

MOORA RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE — SCOPE OF WORKS

**160. Hon MARTIN ALDRIDGE to the Minister for Education and Training:**

I refer to the minister's comments in October 2017 in relation to Moora Residential College, and I quote —

The relevant consultants are determining a scope of works with estimated costs to mitigate the risks and non-compliance items.

- (1) Which consultants were engaged by the Department of Education or its representative to undertake this work, and what was their brief?
- (2) Given that the only report commissioned and tabled by the minister was the fire compliance upgrade report of 9 October 2017, would it be reasonable to conclude that there are no other risks or noncompliant items at the college?
- (3) If no to (2), given the minister's October 2017 statement, why were other reports not commissioned?
- (4) If reports on the college's condition are incomplete, on what information has the minister based her decision to close the college—that is, citing the high cost of capital improvement required?

**Hon SUE ELLERY replied:**

For the sake of the record, I reiterate that I have been at the table of the chamber this afternoon and have been unable to sign off on prepared answers. I am not able to provide the member with an answer today but I will provide it tomorrow.