

WESTERN AUSTRALIA  
**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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**QUESTIONS**

**No. 108**

**Tuesday, 17 February 2015**

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Questions appear according to the date on which notice was delivered.  
When a question has been answered it is removed from the postponed list.

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**POSTPONED QUESTIONS**

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*Notice Given*                      *Wednesday, 22 October 2014*

2005. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health  
2008. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health

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*Notice Given*                      *Thursday, 23 October 2014*

2045. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

*Notice Given*                      *Tuesday, 18 November 2014*

2187. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Premier  
2189. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Education  
2190. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Education  
2195. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

*Notice Given*                      *Thursday, 20 November 2014*

2216. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry

*Notice Given*                      *Tuesday, 25 November 2014*

2229. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Education  
2230. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Education  
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*Notice Given*                      *Tuesday, 2 December 2014*

2242. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water  
2243. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning  
2244. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry

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2248. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry
2249. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning
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2251. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry
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2259. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development
2260. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
2261. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs
2263. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry
2268. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
2269. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry

**Notice Given**                      **Wednesday, 3 December 2014**

2272. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education
2275. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
2277. Hon Sue Ellery to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
2278. Hon Sue Ellery to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police
2279. Hon Sue Ellery to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
2282. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
2283. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
2284. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Housing

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**2286. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:**

- (1) Will the Minister table the fire management plans currently in place for the developments at:
  - (a) Sussex Locations 9002 and 9101 - Lot 9516 Halcyon Crescent, Margaret River; and
  - (b) Darch Reserve, Margaret River?
- (2) If no to either in (1), why not?

**2287. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
  - (b) Ongoing General Government Procurement Savings;
  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2288. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2289. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2290. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
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  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2291. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Veterans:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2292. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Small Business:**

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  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2293. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Corrective Services:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
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  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2294. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2295. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Heritage:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2296. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2297. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Youth:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2298. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2299. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Community Services:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2300. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Local Government:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
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**2301. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
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**2302. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2303. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Treasurer:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2304. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

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**2305. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Finance:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2306. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Women's Interests:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2307. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2308. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Road Safety:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2309. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2310. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2311. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2312. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2313. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Lands:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2314. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2315. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism:**

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**2316. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

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**2317. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Deputy Premier:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2318. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Science:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2319. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:**

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**2320. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

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**2321. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Racing and Gaming:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2322. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing:**

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**2323. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Fisheries:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2324. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
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**2325. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce:**

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**2326. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General:**

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**2327. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Child Protection:**

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**2328. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Disability Services:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
  - (b) Ongoing General Government Procurement Savings;
  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2329. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
  - (b) Ongoing General Government Procurement Savings;
  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2330. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
  - (b) Ongoing General Government Procurement Savings;
  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
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- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

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**2331. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
  - (b) Ongoing General Government Procurement Savings;
  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2332. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Education:**

- (1) With reference to the Mid-Year Review, can the Minister please provide the total projected savings for each organisation/agency under the jurisdiction of the Minister and detail how each agency and department will achieve the:
  - (a) one percent General Government Efficiency Dividend;
  - (b) Ongoing General Government Procurement Savings;
  - (c) ICT Savings and Reform; and
  - (d) Assets Investment Program Savings?
- (2) Can the Minister please advise if any department or agency under their jurisdiction will use forced redundancies to deliver the savings required?

**2333. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:**

I refer to the requirement for students who do not achieve Band 8 or higher in reading, writing and numeracy in Year 9 NAPLAN test to do the Online Literacy and Numeracy Assessment (OLNA) in order to achieve a Western Australian Certificate of Education, and I ask how many students did not achieve Band 8 in Year 9 NAPLAN literacy areas in the 2014?

**2334. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:**

I refer to a question in Budget Estimates where I asked for a list of all the land owned and leased by the Department of Education showing the address, current use of the land, proposed use of the land, value of the land and cost of the lease, and ask if there been any variations to the information provided during Budget Estimates and, if yes, would the Minister please provide the details?

**2335. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:**

What was the ratio of appointed school psychologist to students in both primary and secondary schools in 2012 and 2014?

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**2336. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Education:**

For the years of 2012, 2013 and 2014, what was the number of retirees and resignations under the following categories of people employed under the Department of Education:

- (a) teachers;
- (b) cleaners;
- (c) gardeners;
- (d) clerical staff;
- (e) education assistants; and
- (f) principals?

**2337. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

- (1) Are DayRider fares in zones 5-9 available from 8.30am because it is no longer deemed to be peak demand in these zones?
- (2) If yes to (1), can the Minister explain why seniors are not able to begin their free travel from 8.30am in zones 5-9?

