

BUSSELTON HOSPITAL — PUBLIC-PRIVATE ARRANGEMENTS

1011. Hon ADELE FARINA to the minister representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to question without notice 715 in relation to Busselton Hospital.

- (1) Have negotiations been completed with the private sector; and, if not, when is it expected that they will be completed?
- (2) Has there been any discussion about alternative sites for the location of the hospital; and, if yes —
 - (a) who took part in those discussions; and
 - (b) what alternative sites have been considered?
- (3) Have any site evaluations been undertaken since 23 September 2008; and, if yes, what sites were evaluated?
- (4) If alternative sites are considered, will they be subject to any community consultation?
- (5) If no to (4), why not?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

I thank the honourable member for notice of the question.

- (1) Yes.
- (2)–(3) No.
- (4)–(5) Not applicable.