

ENVIRONMENT — LOT 20 ADELAIDE STREET HAZELMERE — CONVENOR'S REPORT

5316. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Environment:

- (1) The Office of Appeals Convenor is expected to provide a report to the Minister for Environment, on appeals lodged against the Environmental Protection Authority's decision to not assess the proposal by excavation, remediation and development of a Department of Environment Regulation listed 'Contaminated' site at Lot 20 Adelaide Street, Hazelmere, and I ask:
 - (a) is the Convenor still considering the appeals:
 - (i) is the Convenor meeting with appellants;
 - (ii) is the Convenor set to again meet with the proponent;
 - (iii) how many meetings has the Convenor already had with the proponent;
 - (iv) how many emails, letters and phone calls have been had between the proponent and the Convenor; and
 - (v) when did the appeal period end?
- (2) When is it expected that the Convenor's report will be received by the Minister:
 - (a) and if it is already with the Minister:
 - (i) when will the Minister release the report along with the recommendations?

Mr A.P. Jacob replied:

- (1)–(2) The matter is still under appeal investigation. The appeal period closed on 23 November 2015. As is standard practice, the Office of the Appeals Convenor has corresponded and met with appellants and the proponent and its representatives in relation to the lodgement of the appeals, The Appeals Convenor will submit her report and recommendations to me on completion of her investigation on this matter. The Appeals Convenors report will be publicly available once I have made an appeal determination.