

PICABAR — PERTH CULTURAL CENTRE PRECINCT

1058. Hon MICHAEL MISCHIN to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:

- (1) Has the minister had any discussions with third parties regarding the lease of the current Picabar site; and, if so, when, with whom and what was discussed?
- (2) Is the minister aware of any discussions or negotiations between —
 - (a) any of his staff;
 - (b) any of the department heads of the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries; or
 - (c) the Perth Theatre Trust;and third parties regarding the lease of the current Picabar site?
- (3) If yes to (2), who was that party or parties, and when and with whom did those discussions occur and what was discussed or negotiated?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

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

- (1)–(3) Apart from discussions with the current parties to the lease, no.