

EDUCATION — BANKSIA GROVE — PRIMARY SCHOOL LAND

5386. Ms R. Saffioti to the minister representing the Minister for Education:

I refer to the Banksia Grove suburb and ask:

- (a) has the Government purchased any land for new primary schools in Banksia Grove, and if yes what is the location of this land; and
- (b) has the Government committed funding for a new school in Banksia Grove, and if no, when is the Government planning to build a new primary school in Banksia Grove?

Mrs L.M. Harvey replied:

- (a) Two sites have been earmarked for future new primary schools in Banksia Grove. They are:
Banksia Grove West located on the corner of Grandis Boulevard and Joseph Banks Boulevard. This site is held in the name of the Minister for Education and it was transferred free of cost; and
Banksia Grove East located on the corner of Elderiana Link and Alpine Promenade. This site has not yet been transferred from the Housing Authority to the Minister for Education. It will be transferred free of cost at a later date.
 - (b) No funding has been committed to construct a new primary school in Banksia Grove at present. The Department will continue to monitor enrolments and housing developments to determine when new schools are required.
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