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- 2928. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Forestry
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- 2931. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Culture and the Arts
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- 2934. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services
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2947. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister representing the Minister for Education

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2949. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science

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- 3004. Mr D.J. Kelly to the Minister for Water
- 3005. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Housing

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- 3006. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Health
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- 3015. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Energy

- 3016. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Road Safety
- 3017. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Transport
- 3018. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister representing the Attorney General
- 3019. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development
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Questions listed for this sitting: -

3022. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Police:

I refer to Legislative Council Question Without Notice No. 1032 of 23 September 2014 regarding the Policy Framework for Substantive Equality. Will the Minister for Police please advise, in considering the impact upon substantive equality of the Frontline 2020 Operating Model, both the specific considerations and outcome of those considerations by ground and/or type of discrimination, including:

- (a) age;
- (b) breastfeeding;
- (c) family responsibility;
- (d) family status;
- (e) gender history;
- (f) impairment;
- (g) marital status;
- (h) political conviction;
- (i) pregnancy;
- (j) race;
- (k) sex;
- (l) religious conviction; and
- (m) sexual orientation?

3023. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Finance:

I refer to the response to Question on Notice No. 2784 and the attached table providing details on expenditure on the Office of Shared Services per annum, less the cost of providing ServiceNet, and I ask:

- (a) what was the function or purpose of ServiceNet; and
- (b) how much was spent on the provision of ServiceNet for the following financial years:
 - (i) 2013–2014;
 - (ii) 2012–2013;
 - (iii) 2011–2012;
 - (iv) 2010–2011;
 - (v) 2009–2010;
 - (vi) 2008–2009;
 - (vii) 2007–2008; and
 - (viii) 2006–2007?

3024. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Sport and Recreation:

I refer to Venues West's management of NIB Stadium and ask:

- (a) what is the estimated cost to VenuesWest of running NIB Stadium in each of the years 2014–15, 2015–16 and 2016–17;
- (b) will VenuesWest subsidise any of the sporting clubs using NIB Stadium in 2014–15, 2015–16 and 2016–17;
- (c) if yes to (b), which clubs will it subsidise and for what amount in each of these years; and
- (d) what is the estimated revenue for VenuesWest from NIB Stadium in each of the years 2014–15, 2015–16 and 2016–17?

3025. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

I refer to all Western Australian public hospitals, including privately operated hospitals which treat public patients and ask:

- (a) which hospitals provide patients with free television access in their rooms;
- (b) which hospitals charge a television rental fee to patients; and
- (c) of those hospitals that charge a fee:
 - (i) what is the current daily rate charged to a patient, listed by hospital;
 - (ii) what was the daily rate charged to a patient, listed by hospital as at September 2008;
 - (iii) is a discount in the rental fee provided to pensioner and Centrelink concession card holders, and what is the per cent of discount listed by hospital;
 - (iv) which hospitals charges a daily rate at cost (e.g. which reflects the real cost of providing this service);
 - (v) which hospitals are making a profit from this service;
 - (vi) what were the profits raised from television hire in the last financial year, listed by hospital;
 - (vii) which of these hospitals outsource television hire to private companies, listed by hospital and the company providing the service;
 - (viii) how much money did each of these hospitals receive from private companies to provide this service in the last financial year, listed by hospital;
 - (ix) which hospitals take a per cent of the profit of the television hire from the private companies providing these services, and what is the per cent each hospital receives, listed by hospital;
 - (x) of those hospitals making a profit out of television hire, where does the revenue generated from these proceeds go, e.g. Does it go into general consolidated revenue or is it directly re-invested back into the hospital where the TV rental is occurring; and
 - (xi) do these hospitals have free television access in communal areas which can be accessed by mobile patients who cannot afford to pay for television hire (please list answer by hospital)?

3026. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services:

I refer to your response to Question on Notice No. 2750 asked on 13 August 2014 in which you asserted "the Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES) does not and cannot match total ESL expenditure with geographical locations", and I ask:

- (a) how is it that such information was able to be furnished in tabled paper 4175 on 2 November 2011;

- (b) do you maintain that DFES systems and financial records have fewer capabilities to extract this information than in 2011;
- (c) if yes to (b), why is that the case; and
- (d) if no to (b), then have you advised the Auditor General pursuant to section 82 of the *Financial Management Act 2006* of your decision not to supply the information requested and on whether you laid before each house your reasons for the decision?

3027. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services:

- (1) How many peer support officers have been appointed within DFES:
 - (a) with career fire-fighters; and
 - (b) with each of the volunteer groups operating under the aegis of the department?
- (2) For the officers appointed under (1) (a) and (b) please advise the nature, duration and dates training was given to those peer support officers?

3028. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister for Local Government:

I refer to the decision by the Local Government Advisory Board (LGAB) to refuse the voluntary amalgamation of the regional councils of Tammin, Cunderdin, Quairading and York, and ask:

- (a) can the Minister confirm that a key reason for not allowing the amalgamation was the opposition from community groups received as submissions by the LGAB; and
- (b) will the same weight be given to submissions opposing forced amalgamations in the metropolitan area?

