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Hon Dr Brad Pettitt; Hon Matthew Swinbourn

BANKSIA HILL DETENTION CENTRE — UNIT 18, CASUARINA PRISON — MINISTERIAL VISITS

1112. Hon Dr BRAD PETTITT to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Corrective Services:

I refer to youth detention facilities in Western Australia.

- (1) In the last 12 months, have any state government ministers visited Banksia Hill Detention Centre; and, if so, which ministers and on what dates did those visits occur?
- (2) Since 20 July 2022, have any state government ministers visited unit 18; and, if so, which ministers and on what dates did those visits occur?

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question. The following information has been provided to me by the Minister for Corrective Services.

- (1) Yes. Hon Bill Johnston, MLA, Minister for Corrective Services and Hon Simone McGurk, MLA, Minister for Child Protection visited Banksia Hill Detention Centre on 22 February 2022.
- (2) Yes. Hon Bill Johnston, MLA, Minister for Corrective Services visited unit 18 on 8 September 2022.