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QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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Questions postponed from previous sittings: -

Wednesday, 24 October 2007

2863. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

Wednesday, 28 November 2007

2952. Mr M.W. Trenorden to the Minister for Energy

Tuesday, 26 February 2008

- 2966. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Treasurer
- 2967. Mr C.J. Barnett to the Minister for the Environment
- 2968. Mr C.J. Barnett to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 2969. Mr D.F. Barron-Sullivan to the Premier
- 2970. Mr J.H.D. Day to the Minister for Water Resources
- 2971. Mr G.M. Castrilli to the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 2972. Mr G. Snook to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 2973. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Minister for Water Resources
- 2974. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Minister for Water Resources
- 2975. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- 2976. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Forestry
- 2977. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Energy

- 2978. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 2979. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Education and Training
- 2980. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Corrective Services
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- 2983. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 2984. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Treasurer
- 2985. Mr G.M. Castrilli to the Minister for Health
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- 2987. Mr G.M. Castrilli to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 2988. Mr T.R. Buswell to the Minister for Health
- 2989. Mr T.R. Buswell to the Minister for Health
- 2990. Mr T.R. Buswell to the Minister for Health
- 2991. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister representing the Minister for Local Government
- 2992. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Minister representing the Minister for the Employment Protection
- 2993. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
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- 3007. Dr E. Constable to the Attorney General
- 3008. Dr E. Constable to the Attorney General
- 3009. Mr M.W. Trenorden to the Minister for Small Business
- 3010. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Treasurer
- 3011. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Electoral Affairs
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- 3015. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Disability Services; Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection
- 3016. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Education and Training; South West
- 3017. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Energy; Resources; Industry and Enterprise
- 3018. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for the Environment; Climate Change; Peel
- 3019. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 3020. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Corrective Services; Small Business; Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 3021. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Communities; Women's Interests; Seniors and Volunteering
- 3022. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister representing the Minister for Local Government; Racing and Gaming; Multicultural Interests and Citizenship; Government Enterprises; Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure; Goldfields-Esperance; Youth
- 3023. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; the Mid West and Wheatbelt; Great Southern
- 3024. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Employment Protection; Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage; Land Information
- 3025. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 3026. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Premier
- 3027. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Public Sector Management
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- 3029. Mr M.W. Trenorden to the Minister for Education and Training
- 3030. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Energy
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- 3062. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Minister for Community Safety
- 3063. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Health
- 3064. Mr T.R. Buswell to the Minister for Education and Training
- 3065. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 3066. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Tourism
- 3067. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Housing and Works
- 3068. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister for Disability Services
- 3069. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Treasurer
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- 3104. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 3105. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 3106. Mr R.F. Johnson to the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 3107. Mr R.F. Johnson to the Minister for Corrective Services

Wednesday, 27 February 2008

- 3108. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Water Resources
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- 3112. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
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- 3114. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Education and Training
- 3115. Dr E. Constable to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 3116. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Housing and Works
- 3117. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Housing and Works

Questions listed for this sitting: -

3118. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Industry and Enterprise

In regard to the ICT Skills Shortage Leadership Group recently announced by the State Government, can the Minister advise:

- (a) who has been appointed to this committee;
- (b) the qualifications and background of members of the committee;
- (c) what other Government boards, organisations or entities are the members of this committee affiliated to or employed by;
- (d) what other Government boards, organisations or entities have the members of this committee been affiliated to or employed by in the past; and
- (e) what remuneration, if any, do the members of this board receive for their services?

3119. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Public Sector Management

In reference to Question on Notice No. 2717, answered by the Minister for Industry and Enterprise on 23 October 2007, can the Premier advise when the Functional Review of the Department of Industry and Resources will be tabled?

3120. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for the Environment

In reference to the Minister's answer to Question on Notice No. 2267, can the Minister advise what associations and clubs are expected to be affected by the increase in lease rental fees in the calendar years of:

- (a) 2008;
- (b) 2009; and
- (c) 2010?

3121. Mr A.J. Simpson to the Minister for Public Sector Management

In regard to the internal audits required of all government departments in relation to the Office of e-Government's Website Governance Framework, can the Premier:

- (a) list how much each government department is spending on this audit;
- (b) if not, why not?

3122. Dr S.C. Thomas to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

- (1) I refer to the Government's 2005 \$70 million coal industry rescue package, announced following the announcement of the new gas fired base load power station, and ask:
 - (a) did the commitment include \$60 million towards a dedicated coal export berth at Bunbury Port;
 - (b) was this money identified in any subsequent budget, and if so where;
 - (c) what money has been expended on the project so far, and to what result;
 - (d) where are the funds currently held;
 - (e) is this still a Government commitment?

- (2) If the commitment to the rescue package never included a commitment to build a dedicated coal export berth and given that on 10 May 2005, Bunbury Port Authority chairman Jim Brosnan advised media that a new berth dedicated to coal exports would be built in the next three years:
 - (a) why did the Government not correct media reports that identified that commitment; and
 - (b) how close is the Government and the Port Authority to delivering this berth on time by May 2008?

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