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STATE DEVELOPMENT — MACRO REALTY PTY LTD

4326. Hon Martin Pritchard to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:

I refer to the Western Australian company Macro Realty Pty Ltd, recently the subject of Australian Securities and Investments Commission, Department of Commerce and State Administrative Tribunal attention, and I ask:

- (a) did any Department of State Development international office take part in, facilitate or otherwise assist Macro Realty Pty Ltd in the promotion of its development and investment projects to potential or actual overseas investors; and
- (b) if yes to (1):
 - (i) which international office provided assistance; and
 - (ii) what was the nature of the assistance provided?

Hon Peter Collier replied:

The Department of State Development advises:

- (1) None of the Western Australian Trade and Investment Offices have had direct contact with, or assisted Macro Realty Pty Ltd in the promotion of its development and investment projects. However, the Middle East office was approached by a potential investor who was undertaking due diligence on a Macro Realty Pty Ltd project in Newman.
- (2) The Middle East office advised the potential investor to undertake appropriate due diligence.