

WATER CORPORATION — ASBESTOS — MINNIVALE

1272. Hon KATE DOUST to the minister representing the Minister for Water:

I refer to the exposure of Water Corporation staff and contractors to asbestos at Minnivale reservoir.

- (1) Has the incident cause analysis method—ICAM—investigation into what occurred during the refurbishment of the reservoir been completed; and —
 - (a) if not, when will it be completed; and
 - (b) when will the report be released?
- (2) Has a project been started to review asbestos management across the business; and, if yes —
 - (a) what are the terms of that review;
 - (b) who is doing the review;
 - (c) when will the review be complete; and
 - (d) how much will it cost?
- (3) How many people are now known to have been exposed to asbestos, including those involved in the transportation of the asbestos and its disposal at the Northam tip?
- (4) Has all the asbestos now been located and disposed of, consistent with the appropriate disposal of asbestos procedures; and, if not, why not?

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

I do not have that answer. I definitely signed off on that answer also. It is not in my file.

The PRESIDENT: We have a lot of answers coming up at the end of question time.