

TRANSPORT — ARMADALE ROAD — DUAL CARRIAGEWAY UPGRADE

595. Mrs L.M. Harvey to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the \$145 million Armadale Road dual carriageway upgrade between Anstey Road and Tapper Road project, and ask:

- (a) Has a business case been produced;
- (b) Will this project go out to a competitive tendering process;
- (c) If no to (b) has the renegotiation been completed with the Roe 8 Alliance;
- (d) When will this project start;
- (e) If yes to (a) please table the business case;
- (f) If no to (e), why not;
- (g) How many direct jobs will this project create;
- (h) How many indirect jobs will this project create; and
- (i) What is the expected completion date?

Ms R. Saffioti replied:

- (a) Yes.
- (b) The project was awarded to the former Roe 8 alliance as part of the renegotiated contract for the Roe 8 project.
- (c) Yes.
- (d) Construction is expected to commence in late 2017.
- (e) The business case will be tabled with appropriate redactions to commercially confidential information. [See tabled paper no 375.]
- (f) N/A.
- (g)–(h) The project is estimated to create approximately 850 direct and indirect jobs.
- (i) Late 2019 to early 2020.