

GAS SUPPLY — ESPERANCE

42. Mr P.J. RUNDLE to the Minister for Energy:

I have a supplementary question. Thanks for the comprehensive explanation, minister. I just worry about —
Several members interjected.

The SPEAKER: Members! If there is advice to be given to the member on his feet, I will give it.

Mr P.J. RUNDLE: As I said, 85 per cent of businesses are not connected yet. I appreciate the minister's explanation, but I also worry about some people on lower incomes and in state housing. That is where my concerns are.

Mr D.J. Kelly interjected.

The SPEAKER: Maybe leave it to the member for Landsdale!

Mr W.J. JOHNSTON replied:

With respect to the Department of Communities, the department's houses are all completed. If the member had taken the opportunity to have a briefing, he would have known that before he asked the question.