

HOUSING — OPENING DOORS INITIATIVE

962. Hon ADELE FARINA to the minister representing the Minister for Housing:

I refer to a statement in the *Bunbury Mail* on 30 October 2013 that 1 000 families had realised the dream of owning their own home through the Opening Doors initiative.

- (1) How many of the 1 000 families reside in —
 - (a) Bunbury;
 - (b) greater Bunbury;
 - (c) Busselton; and
 - (d) the South West Region electorate?
- (2) How many of the 1 000 properties were Department of Housing properties previously available as public housing?
- (3) How much money was generated from the sale of these properties?
- (4) How much of the money generated from the sale of the 1 000 properties was paid into consolidated revenue, and how much was quarantined with the Department of Housing for the provision of additional public housing?
- (5) How many properties have been purchased with the money generated from the sale of the 1 000 properties?
- (6) In relation to (5), for each property state —
 - (a) the cost of the property;
 - (b) the type of the property;
 - (c) the size and R-code zoning;
 - (d) whether the property when purchased contained a dwelling that was fit and ready for habitation or needed to be redeveloped;
 - (e) how many people can reside at the property; and
 - (f) the location?

The PRESIDENT: In answer to that concise question, the Minister for Agriculture and Food.

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

Unfortunately, Mr President, it is a very concise answer. The Department of Housing is unable to answer the question in the time provided and requests that the member put the question on notice; and I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.