**2338. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

I refer to the royalty rebate scheme or “temporary assistance” package offered to junior iron ore miners that was announced before Christmas 2014, and I ask:

- (a) what criteria are used to select which junior mining companies are eligible for assistance under the scheme:
  - (i) which companies have been assisted to date and which companies are currently being considered for assistance;
  - (ii) does this list of companies include BC Iron, Atlas, Mt Gibson, Cliffs and Mineral Resources;
  - (iii) how much assistance, in dollar terms, per company, has been granted to each eligible applicant;
  - (iv) which applicants have been found to be ineligible and for what reasons;
  - (v) what is the repayment schedule applicable to each company assisted under the scheme;
  - (vi) what are the interest rates applicable to those mining company assisted under the scheme;
  - (vii) will the Minister make public all aspects of the scheme; and
  - (viii) if no to (vii), why not;
- (b) how did the Government arrive at the figure of \$90 per tonne as an appropriate trigger for the scheme:
  - (i) will the scheme end once the price of iron ore is again higher than \$90 per tonne; and
  - (ii) will the scheme continue indefinitely until the price increases to more than \$90 per tonne;

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- (c) what is the Government's fall-back position if the price of iron ore does not recover to more than \$90 per tonne by the scheme's end; and
- (d) what is the public benefit, in dollar terms, of the scheme?

**2339. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2340. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2341. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2342. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2343. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Veterans:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2344. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Small Business:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

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**2345. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Corrective Services:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2346. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2347. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Heritage:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2348. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2349. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Youth:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2350. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2351. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Community Services:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

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**2352. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Local Government:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2353. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2354. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2355. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Treasurer:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2356. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2357. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Finance:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2358. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Women's Interests:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

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**2359. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2360. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Road Safety:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2361. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2362. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2363. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2364. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2365. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Lands:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

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**2366. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2367. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2368. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2369. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Deputy Premier:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2370. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Science:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2371. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2372. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2373. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Racing and Gaming:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?



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**2374. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2375. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Fisheries:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2376. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2377. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2378. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2379. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Child Protection:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2380. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Disability Services:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2381. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

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**2382. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2383. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2384. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Education:**

In the context of savings measures announced in the mid-year review and with reference to the Public Sector Commission Circular No.2009-23, relating to substantive equality, can the Minister please advise how all new policies and/or major initiatives in the agencies/departments under their jurisdiction will be assessed for their impact on disadvantaged groups?

**2385. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

- (1) In the context of the savings/renewal measures announced in the mid-year review, what was the actual full time equivalent employee turnover in each agency/department under the Ministers jurisdiction for the years:
  - (a) 2013-14;
  - (b) 2012-13; and
  - (c) 2011-12?
- (2) In relation to overall Employee Benefits Budget, for each agency/department under the Ministers jurisdiction, what are total cost savings projected for the years:
  - (a) 2014-15;
  - (b) 2015-16;
  - (c) 2016-17; and
  - (d) 2017-18?
- (3) What is the projected total number of Employees (Full Time Equivalents) for each agency/department under the Ministers jurisdiction for each of the years:
  - (a) 2014-15;
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- (4) What was the process used to both identify and implement the Workforce Renewal Savings Measures identified in the mid-year review for each agency/department under your jurisdiction?
- (5) I refer to the Workforce Renewal Policy and ask what stakeholder consultation process will be used by each agency/department under your jurisdiction in relation to proposed changes?

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**2386. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

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**2387. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

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**2388. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water:**

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- (a) 2013-14;
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**2389. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Veterans:**

- (1) In the context of the savings/renewal measures announced in the mid-year review, what was the actual full time equivalent employee turnover in each agency/department under the Ministers jurisdiction for the years:
  - (a) 2013-14;
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**2390. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Small Business:**

- (1) In the context of the savings/renewal measures announced in the mid-year review, what was the actual full time equivalent employee turnover in each agency/department under the Ministers jurisdiction for the years:
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**2391. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Corrective Services:**

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**2393. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Heritage:**

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**2394. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

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**2396. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering:**

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**2397. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Community Services:**

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**2398. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Local Government:**

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**2399. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

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**2400. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

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**2402. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

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**2403. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Finance:**

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**2406. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Road Safety:**

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**2408. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

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**2409. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning:**

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**2410. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

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**2411. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Lands:**

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**2412. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

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**2413. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism:**

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**2414. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

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**2415. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Deputy Premier:**

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**2416. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Science:**

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**2417. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:**

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**2418. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

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**2419. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Racing and Gaming:**

