

TONKIN HIGHWAY ALIGNMENT

919. Hon LINDA SAVAGE to the minister representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the new preferred Tonkin Highway alignment of the Perth–Darwin national highway and the intention of the state government to seek funding support from the national government as part of the next round of the National Building Program in 2014–15. Does the proposal put forward by the state government include appropriate overpasses at the following locations: along the Tonkin Highway alignment; Collier Road; Morley Drive; Benara Road; Reid Highway; and Marshall Road?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

I thank the honourable member for notice of the question. Because of other business I have had in the house, I was not able to obtain an answer that is satisfactory to me. I will have to follow that question up and provide it to the member on a subsequent sitting day.