

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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## QUESTIONS

**No. 19**

**Tuesday, 7 April 2009**

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- 237. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Disability Services
- 241. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Transport
- 245. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health
- 254. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Transport
- 255. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Disability Services
- 264. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 265. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
- 289. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Water
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- 300. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Transport
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- 335. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Water
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- 348. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport
- 350. Hon Giz Watson to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
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- 377. Hon Carolyn Burton to the Minister for Transport

***Notice Given***                      ***Thursday, 12 March 2009***

- 382. Hon Kim Chance to the Minister for Environment
- 386. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism
- 387. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism
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***Notice Given***                      ***Tuesday, 17 March 2009***

- 390. Hon Jon Ford to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

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- 391. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 392. Hon Adele Farina to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 393. Hon Adele Farina to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
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- 401. Hon Adele Farina to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands
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- 409. Hon Sheila Mills to the Minister for Environment

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- 414. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 415. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Environment
- 417. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Environment
- 418. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 419. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Health
- 420. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 421. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Environment

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- 424. Hon Anthony Fels to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Health
- 425. Hon Anthony Fels to the Minister for Environment
- 426. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Environment
- 427. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

**Notice Given**                      ***Tuesday, 31 March 2009***

- 431. Hon Anthony Fels to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 432. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education
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- 448. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Training
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- 450. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 451. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 452. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Child Protection
- 453. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Transport representing the Attorney General
- 454. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Energy
- 455. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education

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- 462. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
- 463. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 464. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 465. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Transport
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- 467. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Water
- 468. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 469. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
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- 664. Hon Ken Baston to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police
- 665. Hon Carolyn Burton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Water
- 669. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
- 670. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism

***Notice Given***                      ***Thursday, 2 April 2009***

- 671. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Community Services
- 672. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Transport

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**QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY**


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*Notice given**Tuesday, 7 April 2009*

673. Hon Ken Travers to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation

I refer to the Minister's answer to question No. 291, asked on 31 March 2009, regarding the Liberal Government's commitment to rebuilding the clubrooms at the Wanneroo Showgrounds, and ask -

- (1) Can the Minister confirm that a formal application under the CSRFF program was endorsed and submitted by the City of Wanneroo?
- (2) Will the Minister table the application submitted?
- (3) Can the Minister provide any documentation that shows that the election commitment to provide \$670 000 would be provided under the CSRFF, or that a matching contribution of \$1 340 000 would be required?
- (4) If yes to (3), will the Minister table it?
- (5) Can the Minister advise why the condition of matching funding has now been imposed on this election commitment?
- (6) Have all proposals for the rebuilding of the clubrooms submitted by the City of Wanneroo to the Department of Sport and Recreation always complied with the guidelines for CSRFF?
- (7) If no to (6), -
  - (a) which proposals have not complied; and
  - (b) what guidelines have they not met?

674. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food

I refer to the European House Borer Inter-Agency Consultative Committee, and ask, will the Minister please table a copy of the minutes of each meeting of the Committee?

675. Hon Shelley Archer to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

In respect to the proposed development of the Port at Oakajee, the rail system to the proposed mining operations serviced by the Port, and in the light of the Government's recent announcement to award preferred tenderer status to Oakajee Port and Rail Consortium, I ask -

- (1) Did the request for tender document ask for expressions of interest for the construction of the Oakajee Port and adjacent and ancillary infrastructure of internal rail system to the industrial park serviced by the Port or did it additionally call for construction of the rail system to the iron ore mines that will provide the main through put of the Port?
- (2) Was the expression of interest process confined to two potential developers or was it open to other interested parties?

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- (3) Which parties put in expressions of interest?
- (4) What was the result of the expressions of interest process and when were the respective results announced?
- (5) Are there any outcomes from the expressions of interest process that have not been announced?
- (6) Where is the process at now?
- (7) Has the expression of interest process been amended or partially/wholly abandoned?
- (8) Were any of these changes announced?
- (9) If yes to (8), when?
- (10) If no to (8), why not?
- (11) What role is it proposed that the Western Australian Government should play in the construction and ownership of the Port and associated Port infrastructure?
- (12) What role is it proposed that the Federal Government play?
- (13) Has any approach been made to the Federal Government?
- (14) If yes to (13), when and by whom?
- (15) Has State Cabinet been informed of and approved the approach?
- (16) If yes to (15), when?
- (17) What proposal or request was put by the Federal Government?
- (18) Has there been any response from the Federal Government?
- (19) If yes to (18), what was that response?
- (20) Has the State Government designated any rail corridors from existing and proposed mining operations to connect to Oakajee Port as indicated at about the time when the expressions of interest process was initiated?
- (21) If yes to (20), where are these corridors and why haven't they been announced?
- (22) Is it intended, as foreshadowed by the previous Government, that expressions of interest shall be called for construction of the rail lines?
- (23) Which mining operations is it intended that the rail line or lines will service?
- (24) Have the relevant mining companies been consulted about the rail corridor and associated development?
- (25) If yes to (24), when?
- (26) If no to (24), why not?
- (27) What is the estimated cost of the Port development?
- (28) How is it proposed that the Port development be financed?

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- (29) What is the estimated cost of the rail development and how is it proposed that that be financed?
- (30) What are the proposed timelines for each of the Port and rail developments?
- (31) Have any feasibility studies been done in respect to either or both of the Port and rail developments?
- (32) If yes to (31), when were the studies done and by whom?
- (33) What financial contributions are expected, that each interested party may make, to each of the Port and Rail projects?

676. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

I refer to Mr Peter Oates being hired as a consultant to provide advice on energy issues, and ask -

- (1) How much is Mr Oates being paid per hour to provide advice?
- (2) What is the duration of Mr Oates' contract?
- (3) What are the terms of Mr Oates' contract?
- (4) What is the total value of Mr Oates' contract?

677. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Transport

- (1) For each school term in 2008, how many people submitted conveyance allowances claim forms for student travel allowance?
- (2) What was the total amount of claims paid out?
- (3) What was the lowest claim paid out?
- (4) What was the highest claim paid out?
- (5) What was the cost of processing the conveyance allowance for each term in 2008?

678. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Transport

- (1) Has the Public Transport Authority (PTA) given in principle support for a new bus service to collect students from the area around Forrest Beach Road?
- (2) Is it true that this new route has not been implemented, because the road has not been examined to ensure its suitability?
- (3) If yes to (2), why is this the case and when can the families expect a school bus service to be provided?
- (4) What action will the PTA take to ensure that families in the area are provided with a school bus service?
- (5) If a bus service has not been introduced, why not?



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679. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Transport

- (1) Is the Minister aware of the problems earlier this year with the introduction of new school bus routes servicing schools in the greater Bunbury area?
- (2) What actions is the Public Transport Authority (PTA) taking to ensure that these problems will not occur in the future when school bus routes are changed?
- (3) Has the PTA reviewed the processes it follows when it amends or reviews school bus routes?
- (4) Has the PTA reviewed its communication strategy for informing schools, parents and students when it makes changes to school bus routes?
- (5) If yes to (3) and (4), will the Minister outline any changes that have been made?

680. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Transport

- (1) Can the Public Transport Authority provide an estimate of the number of people, who are eligible but do not claim a conveyance allowance, or do not claim their full entitlement each year?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

681. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education

Can the Minister provide the following information, regarding the Department of Education's involvement in verifying claims for conveyance allowance for each term, -

- (a) the number of staff involved;
- (b) the amount of time they spend; and
- (c) the approximate cost to the Department?

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