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## CORONAVIRUS — HEALTH MODELLING — OMICRON VARIANT

## 73. Hon NICK GOIRAN to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the Minister for Health's commitment last week to release the Omicron modelling when it is complete.

- (1) On what date was the request made to the Chief Health Officer for this modelling?
- (2) Who made the request?
- (3) Will the minister table a copy of the request?
- (4) When is the requested task expected to be complete?

## **Hon SUE ELLERY replied:**

There are a few questions in the honourable member's name. Can the member give me a number?

Hon Nick Goiran: It is 090.

Hon SUE ELLERY: I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

(1)–(4) The Department of Health has been collating data to inform modelling of the impact of Omicron since the variant was detected in Australia. The modelling is now complete and has been uploaded to the WA government webpage.