

HON SALLY TALBOT — CONSERVATION COMMISSION BRIEFING

562. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the minister representing the Minister for Environment:

I refer the minister to the recent request made by my office seeking approval for me to attend a meeting with a constituent, which was to include an officer from the Conservation Commission of Western Australia. Can the minister outline the reasons why this request was refused?

Hon HELEN MORTON replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of this question. I advise that this information has been provided to me by the Minister for Environment —

I am aware of the request by Hon Sally Talbot's office that was made to my ministerial office on 4 August. In response to this request, on 8 August an invitation from my office was extended to Hon Sally Talbot for a separate, direct briefing with the Conservation Commission. The invitation for Hon Sally Talbot to receive a detailed briefing from the Conservation Commission stands, and I am happy for this to be arranged.