3029. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister for Local Government:

I refer to the government's process of local government amalgamations in the metropolitan area, and the recent denial of a merger of four regional councils by the Local Government Advisory Board (LGAB), and ask:

- (a) why were these councils denied a merger that they have been collaboratively working towards for two years; and
- (b) if willing councils are deemed unsuitable for amalgamation why are you pursuing the amalgamation of unwilling metropolitan councils?

3030. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Planning:

I refer to the election commitment to make land available in the Midland Railway Workshop Precinct for lease at a peppercorn rent and a \$22 million commitment for construction of a university campus to house up to 600 students and staff, and ask:

- (a) has an exact location and land been selected;
- (b) if so, where is the land located and what is the size of the site;
- (c) what steps have the Metropolitan Redevelopment Authority taken to sign a lease agreement with Curtin University; and
- (d) when is construction of the new campus expected to start?

3031. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Corrective Services:

I refer to the death of a prisoner following a bashing at Wooroloo prison on 21 April 2014 and the fact that charges have been laid against another prisoner, while noting the Minister is unable to prejudice the case before the courts, and I ask:

- (a) can the Minister confirm that Wooroloo prison management had previously assessed the prisoner charged over this matter as a higher risk than minimum and had requested his transfer to a medium security prison; and

- (b) can the Minister also confirm that the prison management's request for the transfer was denied by the Department's Head Office due to lack of space in medium security prisons?

3032. Dr A.D. Buti to the Minister representing the Minister for Education:

I refer to an article in *The Western Australian* on 9 June 2014, entitled *More schools to merge, close* in which it is reported that "the State Government recently revealed plans to close or merge small schools in the Fremantle and Armadale areas", and I ask:

- (a) can the Minister confirm that you are indeed going to close or merge schools in Armadale and if yes, which schools will the Minister be closing and merging; and
- (b) has the State government produced a business and educational case for the closure and or merger and if so when will this be released to the Armadale Community?

3033. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

I refer to the private operation contract for the Peel Hospital and the requirement that the Government must give notice to the private operator by June 2014 that it will be seeking to renegotiate the contract which comes to an end in 2017, and I ask:

- (a) did the Government give formal notice to Ramsay under the contract to formally renegotiate the contract, and if so when was notice given; and
- (b) was that formal notice preceded by a public sector comparator for the renewal of the contract, and if not, why not?

3034. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

I refer to the closure of the Workforce Development Centre in Mandurah last year and the Minister's comments in the 2014 Estimates Process to the questions I raised about this matter and ask:

- (a) has the Minister or his Department finalised a Business Case for a new Peel Workforce Development Centre;
- (b) if so when will the Minister be making a decision about reinstating a Workforce Development Centre to the Peel Region; and
- (c) if a Business Case has not been completed when is a decision expected on whether or not the Peel Region is to have such a Centre reinstated?

3035. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Finance:

- (1) Can the Minister please provide an outline of all tenancies for Government departments, agencies or authorities in the city of Karratha, detailing:
 - (a) the Department, agency or authority occupying the space;
 - (b) the size of the office space;
 - (c) the rent paid per square metre;
 - (d) the address of the tenancy; and
 - (e) the date of expiry of the lease?
- (2) Is the department or Minister aware of any tenancies of government departments, agencies or authorities in Karratha that are not managed by the Department of Finance?
- (3) If yes to (2) which organisations are they?

3036. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Premier:

I refer to the annual sales for Lottery West, and I ask:

- (a) for the financial year 2010–2011, what was the total value of sales conducted through retail outlets, and what was the total value of sales made by internet purchase;

- (b) for the financial year 2011–2012, what was the total value of sales conducted through retail outlets, and what was the total value of sales made by internet purchase;
- (c) for the financial year 2012–2013, what was the total value of sales conducted through retail outlets, and what was the total value of sales made by internet purchase; and
- (d) for the financial year 2013–2014, what was the total value of sales conducted through retail outlets, and what was the total value of sales made by internet purchase?

3037. Ms R. Saffioti to the Premier:

Can the Premier please provide the breakdown of all approved Lotterywest grants by date, recipient, purpose, amount and suburb for each of the following financial years:

- (a) 2011–2012;
- (b) 2012–2013; and
- (c) 2013–2014?

3038. Ms R. Saffioti to the Premier:

- (1) Since 30 June 2013, who were the Members whose Electorate Offices were relocated to a new premises?
- (2) In each instance, with respect to the vacated office what was:
 - (a) the old electorate office address;
 - (b) the leased floor area;
 - (c) the annual leasing costs, including all outgoings;
 - (d) the period remaining on this lease; and
 - (e) any lease penalty or costs in quitting the lease?
- (3) In each instance, with respect to the vacated office what is:
 - (a) the new electorate office address;
 - (b) the leased floor area;
 - (c) the annual leasing costs, including all outgoings;
 - (d) the fit-out costs; and
 - (e) the removal costs incurred with the relocation?
- (4) In each instance, what was the reason for relocating the electorate office?

3039. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Sport and Recreation:

Can the Minister provide the breakdown of all approved Department of Sport and Recreation grants by date, recipient, purpose, amount and suburb and grant type for the:

- (a) 2011–2012 period;
- (b) 2012–2013 period; and
- (c) 2013–2014 period?

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