

COERCIVE CONTROL — LEGISLATION

898. Ms L. METTAM to the Attorney General:

I have a supplementary question. When can we expect to see this proposed legislation introduced?

Mr J.R. QUIGLEY replied:

It will be given high priority. A number of pieces of big legislation are being drafted at the moment but that will be interrupted to give this legislation high priority —

Several members interjected.

The SPEAKER: Order, please!

Ms R. Saffioti interjected.

The SPEAKER: Deputy Premier. The Attorney has the call.

Ms S. Winton interjected.

The SPEAKER: Minister for Community Services, you, too. The Attorney has the call.

Mr J.R. QUIGLEY: I give this Parliament and the community of Western Australia my undertaking that this will be dealt with as a priority in terms of getting the instructions to the drafters.

Several members interjected.

The SPEAKER: Ministers, I am trying to give a member the call for the next question.

Ms S. Winton interjected.

The SPEAKER: You could be the first minister ejected in this term, Minister for Community Services. You do not interject on the Speaker.