

DEPARTMENT OF STATE DEVELOPMENT — ABORIGINAL HERITAGE ACT 1972 —
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

481. Hon ROBIN CHAPPLE to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:

I refer to submissions on the proposed amendments to the Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972.

- (1) What role does or will the Department of State Development as the lead agency have in oversight or in evaluating the proposed amendments to the Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972?
- (2) Will the Department of State Development as the lead agency have input into the final report?
- (3) If yes to either (1) or (2), which officers from DSD will be or are involved?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of this question. On behalf of the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development, I provide the following response —

- (1)–(2) The Department of State Development is not the lead agency for this matter.
- (3) Not applicable.