

**MINISTERIAL ANSWERS — FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT  
NORTH WEST SHIPPING SERVICE  
PERTH PARKING LICENCE FEE INCREASES — NORTHBRIDGE LINK**

*Notice of Questions*

**HON KEN TRAVERS (North Metropolitan)** [10.03 am]: Mr President, I also congratulate you. All I can say is that you look a lot younger than that old bloke Mick Murray!

**The PRESIDENT:** I am not bad for 40!

**Hon KEN TRAVERS:** I give notice that at the next sitting of the house I will ask the Minister for Transport the following question —

I refer to the Minister for Transport's request yesterday for me to place my question concerning his compliance with section 82 of the Financial Management Act 2006 on notice, and I ask: does the minister's office have any systems in place to ensure that it has ongoing compliance with the requirements of this act; and, if not, why not?

I have a further question that I wish to place on notice.

**Hon Simon O'Brien:** Put it on notice and I will answer it this afternoon. I am more than happy to answer it.

**Hon KEN TRAVERS:** I have a further question that I wish to place on notice for the next sitting of the house, again to the Minister for Transport. The question reads —

Why has the Minister for Transport not put in place any arrangement for a shipping service to the north west of this state once the current contract expires?

Mr President, I have a third question that I wish to place on notice to the Minister for Transport. It reads —

I refer to the debate on the disallowance of the Perth Parking Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2009, and I ask —

- (1) Why did the Minister for Transport not respond to my question during the debate about whether he had had any conversations about these regulations with any members of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation?
- (2) Has the minister or any member of his staff had any conversations with any member of the Joint Standing Committee on Delegated Legislation about the disallowance of these regulations?
- (3) If yes to (2), who were the discussions with, what was the nature of the discussions and when did they occur?
- (4) Will the Minister for Transport table any documents, including emails, provided to any member of the committee on these regulations?

*Point of Order*

**Hon SIMON O'BRIEN:** A number of those matters are the subject of questions for which answers are already in train or have already been provided to the member. I think that the member is using this agenda item as a device to make a statement that cannot be responded to until the house resumes next March. I think that is an abuse of the rare provision that he is using. If the member wants to ask any of those questions today, I will answer them today at two o'clock. I believe, as a point of order, the member is misusing the process because he has already embarked on other processes to answer those very questions.

Several members interjected.

**The PRESIDENT:** Order, members! We will check against previous questions asked to examine whether Hon Simon O'Brien's point has validity and advise before question time whether that is the case.