

TUART BROOK DEVELOPMENT — BUNBURY

1134. Hon ADELE FARINA to the minister representing the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the proposed Tuart Brook development in Bunbury.

- (1) Will the minister table the feasibility study?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) When was the feasibility study completed?
- (4) When was the decision made not to proceed with the proposed development?
- (5) When was the decision not to proceed communicated to the City of Bunbury?

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1) No; however, I am happy for the Department of Housing to brief the member.
- (2) By exposing the department's methodology for feasibility assessment, it could undermine its ability to conduct objective due diligence and value-for-money assessment of future proposals presented by industry partners.
- (3) The feasibility study was completed in late October 2013.
- (4) The decision not to proceed with the proposed development was made on 13 December 2013.
- (5) The decision not to proceed was communicated to the City of Bunbury on 16 December 2013.