

LOCAL PROJECTS, LOCAL JOBS PROGRAM

875. Hon MICHAEL MISCHIN to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:

I refer to the public funds distributed under the Local Projects, Local Jobs program.

- (1) What due diligence process was put in place for each of the projects concerned?
- (2) What checks were conducted to ensure that candidates who made the election commitments included in the program did not have a conflict of interest and did not benefit projects in which they or their families had an interest?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

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

- (1)–(2) The Department of the Premier and Cabinet has directed all agencies to deliver grants in accordance with relevant procurement processes and requirements, including acquittal reporting.