

TOURISM — LUCKY BAY CAMPSITE FUNDING

250. Mr P.J. RUNDLE to the Minister for Tourism:

I have a supplementary question. I might like to say that the actual project was cut by two-thirds.

The SPEAKER: You are not talking to me, member; you are talking to the minister.

Mr P.J. RUNDLE: As the minister has visited Lucky Bay recently—it was great to host the minister in the electorate of Roe and the Esperance races —

The SPEAKER: Preamble, member!

Mr P.J. RUNDLE: — does the minister agree that the funding his government cut from the site is needed and would provide better facilities for visitors and therefore tourism in the region?

Mr P. PAPALIA replied:

Thanks, member. I suspect the funding came from another portfolio, not necessarily one I can address. Nevertheless, I give him an undertaking that I will always advocate for enhancement of tourism destinations of the calibre and quality of Lucky Bay. I will look into it but I cannot guarantee I have any control over the money he is talking about.