131. Hon COLIN de GRUSSA to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Ports:**

I refer to the Port Hedland voluntary buyback scheme.

- (1) As of 7 December 2021, how many properties have now —
  - (a) accepted offers through the Hedland Maritime Initiative; and
  - (b) settled offers through the Hedland Maritime Initiative?
- (2) Of those properties in (1), how many were purchased by the former owners in 2016 or more recently?
- (3) Of those properties in (1), how many were mortgagee in possession?
- (4) Is the Hedland Maritime Initiative monitoring whether properties in the scheme are being bought back above or below their 2016 value ?
- (5) Can landowners in the Port Hedland West End Improvement Scheme No 1 catchment area claim compensation for injurious affection; and, if yes, how many landowners have made such a claim?

**Hon SUE ELLERY replied:**

I thank the honourable member from some notice of the question.

The information requested is not available in the time provided. An answer will be provided by 14 December 2021.