

GOLDFIELDS–ESPERANCE DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

**66. Hon ROBIN CHAPPLE to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

I refer to the Goldfields–Esperance Development Commission.

- (1) How many positions are vacant on the board and why?
- (2) Who respectively made recommendations for the appointment of Jon Price, Tracy Browning and John Bowler to the board?
- (3) Who respectively appointed Jon Price, Tracy Browning and John Bowler to the board?
- (4) Who made recommendations for the appointment of Robert Hicks to be the chief executive officer of the GEDC?
- (5) Who appointed Robert Hicks to be the chief executive officer of the GEDC?
- (6) Who recommended and who appointed Graham Thompson as the former chairman of the GEDC?

**Hon COL HOLT replied:**

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1) Four, with three due to term expiry and one due to resignation.
- (2)–(3) The Minister for Regional Development recommends regional development commission board appointments to cabinet for approval by cabinet.
- (4)–(5) This question should be addressed to the Public Sector Commissioner.
- (6) Please refer to answer to (2).