

TAXI SERVICES — PLATE ISSUE

2916. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Transport

- (1) How many taxi plates were issued in 2009-2010, and what type of plate was issued?
- (2) If any plates were area restricted, please detail the areas approved for operators?
- (3) How many plates have been issued or are currently planned to be issued in each month of 2010-11?
- (4) In relation to (3), will you please provide details of the type of plates and any area restrictions?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

- (1) In 2009-10 financial year, nil.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3)-(4) Conventional government lease plates —

July 2010	13 plates
August 2010	14 plates
September 2010	14 plates
October 2010	8 plates
November 2010	1 plate

Peak period government lease plates — a maximum of eight per month after applications have been assessed.

Area restricted government lease plates — a maximum of five per month after applications have been assessed (individual allocations to particular areas will depend on the number of successful applications received).

Applications for the latest release of peak period and area restricted government lease plates close on 12 November 2010.