

COMMUNITY SUPPORTED RESIDENTIAL UNITS — MANDURAH

169. Hon LINDA SAVAGE to the minister representing the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the community supported residential units proposed for Mandurah.

- (1) What is the capital budget for the Mandurah community supported residential units?
- (2) How many dwellings will be or have been purchased and/or constructed by the Department of Housing for the Mandurah community supported residential units?
- (3) When will these dwellings be available for clients?
- (4) Will these dwellings be units or houses, and how many will be available through this service delivery model?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question. The Department of Housing advises —

- (1) Under an agreement between the Mental Health Commission and the Department of Housing, the department is providing accommodation across the south metropolitan area to meet Mandurah CSRU requirements. Property allocations under this program are supplied from new social housing stock. The total construction budget, excluding land, is estimated to be \$4 million.
- (2) Twenty-five.
- (3) To date, nine units have been completed and allocated. The balance will be supplied over the next 12 months as new construction is completed.
- (4) The 25 dwellings in the southern suburbs will be self-contained apartments or townhouses.