

CITY OF JOONDALUP — JOONDALUP PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE

**559. Hon KEN TRAVERS to the minister representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

- (1) Has the City of Joondalup requested a government contribution towards a Joondalup performing arts centre?
- (2) If yes, has the government undertaken, or will it undertake, any assessment of the request?
- (3) Which agency will undertake this assessment?
- (4) When will the assessment be completed?

**Hon COL HOLT replied:**

On behalf of the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts, I thank the member for some notice of the question.

- (1) The City of Joondalup has not formally applied to the Department of Culture and the Arts for funding.
- (2) The Department of Culture and the Arts and the Department of Treasury would undertake an assessment of any formal request and/or business case. The Department of Culture and the Arts has previously provided preliminary advice to the City of Joondalup on the proposal for the performing arts centre.
- (3) The Department of Culture and the Arts, in association with the Department of Treasury, will undertake the assessment.
- (4) It will be completed subsequent to submission of a formal application for funding.