

DOG REGISTRATION FEES — CONCESSIONS

5930. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Local Government

Will the Minister ensure the Government continues the rebate for currently eligible applicants on dog registration fees to the end of the Barnett Government's term in March 2013; and

(a) if not, why not?

Mr G.M. CASTRILLI replied:

The Dog Regulations 1976 provide for a 50% reduction for registration fees payable for the registration of dogs owned by eligible pensioners as defined in the Rates and Charges (Rebates and Deferments) Act 1992.

I have no intention of removing this eligibility.