

CORRECTIVE SERVICES — REPAY WA

5157. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Corrective Services:

I refer to the Repay WA scheme and ask for each of the years 2014–2015 and 2015–2016 (year to date):

- (a) how many hours of work were performed;
- (b) how many community projects were assisted; and
- (c) what savings for taxpayers eventuated as a result of this work having been performed?

Mr J.M. Francis replied:

The Department of Corrective Services advises:

- (a) 103 498 for 2014–15
75 680 for 1 July 2015 to 15 March 2016
- (b) 206 for 2014–15
165 for 1 July 2015 to 15 March 2016
- (c) The responses are calculated by multiplying the national minimum wage by the number of community work hours performed (part a) and represents the value of the community work service.
\$1 746 011 for 2014–15
\$1 308 507 for 1 July 2015 to 15 March 2016