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4147. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:

As at today's date, how many teaching positions, by FTE and headcount, are at Western Australian public schools and how many of those are on fixed term contracts?

4148. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:

For the 2016 school year in all Western Australian public schools, what is the number of FTE for:

- (a) Education Assistants;
- (b) Registrars;
- (c) Cleaners;
- (d) Gardeners; and
- (e) any other non-teaching staff?

4149. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:

How many Education Assistants are currently employed by the Department of Education, by FTE and headcount, for the calendar years of:

- (a) 2013;
- (b) 2014;
- (c) 2015; and
- (d) 2016 to date?

4150. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:

How many Aboriginal Islander Education Officers are currently employed by the Department of Education, by FTE and headcount, for the calendar years of:

- (a) 2013;
- (b) 2014;
- (c) 2015; and
- (d) 2016 to date?

4151. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:

How many positions from central and regional office were abolished for the financial years of:

- (a) 2013-14;
- (b) 2014-15;
- (c) 2015-16; and
- (d) expected in 2016-17?

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4152. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:

- (1) For the following financial years, how many voluntary redundancies were taken from within the Department of Education:
 - (a) 2013-14;
 - (b) 2014-15;
 - (c) 2015-16; and
 - (d) how many are expected in 2016-17?
- (2) Please list, by position, the voluntary redundancies in (1)?

4153. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Health:

- (1) Will the Minister confirm that currently there is no staffed renal dialysis unit with the City of Karratha (formerly Shire of Roebourne)?
- (2) Will the Minister confirm that currently there are two home-dialysis machines at Mawarnkarra Health Service (MHS)?
- (3) Are there plans for more home-dialysis machines to go into MHS to allow more people to dialyse there?
- (4) If yes to (3), how many and what is the timeframe?
- (5) How is the MHS setup to help those who are unable to find someone to be their carer or whose carer is not able to complete the complex training?
- (6) How is the MHS setup to help the carer who is required to be away for a number of months for training and away from their employment?
- (7) How is the MHS setup to help the carer, who following training have a responsibility to dialyse three days a week for up to eight hours at a time?
- (8) Why does Centrelink not consider the hours needed to dialyse a patient to be enough to warrant the carer payment?
- (9) Was a fully staffed dialysis unit in the plans that were originally approved for the new hospital in Karratha?
- (10) Is the Minister aware that the Pilbara Regional Director of Western Australia Country Health Service, Ron Wynn, confirmed that there are currently no plans to include a dialysis unit in the new hospital in Karratha?
- (11) Is the Minister aware that without a staffed dialysis unit, those who do not have a carer to assist them are required to move to Hedland for their dialysis needs?
- (12) Is the Minister aware of the negative impact of having to move to another town for dialysis needs, including being away from family, maintaining a valid licence and workable vehicle or finding someone to drive them to appointments?
- (13) Is the Minister aware of how many patients, due to the stress of moving away from family for treatment and the declining health impact, have eventually had to relocate to Perth for healthcare and never return to Roebourne, or the Pilbara, to live or visit?
- (14) Does the Minister believe this to be an acceptable situation?
- (15) If yes to (14), why?
- (16) If no to (14), what are the plans and timeframe to rectify the situation?

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4154. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

I refer to the contract for landscaping the Esperance Health Campus where plants were provided by a Perth company and not a local business, and ask:

- (a) why did this contract not have a buy local policy;
- (b) does the Minister agree that this goes against what the Royalties for Regions endorses, which is to "promote and facilitate economic and social development in regional Western Australia"; and
- (c) what measures are being implemented to ensure that Royalties for Regions projects deliver on their initiatives to ensure local businesses benefit?

4155. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to question on notice No. 3891 asked on 16 March 2016, where the Minister provided the concept plan for the marina at Entrance Point, and ask:

- (a) is the Minister aware that media reports at the time stated that three sites, including Riddell Beach and Dampier Creek, were ruled out due to environmental, cultural and cost issues:
- (b) will the Minister table the report that outlines why the three sites were ruled out;
- (c) will the Minister table the report that outlines the reasons why there is a push for a marina at Reddell; and
- (d) if no to (b) and/or (c), why not?

4156. Hon Martin Pritchard to the Attorney General:

- (1) I refer to the processing of applications under the *Criminal Injuries Compensation Act 2003*, and ask for 2015-16, how many applications were received?
- (2) How many full-time equivalent criminal injuries compensations assessors and administration or clerical staff were employed in the Office of Criminal Injuries Compensation to process applications in 2015-16?
- (3) How many applications were ceased in accordance with the section 10 of the *Criminal Injuries Compensation Act 2003* in 2015-16?
- (4) What was the average time for processing applications in 2015-16?
- (5) How many appeals were lodged by victims of an offence, and how many by an offender, in relation to a decision of a criminal injuries compensation assessor in 2015-16?

