

BALDIVIS EXPLOSIVES SITE — RELOCATION

770. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:

I refer to the relocation of the Baldivis explosives site to state forest in the Shire of Harvey.

- (1) What other industries will be co-located at the proposed site?
- (2) What community consultation has there been in the Shire of Harvey?
- (3) How many people have participated in the consultation?
- (4) What concerns have been expressed about the new site?
- (5) What time line has been set for the consultation process?
- (6) When will the proposed relocation take place?

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question. The Department of Mines and Petroleum advises —

- (1) None.
- (2) Meetings with local parliamentary member, both Shire of Harvey and Shire of Waroona councils, Preston Beach Association and adjacent landowners.
- (3) The exact number is not known.
- (4) Concerns were expressed about the site access, in and out. This led to a realignment of the reserve boundary and site entrance to accommodate the shire request.
- (5) Individual meetings and briefings, organised by the Department of Mines and Petroleum and LandCorp, occurred at the end of 2013, with updates provided in mid-2014.
- (6) December 2016 into 2017.