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Hon Colin De Grussa; Hon Alannah MacTiernan

INVESTMENT ATTRACTION AND NEW INDUSTRIES FUND

983. Hon COLIN de GRUSSA to the minister representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade:

I refer to the announcement of an investment attraction and new industries fund, IANIF, on 30 August 2021, and the accompanying websites managed by the Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation.

- (1) What is the total amount expended in the 2021–22 financial year to date?
- (2) Since 30 August
 - (a) how many projects have applied for funding through the IANIF;
 - (b) how many projects have received funding through the IANIF; and
 - (c) how many companies have moved to WA with the support of this fund, and can the minister please provide a list of those companies?
- (3) Is it correct that despite a \$25 million per year commitment being made, only \$22 million will be available for controlled grants and subsidies?

Hon ALANNAH MacTIERNAN replied:

I thank the member for the question. The Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade has provided the following information.

- (1) No projects have been funded in the 2021–22 year to date.
- (2) Since 30 August, there has been none.
- (3) No.