

BANNED DRINKERS REGISTER TRIAL — KIMBERLEY AND PILBARA

611. Hon KEN BASTON to the minister representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming:

- (1) Could the minister please table the liquor restrictions currently in place for the communities of Kununurra, Broome and Port Hedland?
- (2) Is a banned drinkers trial operational at any of these locations?
- (3) If no to (2), is it still the intention of the minister to trial a banned drinkers register in any or all of these towns?
- (4) If yes to (3), when will the banned drinkers register be trialled and at which locations?

Hon ALANNAH MacTIERNAN replied:

I thank the member for the question. The Minister for Racing and Gaming has provided the following information.

- (1) I table the attached document.

[See paper 2764.]

- (2) No.
- (3) A banned drinkers register will be trialled Pilbara-wide, including in Port Hedland.
- (4) The trial will commence as soon as practicable following the Liquor Commission's decision on Pilbara-wide restrictions across all towns in the Pilbara region. Scanning devices will be used in licensed takeaway alcohol venues, as well as in Australia Post offices.