

PERTH STADIUM — PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE

951. Hon MARTIN PRITCHARD to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to questions without notice 246, 694 and 823 in relation to the proposed stadium footbridge.

- (1) Has the contractor completed design documentation so that procurement details can be finalised; and, if so —
 - (a) will tenders for fabrication of structural elements be advertised; and, if so, when; and
 - (b) if no to (a), why not, given the minister's commitment in his answer to question without notice 823?
- (2) If design documentation has not been completed —
 - (a) when is it expected to be completed; and
 - (b) when are tenders for fabrication expected to be advertised?

Hon JIM CHOWN replied:

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

- (1) No. Design documentation has not been completed.
 - (a) The contractor has requested quotes from 15 steel fabricators. Approximately half of these fabricators are Australian businesses, including several from Western Australia. The contractor will finalise a fabrication order once the final design has been confirmed.
 - (b) See (a).
- (2) November–December 2015.