

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES —
ORGANISATION AND REPORTING ARRANGEMENTS

347. Hon SIMON O'BRIEN to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Community Services:

My question was initially addressed to the Leader of the House in her capacity representing the Premier, but I understand it has been redirected to the Leader of the House in her capacity representing the Minister for Community Services. It is our number C383 and is in two parts.

- (1) Will the minister please table an organisation chart or other documentation showing the organisation and reporting arrangements that will apply within the new Department of Community Services?
- (2) Apart from the departmental organisation referred to in (1), to which minister or ministers will the department report in respect of operational and policy matters and internal administrative matters?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. I will give the honourable member the answer. If he thinks he needs further information from this answer, please see me behind the Chair and I will see what I can arrange, because I am not sure that it will give the member everything that he asked for.

- (1)–(2) The Department of Communities will comprise the following divisions: strategy and policy, commercial and corporate operations, child protection and family support, disability services, housing, commissioning and compliance, regulation and concessions, reform and transformation, and youth justice services—to transition over the next six months. The department will report to ministers with portfolio responsibilities relating to the functions of the department.