4157. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Education:

- (1) Will the Minister list all the schools where works have been completed under the State Air Cooling Program Stage 2B?
- (2) For each school listed in (1), will the Minister state the value in dollars of each successful tender that was awarded under the program?
- (3) For each school listed in (1), will the Minister state the total amount paid to each successful tenderer following the completion of works and including all variations to the tender scope of works?

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4158. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

I refer to question on notice No. 3366 asked on 8 September 2015, and question on notice No. 3574 asked on 19 November 2015 and the proposed Class A Nature Reserve, bounded on the North and West by the Derby Mudflats, on the East by Leprosarium Road and on the South by the Gibb River Road and to a bush fire during early July during which firebreaks were cut, and ask:

- (a) was the use of graders and/or bulldozers to cut a six kilometre internal firebreak allowed by the Department of Environment and Conservation;
- (b) if yes to (a), who authorised the operation and why;
- (c) what environmental effects have there been on the Pliestocene Wanganut sand dunes and surrounding mature pristine native bush as a result of these largely ineffectual fire breaks being cut;
- (d) will the area be rehabilitated;
- (e) if yes to (d), when will it be rehabilitated; and
- (f) if no to (d), why not?

4159. Hon Robin Chapple to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) Will the Minister please table a list of all registered gun owners in Western Australia, excluding firearms dealers and collectors, that includes the following:
 - (a) the number of guns owned by each registered gun owner;
 - (b) the postcode of each registered gun owner; and
 - (c) the type of gun(s) owned by each registered gun owner?
- (2) Will the Minister table a list of the top 100 registered gun owners by the most number of guns owned, excluding firearms dealers and collectors, that includes the following:
 - (a) the number of guns owned by each registered gun owner;
 - (b) the postcode of each registered gun owner; and
 - (c) the type of gun(s) owned by each registered gun owner?
- (3) How many guns are registered in Western Australia, excluding firearms dealers and collectors?
- (4) How many registered gun owners are in Western Australia, excluding firearms dealers and collectors?

4160. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

- (1) I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 648 answered on 26 November 2013 and I ask, will the Minister provide any updates to the information provided at that time?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

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4161. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning:

I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 4075, and I ask:

- (a) in answer to part (f), is the building proceeding on the basis of a public works under the *Public Works Act 1902*, the Minister replied 'not applicable', with all due respect the answer can only be a yes or a no, is it the Government's intention to build the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office in Bunbury as a public works under the *Public Works Act 1902*, yes or no;
- (b) the Minister's answer to part (g) of the question avoided the question, is there a reason why the Minister is unwilling to give the assurance sought in the question;
- (c) if yes (b), what is the reason; and
- if no to (b), is the Minister confident that the location of all shipwrecks and artefacts on the proposed site have been identified, yes or no?

4162. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Disability Services:

- (1) I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 4016, and I ask the Minister to list the government and non-government support services commissioned by the Mental Health Commission that are available to people with mental illness deemed ineligible to access the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) or the NDIS My Way trails?
- (2) Of the 119 people with a psychosocial disability that have current plans under the Lower South West NDIS My Way Trial, how many have been assessed as having recovered from their mental illness and no longer requiring those supports or requiring a lesser level of support?

4163. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:

- (1) I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 4002, and I ask if the new emergency helicopter operating from Bunbury was dispatched 74 times and that 69 of these were for primary care retrievals and 28 patients only were transported to a hospital and there was one only inter-hospital patient transfer, does this mean the helicopter was dispatched 40 times and transported no patients?
- (2) If yes to (1), has there been a review of the dispatch policy to ensure public money is not being wasted dispatching the Bunbury helicopter when it is not needed?
- (3) Will the Minister provide details of the 40 times the Bunbury helicopter was dispatched for primary care retrievals and retrieved no patients?
- (4) If no to (3), why not?
- (5) I am aware of a helicopter retrieval of a passenger in a single vehicle motor accident in which the patient was transported by air to Perth Royal Hospital, bypassing Busselton Hospital Emergency and Bunbury Hospital Emergency, for a bruised forearm and broken finger, does the Minister think this is a good use of public money and the Bunbury helicopter?
- (6) In relation to the secondary care inter-hospital patient transfer to Perth by Bunbury helicopter, why was the helicopter used in this instance and not the daily ambulance bus service or an ambulance?
- (7) In relation to (6), what was the cost incurred for this inter-hospital patient transfer?