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**2420. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing:**

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**2422. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

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**2423. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce:**

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**2424. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General:**

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**2425. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Child Protection:**

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**2426. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Disability Services:**

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**2427. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health:**

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**2428. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

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**2429. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

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**2430. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Education:**

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**2431. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

With reference to the recent Shannon National Park wildfire:

- (a) what was the exact time the fire was first reported, by whom and to whom;
- (b) what was the exact location of the point of ignition;
- (c) what was the exact time of the first fire fighting response;
- (d) what was that response;
- (e) who made the decision to respond at that time and in that way;
- (f) what was the area burnt:
  - (i) the wildfire;
  - (ii) in associated backburns; and
  - (iii) in total;
- (g) will the Minister table a map showing the tenure of the land burnt in the wildfire and associated backburns (land vested in the Conservation Commission, private property, other – please specify);
- (h) how many hectares were burnt in the wildfire and associated backburns in each of the tenures given in answer to (g);
- (i) will the Minister table a map showing the category of the land vested in the Conservation Commission that was burnt in the wildfire and associated backburns (State forest, national park, nature reserve, conservation park, other – please specify);
- (j) how many hectares were burnt in the wildfire and associated backburns in each of the categories given in answer to (i);
- (k) Will the Minister table a map showing the fuel age of the whole area burnt in the wildfire and associated backburns;
- (l) will the Minister table a map showing the areas within the burnt area that were scheduled for a prescribe burn in:
  - (i) 2015;
  - (ii) 2016; and
  - (iii) 2017;
- (m) will the Minister table a map showing the areas within the burnt area that consist of even-aged regrowth karri regenerated since 1967 and the year in which they were regenerated; and
- (n) how many hectares of post-clearfelled regrowth karri aged 25 years or less were burnt in this wildfire?

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**2432. Hon Ken Travers to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

- (1) On what date did the Executive Council approve the Local Government Boundary changes?
- (2) Which Ministers attended this Executive Council meeting?
- (3) Did any members of the Executive Council exempt themselves from this meeting?
- (4) If yes to (3), by what mechanism did they exempt themselves?
- (5) Did any members of the Executive Council advise the Governor that they were opposed to the orders?

**2433. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
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**2434. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

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**2435. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

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**2436. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water:**

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**2437. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Veterans:**

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  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
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  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2438. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Small Business:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2439. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Corrective Services:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2440. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2441. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Heritage:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2442. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2443. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Youth:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2444. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2445. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Community Services:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2446. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Local Government:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2447. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2448. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2449. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Treasurer:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2450. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2451. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Finance:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2452. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Women's Interests:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2453. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2454. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Road Safety:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2455. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2456. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2457. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2458. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
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**2459. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Lands:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2460. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2461. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2462. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2463. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Deputy Premier:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2464. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Science:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2465. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2466. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2467. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Racing and Gaming:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2468. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2469. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Fisheries:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2470. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2471. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2472. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2473. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Child Protection:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2474. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Disability Services:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2475. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2476. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2477. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

**2478. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Education:**

Are any Agencies/Departments under the Ministers jurisdiction currently, or scheduled to be, subject to an expenditure review:

- (a) If yes, can the Minister please advise:
  - (i) how the review(s) will occur;
  - (ii) what are the objectives for the review(s);
  - (iii) what savings must be found from the review(s); and
  - (iv) what are the timeframes for the review(s) and how will the consultation occur?

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**2479. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

I refer to the photograph entitled "Cave at Mount Margaret" that may be found at [robinchapple.com/qdata](http://robinchapple.com/qdata), and ask:

- (a) according to the Department of Aboriginal Affairs, are there any caves at or near Mount Margaret on the site register;
- (b) were any caves deregistered and, if so, when;
- (c) if yes to (a), did the mining company, Darlex, consult with the traditional owners from the Wongatha Wonganarra people;
- (d) if no to (c), why not;
- (e) if no to (a), were Darlex advised by the Department of Aboriginal Affairs that there were no sites on the register in that area;
- (f) if yes to (e), will the Minister table any correspondence with Darlex pertaining to that matter;
- (g) if no to (f), why not;
- (h) is the Minister aware of the damage to the caves as depicted in the photograph;
- (i) if no to (h), why not; and
- (j) if yes to (h), what action has the Minister and/or the Department of Aboriginal Affairs taken?

**2480. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2481. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2482. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2483. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2484. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Veterans:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?



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**2485. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Small Business:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2486. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Corrective Services:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2487. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Emergency Services:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2488. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Heritage:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2489. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2490. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Youth:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2491. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2492. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Community Services:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2493. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Local Government:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2494. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2495. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2496. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Treasurer:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2497. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2498. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Finance:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2499. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Women's Interests:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2500. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?



