

WESTERN AUSTRALIA
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 23

Tuesday, 5 September 2017

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- 241. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
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- 261. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 262. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
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- 264. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 265. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development

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- 266. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Education and Training
- 267. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 268. Hon Robin Scott to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police
- 269. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Finance
- 270. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Commerce and Industrial Relations
- 271. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police
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- 273. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police
- 274. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Forestry

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- 275. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport
- 276. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport
- 277. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Seniors and Ageing
- 278. Hon Diane Evers to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 279. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Lands
- 280. Hon Diane Evers to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Heritage
- 281. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning
- 282. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport
- 283. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development
- 284. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 285. Hon Diane Evers to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General
- 286. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Tourism
- 287. Hon Diane Evers to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
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- 289. Hon Diane Evers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health
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- 293. Hon Diane Evers to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 294. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing
- 295. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Forestry
- 296. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Fisheries
- 297. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water
- 298. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Disability Services
- 299. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Environment
- 300. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

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301. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Fisheries

302. Hon Robin Scott to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport

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303. Hon Robin Scott to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

304. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

305. Hon Colin Tincknell to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General

306. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing

307. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Police

308. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

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309. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Corrective Services

310. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General

311. Hon Colin Tincknell to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General

312. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

313. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water

314. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

315. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

316. Hon Robin Scott to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

317. Hon Michael Mischin to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General

318. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water

319. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade

320. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade

321. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Education and Training

322. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

323. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

324. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development

325. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

326. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer

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- 327. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 328. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 329. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 330. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport
- 331. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 332. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

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*Notice Given**Tuesday, 5 September 2017***333. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment:**

I refer to works approval W4701/2010/1 for Yara Pilbara Nitrates' ammonium nitrate plant which states, in part, under paragraph 4.1.1, "The Works Approval Holder shall, at least three months prior to commencing commissioning, submit a commissioning plan for approval by the Director", and ask:

- (a) from where is this commissioning plan available;
- (b) if it is not available, why not;
- (c) has a commissioning plan been completed or submitted;
- (d) has Yara produced a report on scrubber efficiency and ammonium nitrate particulate release for the commissioning process;
- (e) will the Minister please table the commissioning plan and associated report from Yara, where applicable; and
- (f) if the commissioning plan has been completed and submitted, but is unable to be tabled or made available to the general public, why not?

334. Hon Robin Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the WA Labor Party commitment to provide a much needed Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) machine at the Kalgoorlie Regional hospital, and ask:

- (a) can the Minister detail what a MRI machine will mean for health services in the city of Kalgoorlie Boulder and wider eastern goldfields community;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;
- (c) can the Minister detail what specific actions, with dates for each, has the Government taken to expediently obtain a licence from the Commonwealth Government for the proposed MRI machine;
- (d) if no to (c), why not;
- (e) can the Minister provide an anticipated date as to when the community can be assured of having a MRI machine operating at the Kalgoorlie Regional Hospital to ensure that residents in the city of Kalgoorlie Boulder and wider eastern goldfields community will have quality reliable medical services without having to travel to Perth; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

335. Hon Robin Scott to the Minister for Regional Development:

- (1) Can the Minister confirm that the existing Laverton Hospital Building contains asbestos and is unsuitable for upgrading?
- (2) Does the Minister agree that funding of at least \$19.5 million is urgently required for a new Laverton Hospital?
- (3) Will the Minister explain the relationship between the Department of Regional Development and the Department of Health in respect of the new Laverton Hospital?

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- (4) Can the Minister confirm that a budget allocation has been made for the Laverton Hospital and will the Minister advise the quantum of that budget allocation?
- (5) Is the Minister able to outline a timetable for the design and construction of the new Laverton Hospital?

336. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer:

I refer to the email from the Minister's office, dated 1 September 2017, and I ask:

- (a) for what period of time was the Minister in the South Metropolitan Region;
- (b) further to (a):
 - (i) how many meetings, events, functions or similar did the Minister attend;
 - (ii) who attended each of the meetings, events, functions or similar with the Minister; and
 - (iii) did the Minister receive or create any documents during or in preparation for the meetings, events, functions or similar;
- (c) if yes to (b)(iii), what were those documents;
- (d) further to (c), will the Minister table those documents;
- (e) if yes to (d), when; and
- (f) if no to (d), why not?

337. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning:

I refer to the Shenton Park Rehabilitation Hospital site, and I ask:

- (a) if the bush area were left intact, what is the area of the site that would fall into each of the Bushfire Hazard categories:
 - (i) Extreme Hazard;
 - (ii) Moderate Hazard; and
 - (iii) Low Hazard;
- (b) if the bush area were left intact, what areas of the site would fall into each of the Bushfire Attack Level (BAL) categories:
 - (i) BAL-LOW;
 - (ii) BAL-12.5;
 - (iii) BAL-19;
 - (iv) BAL-40; and
 - (v) BAL-FZ;
- (c) will the Minister please table a BAL Contour Map of the site with the bushland intact;

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- (d) can the Minister please advise if it is possible for the infill targets for the site to be met using the appropriate construction techniques for the relevant BAL levels (as defined in AS 3959 – Construction of buildings in bushfire-prone areas) with the bushland intact:
 - (i) if the infill targets cannot be met with the bushland intact while complying with AS 3959, please explain why not;
- (e) under the gazetted improvement scheme, what is the area of the site that would fall into each of the Bushfire Hazard categories:
 - (i) Extreme Hazard;
 - (ii) Moderate Hazard; and
 - (iii) Low Hazard;
- (f) under the gazetted improvement scheme, what is the area of the site that would fall into each of the Bushfire Hazard categories:
 - (i) BAL-LOW;
 - (ii) BAL-12.5;
 - (iii) BAL-19;
 - (iv) BAL-40; and
 - (v) BAL-FZ; and
- (g) will the Minister please table a BAL Contour Map of the site under the gazetted scheme?

338. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning:

I refer to the redevelopment of the Shenton Park Rehabilitation Hospital site and the fate of the remaining 3.4 Hectares of bushland on the site, and I ask:

- (a) is the Minister aware of Clause 5.2(v) of *State Planning Policy 2.8 Bushland Policy* for the Perth Metropolitan Region which states that proposals or decision-making should “Proactively seek to safeguard, enhance and establish ecological linkages between Bush Forever areas”;
- (b) is the Minister aware of the *Capital City Planning Framework Vegetation Connectivity Analysis Report*, that further loss of vegetation in this area will result in significant change of connectivity status of the Shenton Park Bushland and Underwood Avenue Bushland Bush Forever Sites;
- (c) is the Minister aware that an overwhelming majority of non-government agency respondents to the Metropolitan Region Scheme Amendments associated with this site requested that 100 per cent of the bushland be kept intact;
- (d) can the Minister please explain how the proposal to remove 50 per cent of the remaining bushland on the site meets policy and community expectations; and
- (e) can the Minister please explain why the *Shenton Park Hospital Redevelopment Improvement Scheme No. 1* clears 50 per cent of this bushland, rather than safeguarding and enhancing it?

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339. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Education and Training:

I refer to the email from the Minister's office, dated 31 August 2017, and I ask:

- (a) for what period of time was the Minister in the South Metropolitan Region;
- (b) further to (a):
 - (i) how many meetings, events, functions or similar did the Minister attend;
 - (ii) who attended each of the meetings, events, functions or similar with the Minister; and
 - (iii) did the Minister receive or create any documents during or in preparation for the meetings, events, functions or similar;
- (c) if yes to (b)(iii), what were those documents;
- (d) further to (c), will the Minister table those documents;
- (e) if yes to (d), when; and
- (f) if no to (d), why not?

340. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the 2012 Law Reform Commission report, *Review of Coronial Practice in Western Australia*, and to the response to this report that I understand was prepared by the Government of the day, and I ask:

- (a) would the Minister please table the former government's response to this report; and
- (b) if no to (a), why not?

341. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the need for a CT scanner for the State's morgue to assist the State Coroner and reduce the need for invasive and time-consuming autopsies, and I ask:

- (a) has the Government committed to making money available to fund the purchase of a CT scanner;
- (b) if yes to (a), when will this money become available; and
- (c) if no to (a), why not?

342. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Commerce and Industrial Relations:

I refer to the Pay Equity Unit, which was closed by the Barnett Government in 2015, and I ask:

- (a) does the Minister intend to re-establish a Pay Equity Unit;
- (b) if yes to (a), when does the Minister expect the unit to be operational;
- (c) if yes to (a), how many FTE will be appointed to the unit; and
- (d) if no to (a), why not?

343. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the reform of the *Criminal Law (Mentally Impaired Accused) Act 1996*, and I ask:

- (a) is the Chief Psychiatrist playing an integral role in the reform of this legislation; and
- (b) if no to (a), why not?

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344. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to the planned closure of Graylands Hospital, and I ask:

- (a) will the Minister commit to reinvesting all money raised from the divestment of Graylands Hospital directly back into the mental health sector; and
- (b) if no to (a), why not?

345. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment:

I refer to the email from the Minister's office, dated 29 August 2017, and I ask:

- (a) for what period of time was the Minister in the South Metropolitan Region;
- (b) further to (a):
 - (i) how many meetings, events, functions or similar did the Minister attend;
 - (ii) who attended each of the meetings, events, functions or similar with the Minister; and
 - (iii) did the Minister receive or create any documents during or in preparation for the meetings, events, functions or similar;
- (c) if yes to (b)(iii), what were those documents;
- (d) further to (c), will the Minister table those documents;
- (e) if yes to (d), when; and
- (f) if no to (d), why not?

346. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to the research centre currently located at the Graylands Hospital campus, and I ask:

- (a) does the Minister intend the research centre to continue to operate following the closure of Graylands Hospital;
- (b) if yes to (a), where will the research centre be located;
- (c) if no to (a), what will happen to the staff currently employed at the centre; and
- (d) if a decision has not yet been made, when does the Minister intend to make a decision on these matters?

347. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to WA Labor's pre-election commitment to retain a stand-alone Mental Health Commission, and I ask:

- (a) will the Minister please advise whether the Government plans, as part of further Machinery of Government changes, to merge the Mental Health Commission with:
 - (i) the Department of Health, or; and
 - (ii) the Department of Communities; and
- (b) if yes to either (i) or (ii), how does the Minister justify breaking the commitment to retain a stand-alone Mental Health Commission?

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I refer to the 2012 Equal Remuneration Order (ERO), and the failure of the previous Government to factor annual ERO increases into the government funding indexation formula, and I ask:

- (a) will the Government allocate funds to compensate contracted community service providers for required ERO increases; and
- (b) if no to (a), why not?

349. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Corrective Services:

I refer to the Target 120 Plan to target juvenile crime, and I ask:

- (a) does the Minister intend Target 120 to be co-designed;
- (b) if yes to (a), which agencies and organisations will be involved in the co-design process;
- (c) if no to (a), why not;
- (d) which organisations or individuals have been consulted in the development of Target 120;
- (e) if no consultation has been undertaken in the development of Target 120, why not; and
- (f) when does the Government intend Target 120 to commence?

350. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Disability Services:

I refer to the roll out of the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS), and I ask:

- (a) will the Government commit to ensuring that block funding is maintained to a range of essential services following the roll out of the NDIS, including:
 - (i) funding for the provision of services in regional areas;
 - (ii) funding for niche services;
 - (iii) funding for coordination services;
 - (iv) funding for peripheral services, for example transport; and
 - (v) funding for systemic and individual advocacy; and
- (b) if no to any of (a), why not?

351. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training:

- (1) I refer to the co-location of the International School of Western Australia (ISWA) with Doubleview Primary School and the concerns of parents and nearby residents regarding the reduced public use of the shared oval and playing courts, and I ask:

- (a) when will the community be able to access the shared oval and playing courts;
- (b) will Doubleview Primary School students and parents be allowed to use the shared oval and playing courts immediately after the end of their school day and prior to the end of the ISWA school day; and
- (c) will the department be required to pay for the anticipated future development marked out on the plans?