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4164. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:

- (1) I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 4001, and ask the Minister to please list all career and volunteer services to operate from the Bunbury Emergency Services Hub?
- (2) In relation to each career and volunteer service identified in (1), how many staff/volunteers, by head count and FTE, currently make up the service and are expected to operate from the hub?

4165. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:

I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 3997 in which the Minister states "...prescribed burns were performed in the local government areas listed above..." however there are no local government areas listed in the Minister's answer. Would the Minister please list the local government areas referred to in the Minister's answer?

4166. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:

- (1) Has the Department for Emergency Services or the Government identified a suitable location for the Australind Career Fire and Rescue Station?
- (2) Has the land been purchased?
- (3) If yes to (2):
 - (a) how much did it cost; and
 - (b) where is it located?
- (4) If no to (2):
 - (a) what is the difficulty in locating a suitable location for the station; and
 - (b) has funding been allocated in the 2016-17 State Budget for the purchase of land for the station?

4167. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing:

- (1) I refer to the Minister's answer to question on notice No. 3988, and ask is it the intention of the Housing Authority to develop some of the land it owns at Tuart Brook as private housing at market value?
- (2) When does the Housing Authority intend to call for expressions of interest for a partner to develop Tuart Brook?

4168. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing:

- (1) Will the Minister table the *South West Housing Needs Report?*
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) Will the Minister table the South West Affordable Housing Action Plan 2015-2019?
- (4) If no to (3), why not?

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4169. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) Will the Minister table the concept plans for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office to be built on Koombana Drive, Bunbury?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) Have lots 881, 882 and 883 Koombana Drive, Bunbury been checked for contamination?
- (4) In relation to (3):
 - (a) who undertook the work;
 - (b) how much did it cost;
 - (c) was any contamination identified and what was the nature of the contamination; and
 - (d) what is the expected cost of removing the contamination?
- (5) What sub-surface magnetic anomalies were located within the building footprint and services corridor areas?
- (6) In relation to (5), have these all been included in the exclusion zone or buffer zone?
- (7) If no to (6), why not?
- (8) Have the building and landscaping designs been finalised?
- (9) Will the Minister table the building and landscaping designs?
- (10) If no to (9), why not?
- (11) Has the environmental assessment been completed?
- (12) Will the Minister table the environmental assessment?
- (13) If no to (12), why not?

4170. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) I refer to the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office to be built on Koombana Drive, Bunbury, and I ask:
 - (a) how much money has been paid to MNG licenced surveyors for survey work completed to date;
 - (b) how much money has been paid to Ultrameg surveyors for survey work completed to date;
 - (c) how much money has been paid to Georadar for survey work completed to date;
 - (d) what was the total cost of the recent excavation works to find Samuel Wright and reburial;
 - (e) who is the geotechnical consultant to the project;
 - (f) how much money has been paid to the geotechnical consultant to date;
 - (g) who is the environmental consultant to the project;
 - (h) how much money has been paid to the environmental consultant to date;
 - (i) who has been engaged as planning consultant to the project;
 - (j) how much funding has been paid to the planning consultant to date;

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- (k) who has been engaged as the architect to the project;
- (l) how much funding has been paid to the architect to date;
- (m) what other consultants have been engaged to do work in relation to the project (identify each consultant); and
- (n) in relation to (m), how much funding has been paid to date to each consultant?
- (2) In relation to all consultants engaged in relation to the project, the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury, including but not limited to those identified in (1), will the Minister table the completed surveys and reports?
- (3) If no to (2), why not?
- (4) I understand the department has compiled all the survey work outcomes and related information onto one file being the survey plan with overlays of information and that this has been provided to the Western Australia Museum and the City of Bunbury, and I ask if the Minister will please table the file/survey plan with layers?
- (5) If no to (4), why not?

4171. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:

- (1) Has a 'maritime archaeological protection buffer zone' to protect the shipwrecks on lots 881, 882 and 883 Koombana Drive, Bunbury been created in the City of Bunbury Town Planning Scheme?
- (2) If yes to (1):
 - (a) when was it created;
 - (b) what is the scheme amendment number creating the buffer zone; and
 - (c) what protection is provided by the buffer zone?
- (3) If no to (1), why not?
- (4) Has a 'Western Australia Museum Development Exclusion Zone' to protect the shipwrecks on lots 881, 882 and 883 been created in the City of Bunbury Town Planning Scheme?
- (5) If yes to (4):
 - (a) when was it created;
 - (b) what is the scheme amendment number creating the exclusion zone; and
 - (c) what protection is provided by the exclusion zone?
- (6) If no to (4), why not?
- (7) What is the difference in the protections offered by the buffer zone and the exclusion zone?
- (8) Has the area of Western Australia Museum Development Exclusion Zone been listed on the City of Bunbury Heritage List?
- (9) If no to (8), why not?
- (10) Has the maritime archaeological protection buffer zone been listed on the City of Bunbury Heritage List?
- (11) If no to (10), why not?

