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FINANCE — MAJOR PROJECTS

613. Hon COLIN de GRUSSA to the Minister for Finance:

I refer to the 12 projects sitting within the major projects directorate of the Department of Finance.

- (1) For each project, will the minister please outline the project name, scope and total cost?
- Will the minister please identify which of the projects have been subject to a stage 3 major infrastructure proposals assessment by Infrastructure WA?

Hon JACKIE JARVIS replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. The following response has been provided by the Minister for Finance and I answer on her behalf.

I seek leave to have the response incorporated into *Hansard*.

[Leave granted for the following material to be incorporated.]

(1) The 12 projects are:

Aboriginal Cultural Centre Project

Scope—Significant commitment toward community engagement, planning, design and seed capital for an Aboriginal Cultural Centre which will celebrate and promote the diverse cultures, heritage and experiences of Western Australia's Aboriginal people and communities. The centre will aim to inspire visitors to explore all regions of the State to enjoy first-hand the unique experiences available in Western Australia.

Total cost—\$54 million approved plus Federal Labor commitment for additional \$50 million; final cost to be determined upon completion of business case and project definition plan.

Bunbury Regional Hospital Redevelopment Project

Scope—Investment in the Bunbury Hospital including new clinical tower block with medical wards, intensive care/high dependency units, and mental health and emergency department services.

Total cost—\$277.9 million

Casuarina Prison Expansion Stage 2 Project

Scope—Additional accommodation units and expanded support facilities and specialised infrastructure at the existing maximum security men's prison.

Total cost—\$203.7 million

WA Emergency Management Training Centre

Scope—To commence site acquisition and development of project definition plan for a new modern emergency services training academy to replace the aging Forrestfield facility.

Total cost—\$1.7 million to complete project definition plan.

New Metropolitan Facility for the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development

Scope—New world-class biosecurity and research facilities to protect and grow Western Australia's primary industries for future generations featuring modern laboratory and technical workspaces for about 350 staff located at Murdoch University's Perth Campus.

Total cost—\$320 million

Screen Production Facility

Scope—Development of Western Australia's screen industry through an investment in a Screen Production Facility and Screen Production Attraction Fund.

Total cost—\$107 million

Geraldton Health Campus Redevelopment Project

Scope—Redevelopment of existing Geraldton Hospital Health Campus including new and expanded Emergency Department, new mental health short stay unit, new integrated mental health services, new Intensive Care/High Dependency Unit and associated site engineering works.

Total cost—\$122.7 million

Graylands Hospital Redevelopment

Scope—Stage 1 of the Graylands Hospital expansion, with 53 new forensic beds to ensure better access to secure inpatient mental health care for individuals with mental illness.

Total cost—\$219 million

State Hockey Centre

Scope—To transform the State Hockey Centre into a world-class facility, following Western Australia's successful bid to remain the home of hockey as the host of the Hockey Australia High Performance Program and Centre of Excellence.

Total cost—\$135 million

Peel Health Campus Transformation Project

Scope—Redevelopment, expansion and return of privatised services to the State.

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Total cost-\$152 million

Women and Babies Hospital Redevelopment Project

Scope—Includes \$544 million over the next four years to commence construction of the new Women and Babies Hospital—a modem, leading edge maternity hospital right next to the State's largest tertiary hospital.

Total cost—\$1.787 billion

Bentley Surgicentre

Scope—Jointly funded by the State and Federal governments benefiting patients in the East Metropolitan area. Enables a streamlined and focused separation of elective and emergency surgery to reduce wait times for patients. The investment will deliver six new surgical theatres, two new procedure rooms, a 24-bed surgical ward and a new central sterilisation services department.

Total cost—\$150 million

(2) The New Metropolitan Facility, State Hockey Centre, Graylands Hospital Redevelopment and Bentley Surgicentre have been subject to a Stage 3 Major Infrastructure Proposals Assessment by Infrastructure WA.