

TRAIN SERVICES — RAILCAR COLLISION

5543. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

- (1) Has an investigation been undertaken into the railcar collision on 5 October 2011?
- (2) If yes to (1), has it been completed, and will the Minister table a copy?
- (3) If no to (1), when will an investigation be completed into the incident?
- (4) What was the cause of the incident?
- (5) Was anyone injured, and if yes what were the nature of the injuries?
- (6) What was the damage to the trains?
- (7) What was the cost of repairs?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

The Public Transport Authority advises:

- (1) Yes
- (2) The release of the report will be considered and actioned if deemed appropriate.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Human error.
- (5) Six people reported injuries.
- (6) Fractures in device on the railcars.
- (7) \$12,294 plus GST.