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- (12) Have all anomalies identified from survey works on lots 881, 882 and 883 been included in either the exclusion zone or the buffer zone?
- (13) If no to (12):
 - (a) why not;
 - (b) which anomalies have not been included;
 - (c) will the Minister provide a map showing the anomalies not included in the exclusion zone or the buffer zone; and
 - (d) if no to (c), why not?

4172. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Heritage:

- (1) Has a conservation order under the *Heritage of Western Australia Act 1990* been placed over any of the shipwrecks located at lots 881, 882 and 883 Koombana Drive, Bunbury or any portion of those lots?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

4173. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:

- (1) Have any of the shipwrecks located on lots 881, 882 and 883 Koombana Drive, Bunbury been listed as maritime archaeological sites?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

4174. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

- (1) Has the Royalties for Regions program received a business case for the building of the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury?
- (2) If yes to (1), when was it received?
- (3) If no to (1), why has the funding been allocated in the State Budget without the department/Royalties for Regions program first receiving, considering and approving the business case?
- (4) When did the Regional Development Council approve the funding allocation for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury?
- (5) If no to (1), does this mean that funding, even though it appears in the Budget papers, is not yet confirmed?
- (6) Will the Minister table the business case?
- (7) If no to (6), why not?

4175. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) Has the \$250,000 allocated in 2014-15 for the new Department of Park and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury been spent?
- (2) How was it expended (please provide an itemised list of the works and the cost for each work)?
- (3) Was any funding over and above the \$250,000 allocated spent on the project in 2014-15?

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- (4) How much funding was allocated for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury in the 2015-16 State Budget?
- (5) How much of the funding allocated in 2015-16 on the project was expended and how was it expended (please provide an itemised list of the works and the cost of each)?
- (6) What was the funding expended on the project in 2015-16 from the:
 - (a) Royalties for Regions program allocation; and
 - (b) department's budget?

4176. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) At the time of announcement the Government announced a funding allocation of \$18 million for the development of a new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury, however the 2016-17 Budget papers state that an allocation of \$17.4 million has been made for the Royalties for Regions program, and I ask why has the funding been cut?
- (2) Will the Minister please provide an itemised list of the works to be undertaken and the cost of each to be undertaken with the \$4.6 million allocated in the 2016-17 financial year?
- (3) If no to (2), why not?

4177. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) Has the Cabinet considered and approved the building of a new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury?
- (2) If yes to (1), when was the decision made?

4178. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) Will the Minister please table the Department of Parks and Wildlife map and layers created for the lots 881, 882 and 883 Koombana Drive, incorporating the results of all survey works completed to date, shipwrecks and exclusion zones, being used by the department to identify the location for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife offices and the services corridor?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

4179. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) Has the building envelope for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury been finalised?
- (2) If yes to (1), when was it finalised?
- (3) Will the Minister table a map clearly marking the location of the building envelope?
- (4) If no to (3), why not?
- (5) If no to (1), when will it be finalized?
- (6) Does the building envelope cater for the full 300 staff to be relocated from Perth as a single story development with sufficient parking for staff and visitors?
- (7) How many:
 - (a) staff car parking bays will be provided; and

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- (b) visitor car parking bays will be provided?
- (8) Will the development be a single story development?
- (9) Will the development incorporate underground parking?

4180. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

How much money has been spent to date on the preliminary works for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife, including all survey works, excavation and testing in relation to the shipwrecks, design works, concept plans and environmental assessments, etc (please provide an itemised list of works and the costs for each)?

4181. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) Has a business case for the new Department of Parks and Wildlife office on Koombana Drive, Bunbury been completed?
- (2) If yes to (1), when was it completed?
- (3) Who prepared the business case?
- (4) How much did it cost?
- (5) Will the Minister please table the business case?
- (6) If no to (5), why not?
- (7) If no to (1), when will the business case be completed?
- (8) Why has the Government allocated funding in the Budget for the project without Cabinet first receiving the business case for the project?

4182. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:

I refer to the total expenditure on Aboriginal heritage surveys for the 2009-10 financial year, a copy of which was provided to my office through Freedom of Information, and can be found at http://robinchapple.com/daa-foi-john-avery-review-heritage-survey-expenditure, and I ask, will the department(s) please provide the annual expenditure on Aboriginal heritage surveys for the following years:

- (a) 2010-11;
- (b) 2011-12;
- (c) 2012-13;
- (d) 2013-14; and
- (e) 2014-15?

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