

BANKSIA HILL DETENTION CENTRE — DETAINEE MANAGEMENT

**914. Mr P. PAPALIA to the Minister for Corrective Services:**

I have a supplementary question. Is it true that the minister has lost control of Banksia Hill —

Several members interjected.

**The SPEAKER:** That is enough!

**Mr P. PAPALIA:** —and there is now a declared competition between juvenile accommodation units to see who can create the most havoc and damage?

**Mr J.M. FRANCIS replied:**

I tell you what, Mr Speaker: I have complete faith in James McMahon, DSC, DSM, to tell me the truth and ensure that he has the right team in that place to run it than I would ever have in the member for Warnbro.

**Mr D.J. Kelly** interjected.

**The SPEAKER:** That is enough, member for Bassendean!

**Mr J.M. FRANCIS:** The member would still have the former commissioner there. I know he would —

**Mr P. Papalia:** It is a competition; they are having a competition with each other.

**Mr J.M. FRANCIS:** — because he does not ground truth, he just listens to the union. He just listens to all the rubbish that comes out of that union. The member for Warnbro needs to go out and talk to some of the real people out there.

**Mr P. Papalia:** They have a competition!

**Mr J.M. FRANCIS:** The member for Warnbro and I would both know one out there. He and I would have both served with someone out there. He is a very successful man and a brilliant leader. The member should go out and ask him what is happening instead of just listening to Toni Walkington and the Community and Public Sector Union–Civil Service Association of WA.

**Mr D.J. Kelly** interjected.

**The SPEAKER:** I think the member for Bassendean might be getting an early rest!