

LOTTERYWEST

1816. Hon Colin Holt to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal–State Relations:

I refer to Lotterywest, and I ask:

- (a) how much have Western Australians contributed to the national pool for the financial years 2015–16, 2016–17 and 2017–18;
- (b) how much has been returned to Western Australians through winning dividends for the years 2015–16, 2016–17 and 2017–18;
- (c) what percentage of players used the Lotterywest app for the years 2015–16, 2016–17 and 2017–18;
- (d) has a point of consumption tax been considered for lotteries; and
- (e) has the Premier or Cabinet considered selling Lotterywest?

Hon Sue Ellery replied:

- (a) West Australians have contributed the following amounts to the national pool for the financial years 2015–16, 2016–17, 2017–18:

2015–16	2016–17	2017–18
\$431,574,620	\$397,723,484	\$407,006,049

- (b) The following has been returned to Western Australians through winning dividends for the financial years 2015–16, 2016–17, 2017–18:

	2015–16	2016–17	2017–18
Total Winnings on All Games	\$599,808,955	\$441,113,831	\$463,490,975
Total Winnings on National Games	\$533,772,651	\$376,462,025	\$389,995,592

- (c) The percentage of players that used the Lotterywest app for the years 2015–16, 2016–17, 2017–18:

2015–16	2016–17	2017–18
2.03%	3.48%	4.83%

- (d) No Comment.
- (e) No comment.