#### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

# **QUESTIONS**

No. 65

Wednesday, June 11 2003

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- 700. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 702. Hon Murray Criddle to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
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- 760. Hon George Cash to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 764. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
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- 767. Hon Peter Foss to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries

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- 768. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
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- 780. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 781. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
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- 801. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 802. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
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- 804. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 805. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 806. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

# Notice Given Friday, May 16 2003

807. Hon Barbara Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

# Notice Given Tuesday, June 10 2003

- 808. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
- 809. Hon Peter Foss to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 810. Hon Christine Sharp to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 811. Hon Christine Sharp to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
- 812. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 813. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 814. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for Energy
- 815. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 816. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
- 817. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for Energy
- 818. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 819. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 820. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 821. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 822. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

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- 823. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 824. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
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- 826. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
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- 829. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
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QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

# Notice given Wednesday, June 11 2003

- 831. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- (1) Can the Minister inform the House which Government Agencies currently retain ownership or management responsibilities for the Pyrton site in Bassendean?
- (2) Is the Government considering or preparing any development proposal for the Pyrton site?
- (3) Is yes, can you identify the proponent(s) and details of the development proposals?
- (4) With each development proposal can the Minister indicate if it will be -
  - (a) residential;
  - (b) commercial; or
  - (c) industrial?
- (5) What guarantees can the Minister provide that indigenous groups will have joint management of any development at the Pyrton site and access to their culturally significant locations?
- 832. Hon Paddy Embry to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

Further to my question of yesterday, it could be months before the workplace violence prevention strategy is in place, can the Minister please advise what is the Government doing now to improve security for nurses in locations where there is not even a police outpost?

833. Hon Paddy Embry to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth

In relation to calls by Bunbury residents to have public access to a register of convicted paedophiles -

- (1) Can the Minister please outline what procedures are currently in place to protect our children from convicted paedophiles in the community?
- (2) Are special measures undertaken to ensure that these offenders do not take up residence in close proximity to areas frequented by children, such as schools, kindergartens, playgroups, child care centres, playgrounds etc.?

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834. Hon Paddy Embry to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

Can the Minister explain to the Parliament how the Government will monitor and how does it intend to safeguard the health of the Wagerup community following the planned expansion of the Alcoa Wagerup refinery?

- 835. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development
- (1) How much funding did the City of Stirling budget receive for the Resource Recovery Rebate Scheme in -
  - (a) 1999;
  - (b) 2000;
  - (c) 2001; and
  - (d) 2002 budget years?
- (2) How much did they receive from the rebate in those years?
- 836. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

In question on notice No. 10 of September 2002 the Environment Minister stated that 'The developer of the proposed urban re-development program for South Fremantle, South Beach Pty Ltd, ...is the party the DEP considers to be responsible for addressing, remediating and/or managing on-site and offsite contamination associated with the operations of the former foundry...'.

In an email to City of Fremantle councillors on June 7 2003 the former South Beach project manager stated that 'The South Beach developer is not responsible for the remediation of any off-site contamination. We were not the polluter or the authority responsible for allowing any off-site contamination to occur. This is our legal position which has been agreed upon by the DEP/EPA.' -

- (1) Does the Minister stand by the statement in question on notice No. 10 of September 2002?
- (2) Has the DEP/EPA agreed to the position stated to by the former South Beach project manager?
- (3) Will the Minister table all correspondence between the South Beach developer regarding who is responsible for addressing, remediating and/or managing on-site and offsite contamination associated with the operations of the former foundry?
- 837. Hon Peter Foss to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Attorney General
- (1) Is the Attorney General considering requiring, or introducing legislation to require, the retirement of Justices of the Peace who reach a specified age?
- (2) If no, did he propose such legislation and what was the response to such proposal?

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(3) In either case, is it his intention that a Justice of the Peace who retired in such circumstances be entitled to describe themselves in any manner as a Justice of the Peace and if so, in what manner?

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Clerk of the Legislative Council