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- (2) I refer to the decision to relocate the ISWA to the Doubleview Primary School site, and I ask:
- (a) were any other sites considered for the relocation of the ISWA;
 - (b) if yes to (a), please state which sites were considered and why they were not chosen; and
 - (c) if no to (a), why not?

352. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Lands:

I refer to the business case for the Ocean Reef Marina, and I ask:

- (a) has work on this business case commenced;
- (b) if yes to (a), when does the Minister anticipate that the business case will be completed;
- (c) if yes to (a), will the business case be made a public document as soon as it is finalised; and
- (d) if no to (a), when does the Minister anticipate that work on the business case will commence?

353. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Lands:

I refer to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the City of Joondalup and Landcorp regarding the progression of the Ocean Reef Marina, and I ask:

- (a) has the revised MOU between Landcorp and the City of Joondalup been finalised;
- (b) if yes to (a), will the Minister please table this MOU; and
- (c) if no to (a), when does the Minister anticipate that this agreement will be finalised?

354. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Education and Training:

I refer to the email from the Minister's office, dated 28 August 2017, and I ask:

- (a) for what period of time was the Minister in the South Metropolitan Region;
- (b) further to (a):
 - (i) how many meetings, events, functions or similar did the Minister attend;
 - (ii) who attended each of the meetings, events, functions or similar with the Minister; and
 - (iii) did the Minister receive or create any documents during or in preparation for the meetings, events, functions or similar;
- (c) if yes to (b)(iii), what were those documents;
- (d) further to (c), will the Minister table those documents;
- (e) if yes to (d), when; and
- (f) if no to (d), why not?

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355. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing:

- (1) Is the Assistant Rental Pathways Program available to state housing tenants in Margaret River?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

356. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Metricup to Margaret River school bus service, and I ask:

- (a) is this service fully subscribed;
- (b) is there a waiting list for families to get access to this bus and, if so, how many students are on the waiting list;
- (c) what is the capacity of the bus providing this service; and
- (d) what is the average number of students using this service daily?

357. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing:

What is the total number of Keystart loans, by financial year, that have been granted to households who's previous housing tenure was in the public housing system?

358. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the \$19.5 million allocated from Royalties for Regions to replace the Laverton Hospital and construct six independent living units, and I ask:

- (a) what is the current status of the project;
- (b) what funds have been expended to date;
- (c) what is the time frame for delivery of the project;
- (d) has the scope of the project changed;
- (e) has the funding amount for the project changed; and
- (f) has there been any instruction from the Minister or his department to delay or defer work on the project?

359. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Forestry:

I refer to regulation 148(c) of the *Forest Management Regulations 1993*, made under the *Conservation and Land Management Act 1984*, which specifies that "Upon application and payment of the fee, if any...the CEO shall provide any person with...a copy of any...contract", where contract includes contract of sale, and to the November 2013 Opinion of the Auditor General that a decision by the Minister for Forestry not to provide copies of three contracts of sale to Parliament was not reasonable and was therefore not appropriate, and I ask:

- (a) will the Minister please table all the contracts of sale that exist between sawmills and the Forest Products Commission (FPC) for the purchase of native forest logs;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;

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- (c) if no to (a), will the Minister please provide a list of the following for each contract of sale that exists between sawmills and the FPC for the purchase of native forest logs:
 - (i) contract name/sawmill;
 - (ii) contract number;
 - (iii) product (species and grade or type of product);
 - (iv) quantity per annum;
 - (v) current expiry date; and
 - (vi) final expiry date;
- (d) if no to (c), why not;
- (e) will the Minister please table all the contracts of supply (to fall, extract, load and deliver) that exist between contractors and the FPC in relation to the supply of logs from native forests;
- (f) if no to (e), why not;
- (g) if no to (e), will the Minister please provide a list of the following for each contract of supply (to fall, extract, load and deliver) that exists between contractors and the FPC in relation to the supply of logs from native forests:
 - (i) contractor's name;
 - (ii) contract number;
 - (iii) contract description;
 - (iv) log specification (species and grade or type of product);
 - (v) quantity per annum;
 - (vi) operative date; and
 - (vii) expiry date; and
- (h) if no to (g), why not?

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