

SUICIDES — CORONIAL INFORMATION

552. Hon LJILJANNA RAVLICH to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the number of suicides in Western Australia recorded on the national coronial information system. How many people died by suicide in each of the regional health districts from 1 April 2011 to 30 June 2011 in the following categories —

- (a) over 25 years;
- (b) under 25 years;
- (c) over 25 years for Aboriginal people; and
- (d) under 25 years for Aboriginal people?

Hon MICHAEL MISCHIN replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. The coroner's office does not record data according to regional health districts, and the following information is based on coronial jurisdictional regions. Please note that answers (a) and (b) do not include figures for Aboriginal people, and that the figures provided are provisional and subject to final determination by a coroner.

- (a) Albany, three; Broome, two; Bunbury, four; Carnarvon, one; Geraldton, two; Kalgoorlie, zero; Kununurra, zero; Northam, one; and South Hedland, zero.
- (b) Albany, one; Broome, two; Bunbury, three; Carnarvon, zero; Geraldton, zero; Kalgoorlie, two; Kununurra, zero; Northam, zero; and South Hedland, zero.
- (c) Albany, zero; Broome, zero; Bunbury, zero; Carnarvon, zero; Geraldton, zero; Kalgoorlie, zero; Kununurra, zero; Northam, zero; and South Hedland, zero.
- (d) Albany, zero; Broome, three; Bunbury, zero; Carnarvon, zero; Geraldton, zero; Kalgoorlie, one; Kununurra, zero; Northam, zero; and South Hedland, zero.