

BUNBURY PORT AUTHORITY — INVOICING PRACTICES

4528. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

I refer to the Bunbury Port Authority and ask —

- (1) Do companies that regularly export through the Port have contracts with the Port Authority or are services provided on a fee for service basis?
- (2) How long after a service is provided by the Port is an invoice issued by the Port Authority?
- (3) What are the standard payment terms for companies that use Port Authorities services?
- (4) What actions does the Port Authority take if a debt is overdue?
- (5) Which companies have a current lease for space within the Port?
- (6) Is the Port Authority up to date with the issuing of invoices?
- (7) What is the value of debts that are more than 30 days overdue and how many separate debtors are involved?
- (8) What is the value of debts that are more than 90 days overdue and how many separate debtors are involved?
- (9) What is the value of debts that are more than 6 months overdue and how many separate debtors are involved?
- (10) What is the value of debts that are more than a year overdue and how many separate debtors are involved?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

The Bunbury Port Authority advises:

- (1) Fee for service basis.
- (2) As soon as practicably possible.
- (3) 30 days.
- (4) Appropriate recovery action is initiated.
- (5) Australian Customs and Border Protection Service  
Alcoa of Australia Limited  
Australian Renewable Fuels  
City of Bunbury  
Newmont Boddington Gold  
Bunbury Lifeboat Foundation  
Cable Sands (WA) Pty Ltd  
Crown Castle Australia Pty Ltd  
Doral Mineral Sands Pty Ltd  
Dynea Australia Pty Ltd  
The Griffin Coal Mining Company  
Hansol PI Pty Ltd  
Iluka Resources Limited  
Kemerton Silica Sand  
Department of Water  
Naval Reserve Cadets  
Quantum Filtration Medium Pty Ltd  
Southern Seawater Joint Venture  
Talisson Minerals Pty Ltd  
Tiwest Pty Ltd  
Vincoll Electrics Pty Ltd  
WA Billboards  
WA Chip & Pulp Pty Ltd  
BHP Billiton Worsley Alumina Pty Ltd  
Western Tourist Radio  
Wren Oil
- (6) Yes

- (7) As at 1 September 2011 — \$185 439 — 29 debtors
- (8) As at 1 September 2011 — \$9 791 — 1 debtor
- (9) As at 1 September 2011 — \$9 791 — 1 debtor
- (10) As at 1 September 2011 — Nil.