

LOTTERYWEST — COMMISSION RATES

**110. Hon COLIN de GRUSSA to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

I refer to commission rates payable by Lotterywest to its retailers across Western Australia and published online.

- (1) How are the commission rates determined?
- (2) Are the various rates of commission subject to periodical reviews and what is the time frame for those reviews?
- (3) Is the government or Lotterywest currently reviewing the commission payable to Lotterywest retailers?
- (4) If yes to (3), please table the terms of reference for this review.

**Hon SUE ELLERY replied:**

I thank the member for the question.

- (1) The commission rates payable by Lotterywest to its retailers are determined primarily using comparative data offered by other Australian lottery jurisdictions to ensure that Lotterywest commissions remain competitive.
- (2) Retailer commission rates are reviewed by the Lotterywest board as part of the normal annual budget submission process.
- (3) Lotterywest is currently undertaking a review of its distribution model, which includes engagement with Lotterywest retailers regarding issues confronting the retail network. The last commission rate review occurred in November 2017.
- (4) Not applicable.

**The PRESIDENT:** I give the call to Hon Robin Scott, who, I understand, members, is having a birthday today!