

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES PLAN

988. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the Minister for Mental Health:

- (1) Has the minister received a final copy of the 10-year Mental Health Services Plan?
- (2) If yes to (1), when does the minister anticipate that the final report will be released for public consultation?

Hon HELEN MORTON replied:

- (1)–(2) No; the copy that I received on Friday, which I have not yet read because I have been focused on the Mental Health Bill these last few days, is not the final copy; it is still a draft. I will look at that as soon as I can turn my mind away from the Mental Health Bill. As I have indicated before, the process is that it then has to get support and agreement from government. There is then a process of community and stakeholder consultation while it is in its draft form. The feedback that comes from that process will feed into the final plan.