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GRIFFIN COAL — LIQUIDATOR

1256. Hon Dr STEVE THOMAS to the minister representing the Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade:

I refer to my question without notice 120 of 22 February 2023, the removal of Cor Cordis as liquidators of the insolvent Griffin Coal and the appointment of WLP Restructuring as the new liquidator of Griffin Coal.

- (1) On what date was the government advised of the termination of Cor Cordis as liquidator of Griffin Coal?
- (2) What engagement, and in what format, has the government had or undertaken with Mr Glenn Livingstone and Mr Scott Pascoe of WLP Restructuring since their appointment as new liquidators of Griffin Coal?
- (3) At any stage during Cor Cordis's tenure as liquidator to Griffin Coal, did Mr Thomas Birch or Mr Jeremy Nipps provide any advice, opinion or assessment to the government regarding the enforcement of Griffin Coal's contract with Bluewaters Power?
- (4) If yes to (3), what was that advice, opinion or assessment, and in what format was it relayed to government?

Hon STEPHEN DAWSON replied:

I thank the Leader of the Opposition for some notice of the question. Given that the question was asked on 10 October, the answer is current as of that date.

- (1) On 29 September 2023.
- (2) The government has had no engagement with WLP Restructuring since its appointment as the liquidator of Griffin Coal.
- (3) No.
- (4) Not applicable.