

APPENDIX B

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS

QUESTION PRIOR TO HEARING

Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions Hon Diane Evers MLC asked:

1) I refer to the Cumulative removal of jarrah and karri sawlogs figure on page 188: please provide a breakdown of the Actual figure for each of jarrah and karri for 2018-19 and 2017-18?

Answer:

The table below provides a breakdown by species of the cumulative total volumes.

Species / product	2017-18 Volume (cubic metres)	2018-19 Volume (cubic metres)
Karri sawlogs	175,007	213,993
Cumulative combined total	578,784	695,767

The cumulative combined figure for 2017-18 reported here is different to the 497,503 cubic metres cited on page 121 of the 2017-18 Annual Report, as it incorporates the adjustments for off-cuts left in the forest and variations in sawlog specifications accepted by customers during the period 2014 to 2017. The adjusted cumulative removals figures to the end of 2017 of 403,777 cubic metres for jarrah and 175,007 cubic metres for karri were published (Table 8, page 51) in the *Mid-term review of performance of the Forest Management Plan 2014-2023* (February 2019).

