

BIODIVERSITY, CONSERVATION AND ATTRACTIONS — EXPENDITURE — STATE FOREST ROADS

819. Hon STEVE MARTIN to the minister representing the Minister for Environment:

I refer to the ongoing costs of maintaining our forests.

- (1) For each of the last 10 financial years, what was the total expenditure by the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions on maintaining roads —
 - (a) in state forests closed to harvesting activities; and
 - (b) in state forests available to harvesting activities?
- (2) For each answer to (1)(a) and (b), how was this funded?

Hon STEPHEN DAWSON replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. The following answer has been provided by the Minister for Environment.

The production of this information will divert staff resources from their usual work, and it is not possible to provide the information requested in the time frame. I request that the member place this question on notice.