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WOODSIDE ENERGY — PREMIER

964. Hon Dr BRAD PETTITT to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:

I refer to the answer to question without notice 913 asked yesterday, Tuesday, 29 August.

- (1) Will the Premier provide the names of the Woodside Energy representatives present for the meetings held on
 - (a) 21 June 2023;
 - (b) 18 July 2023;
 - (c) 24 July 2023;
 - (d) 15 August 2023; and
 - (e) 22 August 2023?
- What was the subject matter, and will the Premier table the minutes for each of the meetings referred to in (1)?
- (3) If no to (2), why not?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1) No. It would not be appropriate to name individuals from a private company on the public record without the knowledge or consent of those individuals. All private individuals have a right to privacy.
- (2) As the Premier and Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade, it is essential to meet with resources companies operating in Western Australia. The meetings were general in nature and related to the company's projects. No minutes of these meetings exist.
- (3) See the answer to (1).