

STRATEGIC REGIONAL ADVISORY COUNCILS

**1289. Hon ROBIN CHAPPLE to the minister representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

I refer to the two Strategic Regional Advisory Councils.

- (1) Are all eight members of the two councils being remunerated for their position?
- (2) What remuneration package was offered for taking up a role on either council?
- (3) If no to (1), which members are not being remunerated?
- (4) If no to (1), why are those members not being remunerated?

**Hon COL HOLT replied:**

I thank the member for some notice of the question.

- (1) The four Aboriginal community leaders and the not-for-profit representative for each of the Pilbara and the Kimberley councils are eligible for remuneration.
- (2) Based on advice from the Public Sector Commissioner, eligible members are offered sitting fees for meetings at a rate of \$333 for meetings exceeding four hours and \$217 for meetings less than four hours. In addition, eligible members will be reimbursed for travel expenses.
- (3)–(4) Not applicable.