

FORRESTFIELD–AIRPORT LINK — GREAT EASTERN HIGHWAY PROJECT — SPOIL

**334. Hon Dr STEVE THOMAS to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport:**

Some notice of this question was given on 22 February.

- (1) As at 22 February 2023, what is the current volume of spoil extracted from the Forrestfield–Airport Link project and stockpiled at 777 Abernethy Road, Forrestfield?
- (2) As at that date, what volume of stockpiled FAL spoil had been utilised on the Great Eastern Highway bypass project commenced in November 2022?
- (3) What government or private contractor is responsible for the transport of the spoil from Forrestfield to the Great Eastern Highway project?
- (4) What occupational health and safety protocols and protective regimes and governmental monitoring oversight have been applied to the transport of the spoil from Forrestfield to the Great Eastern Highway project?

**Hon SUE ELLERY replied:**

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

- (1) It is approximately 564 000 cubic metres.
- (2) Approximately 36 000 cubic metres had been utilised.
- (3) It is Main Roads WA’s main works contractor for the Great Eastern Highway bypass interchanges project.
- (4) Given the low levels of PFAS in the soil, standard construction occupational health and safety protocols are being applied. As previously stated, the concentrations of PFAS in the soil are below the human health and ecological assessment criteria in the national environmental management plan.