

DAWESVILLE–BINNINGUP AREA — ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

5566. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

I refer to the 12 recommendations made to the Minister under section 16(e) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* in the Environmental Protection Authority Report 1359 ‘Strategic Environmental Advice on the Dawesville to Binningup Area’, and I ask —

- (1) Has the Minister accepted the recommendations?
- (2) If no to (1), which recommendations have not been accepted and why?
- (3) In relation to each recommendation, what funding and resources has the Minister made available or requested other Ministers make available to implement the recommendation and what is the timeline for implantation?

Hon HELEN MORTON replied:

- (1)–(2) The recommendations were made under Section 16(e) of the Environmental Protection Act 1986, which provides for the EPA to advise the Minister for Environment on environmental matters generally. The EPA’s advice will be taken into consideration in relation to future planning and development decisions in this locality.
- (3) Not applicable.