

AGRICULTURE — DOPPLER RADAR

1408. Hon NIGEL HALLETT to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:

The Minister for Agriculture and Food advised recently that his department is in receipt of a final draft of a report into the availability of mobile phone and Doppler coverage in Western Australia.

- (1) When does the acting executive director of business plan to release the report to the public?
- (2) Will the report be released to the public in its entirety?
- (3) If not to (2), why not?

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

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

- (1) The final draft of the report into the availability of mobile phone and Doppler radar coverage has been reviewed and the consultants are currently finalising the report. The final report is expected to be delivered to the Department of Agriculture and Food next week.
- (2) Yes. The department will distribute the report to key stakeholders and seek comments ahead of providing me with advice on the report.
- (3) Not applicable.