

RAIL LINES — BELLEVUE RAIL EXTENSION

2109. Mrs L.M. Harvey to the Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands:

- (1) What is the current estimate of the cost of the Bellevue Rail Extension?
- (2) What entities own the land that needs to be acquired for the Bellevue Rail Extension and what is the estimated value of the land?
- (3) What entities own the land that needs to be acquired for the Bellevue Train Station and what is the current estimated value of the land?
- (4) Have any entities approached the Minister regarding the State acquiring land for the Bellevue station or rail extension and if yes, which entity/entities?
- (5) What is the allocation for planning for this project from the \$54.2 million for 2017–18, 2018–19, 2019–20, 2020–21?
- (6) What is the allocation from the \$47.1 million beyond 2020–21 for this project?

Ms R. Saffioti replied:

- (1) \$1.5 million is allocated in the 2017–18 State Budget to develop the necessary Business Case and Project Definition Report for the proposed Bellevue Rail Extension. This work will include development of the cost estimate.
- (2)–(3) Final land requirements will be confirmed as part of the above work, and will be subject to the final location chosen for the station based on engagement with stakeholders.
- (4) As at 10 October 2017, the Minister’s office has not been approached regarding land acquisition for the Bellevue station or rail extension.
- (5)–(6) See answer to part (1).