

GENDER REASSIGNMENT BOARD

111. Hon Dr BRIAN WALKER to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer the Attorney General to the government's commitment, made by him in December 2022, to abolish the Gender Reassignment Board of Western Australia as a priority issue.

- (1) What actions has the government taken to fulfil this promise over the past 15 months?
- (2) What reassurances can the Attorney give to members of the LGBTIQA+ community who were told by the media more than a year ago that this was a done deal and that they have not subsequently been forgotten by the Cook government?

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question. The following answer has been provided to me by the Attorney General.

- (1)–(2) The Cook government is committed to repealing the Gender Reassignment Act 2000 and abolishing the Gender Reassignment Board. Legislation to implement the reform is currently under development and will be introduced to Parliament as soon as it is ready. The Cook government will continue to work alongside the LGBTIQA+ community to deliver positive outcomes.