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McGOWAN GOVERNMENT — ACCOUNTABILITY

Notice of Motion

Hon Dr Steve Thomas (Leader of the Opposition) gave notice that at the next sitting of the house he would move —

That this house notes —

- (a) the Premier's 2017 commitment in opposition of a "gold standard of transparency", which he has failed to deliver;
- (b) the concerns raised by the annual report of the Office of the Auditor General, which highlights multiple qualified audit opinions;
- (c) the declining standard of parliamentary accountability under the McGowan government;
- (d) the contempt that has crept into the government in relation to accountability, resulting in a loss of community confidence;

and calls on the government to try to make a genuine attempt to live up to its 2017 election commitment.