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LANDSDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL — KINDERGARTEN ANNEX

774. Hon MARTIN PRITCHARD to the Minister for Education:

I refer to the recent fire at the Landsdale Primary School kindergarten annex. Can the minister provide information on when a replacement transportable will be available and what level of monetary compensation will be made for the considerable loss of resources inside the schoolroom?

Hon PETER COLLIER replied:

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

The Department of Finance, Building Management and Works and RiskCover are currently assessing the damaged classroom to determine if it can be repaired on site or replaced with another classroom. A decision is expected shortly once specialist consultant reports have been provided. The principal has advised that the school can function without this building for the remainder of the year. The damaged classroom was used by kindergarten students. The value of loss of resources will be determined and compensated through RiskCover.