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QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE 148, 150 AND 160

Answer Advice

HON SUE ELLERY (South Metropolitan — **Minister for Education and Training)** [5.12 pm]: I would like to provide answers to Hon Donna Faragher's question without notice 148, Hon Jacqui Boydell's question without notice 150 and Hon Martin Aldridge's question without notice 160, asked yesterday, which I seek leave to have incorporated into *Hansard*.

Leave granted.

The following material was incorporated —

Question without notice 148 —

(1) Seven.

(2) (a)–(b) 19 December 2017 at Department of Education Central Office, attended by:

Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery;

Regional Executive Director, South Metropolitan Education Region;

Assistant Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery; and

Principal, Canning College.

11 January 2018 at Department of Education Central Office, attended by:

Assistant Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery; and

Principal, Canning College.

29 January 2018 at Department of Education Central Office, attended by:

A/Deputy Director General, Schools;

Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery;

Assistant Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery; and

Principal, Canning College.

30 January 2018 at Canning College, attended by:

Executive Director, Workforce; and

Principal, Canning College; and

Staff of Canning College.

2 February 2018 at Department of Education Central Office, attended by:

Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery;

Director, Financial Services;

Manager, School Funding;

Principal Consultant, Student-Centred Funding Model; and

Principal, Canning College.

21 February 2018 at Department of Education Central Office, attended by:

Executive Director, Workforce; and

Principal, Canning College.

27 February 2018 at Department of Education Central Office, attended by:

Executive Director, Statewide Planning and Delivery;

Principal, Canning College; and

Vice Principal, Canning College.

(3) No. These matters were operational in nature.

Question without notice 150 —

I thank the Hon Member for some notice of this question

- (1) The current cost to primary schools accessing SIDE online language classes is \$6 936 per class per year for new schools accessing the service from 2018. For students in Years 11 and 12 in senior high schools, agricultural colleges and senior colleges, the price is \$1 553 per student.
- (2)–(3) Fees for 2019 have not yet been set.
- (4) For 2018, public primary schools are charged a fee of \$6 936 per year per class of 12-15 students for languages. For all other subjects, there is no fee for primary students.

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For Years 7 - 10, there is no fee for any subject.

For Years 11 and 12 the fee is \$1 553 per student per subject.

Fees for 2019 have not yet been set.

Question without notice 160 —

I thank the Hon Member for some notice of this question

- (1) Following the decision not to proceed with the \$8.7 million upgrade, information was sought to determine if there was any work required to mitigate any risks or non-compliant items at Moora Residential College. The assessment was prepared by a consultant and provided by the architect (Armstrong Parkin Architects) who had been engaged to provide services for the initial project.
- (2) No. There may be other risks and non-compliant items that would need to be addressed if the College were to remain open beyond the end of 2018.
- (3) Further investigations were not pursued following the decision to close the residential college at the end of 2018.
- (4) The reports tabled on 13 March 2018 provide details of the condition of the residential college facilities.