

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT — COST RECOVERY

20. Hon NEIL THOMSON to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Environment:

I refer to cost recovery guidelines published on the state government website under “Environment information services” entitled “Cost recovery: Part IV Environmental Protection Act” as of 23 February 2024.

- (1) Why are the guidelines deemed interim?
- (2) When will this guidance be updated?
- (3) Is there a review proposal underway?
- (4) If yes to (3), when will that be finalised and will there be public consultation?

Hon DARREN WEST replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. Unfortunately, a response to this question will be answered tomorrow, Wednesday, 28 February 2024.