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Hon Colin Tincknell; Hon Stephen Dawson

SOCIAL HOUSING — DWELLINGS

707. Hon COLIN TINCKNELL to the minister representing Minister for Housing:

- (1) Can the government please provide me with
 - (a) the number of dwellings that have been added to the social housing stock in the past three years;
 - (b) the number of dwellings that have been removed from the social housing stock in the past three years; and
 - (c) how many dwellings have been planned and funded, but are not yet complete?
- (2) Can the minister please provide a summary of the reasons for the removal of dwellings from the state housing stock?
- (3) With reference to the minister's answer to question without notice 638 from 18 June this year, why has the government stock of social housing dwellings decreased by more than 1 100 during this term of government?

Hon STEPHEN DAWSON replied:

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

In order to provide a response to this question, the Department of Communities will need to undertake research and therefore an answer is unable to be provided in the required time frame. I ask the honourable member to place this question on notice.