

HARDSHIP UTILITY GRANT SCHEME — GRANTS

82. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Child Protection:

For each of the utilities Synergy, Horizon, Water Corporation and Alinta in relation to the Hardship Utilities Grant Scheme (HUGS) for May 2013:

- (a) what was the number of approved grants;
- (b) what was the total grant amount; and
- (c) what was the average amount paid?

Hon Helen Morton replied:

(a)

Utility	Number of Approved Grants
Synergy	2,044
Horizon	234
Water Corporation	144
Alinta	593

(b)

Utility	Total Grant Amount
Synergy	\$753,519
Horizon	\$144,203
Water Corporation	\$47,831
Alinta	\$149,556

(c)

Utility	Average Grant Value
Synergy	\$369
Horizon	\$616
Water Corporation	\$332
Alinta	\$252