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**2501. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Road Safety:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2502. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2503. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2504. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2505. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2506. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Lands:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2507. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2508. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2509. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2510. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Deputy Premier:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2511. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Science:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2512. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2513. Hon Kate Doust to the Leader of the House representing the Premier:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2514. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Racing and Gaming:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2515. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Housing:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2516. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Fisheries:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?



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**2517. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2518. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2519. Hon Kate Doust to the Attorney General:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2520. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2521. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Disability Services:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2522. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Mental Health:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2523. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
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- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
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  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2524. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
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- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

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**2525. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Education:**

- (1) For each Department/Agency under the Minister's jurisdiction, can the Minister please advise, what are the final exit dates for people subject to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme?
- (2) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme, can the Minister please advise by: position number or item number, position title, position classification; and position location:
  - (a) all positions that have been abolished, or are to be abolished;
  - (b) the number of registered redeployees offered, or to be offered, severances; and
  - (c) the number of Fixed Term Contract employees offered, or to be offered, severances?
- (3) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and those positions that have been abolished or are to be abolished, can the Minister please advise:
  - (a) the total number of positions currently occupied by Fixed Term Employees and the expiry date of the relevant contract;
  - (b) the total number of positions currently occupied by permanent employees; and
  - (c) the total number of unoccupied positions that are to be or have been targeted?
- (4) With reference to the Targeted Voluntary Severance Scheme and specifically those positions already abolished, can the Minister please advise how consultation was undertaken?

**2526. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:**

I refer to the contamination of land by cotton bush on forests and properties that are attached to the Preston Beach townsite, including the Yalgorup National Park, and ask:

- (a) has the Department of Agriculture and Food and/or Field Officer, Lindsay Strange undertaken any inspections of the area for cotton bush;
- (b) if yes to (a), please provide a list of all inspections;
- (c) if no to (a), why not;
- (d) has the Peel-Harvey Biosecurity Group undertaken any inspections of the area for cotton bush;
- (e) if yes to (d), please provide a list of all inspections;
- (f) if no to (d), why not;
- (g) will the Minister provide information on the status of cotton bush, including an assessment of the success or failure of the eradication of cotton bush in that area; and
- (h) if no to (g), why not?

**2527. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

- (1) What were the total periods of power outages in the town of Derby for the first and second of January 2015?
- (2) What caused these outages?
- (3) From 3.50 am to the conclusion of the power outages on the second of January, how many times did the power restart and fail?
- (4) Were any domestic appliances damaged due to these intermittent restarts and power surges?

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- (5) Will compensation be provided to those people whose domestic appliances were lost due to those intermittent restarts and power surges?
- (6) If no to (5), why not?
- (7) Does Horizon Power consider these outages acceptable?
- (8) If yes to (7), why?
- (9) If no to (7), will Horizon Power apologise to the Derby community?

**2528. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

- (1) Given that the Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics and Sciences (ABARES) regularly publishes the annual volume of hardwood native forest sawlogs and native forest sawn timber produced in Western Australia, will the Minister please provide a list of each type of information that sawmills with contracts of sale with the Forest Products Commission (FPC) are required or invited to provide to the FPC?
- (2) Further to question on notice No. 1518 of 2014 and tabled paper No. 2270, can the Minister explain why are there no contracts of sale for first and second grade jarrah sawlogs when the *Forest Management Plan 2014-2023* sets an annual allowable cut of 132,000 cubic metres of first and second grade jarrah sawlogs?

**2529. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

- (1) Given that escapes from prescribed burns conducted by the Department of Parks and Wildlife and its predecessor, the Department of Environment and Conservation, have caused a number of bushfires, what was:
  - (a) the area intended to be burnt in each prescribed burn for the years 2011-12 to 2013-14; and
  - (b) the additional area burnt by each escape from the prescribed burn for the years 2011-12 to 2013-14?
- (2) What is the cost to date of compensation paid as a result of the escape from the Department of Environment and Conservation's prescribed burn BS520, first ignited on 6 September 2011 about 13 kilometres north west of Margaret River?
- (3) With reference to the website of the Department of Parks and Wildlife (DPaW), can the Minister explain why it continues to promote the discredited claim that an area's fire history can be constructed using the coloured rings on the stems of the Western Australian grass tree or balga, *xanthorrhoea preissii*, when there is peer reviewed and published research which concludes that the grasstree banding method cannot be considered useful for constructing fire histories and should have no role in determining modern fire-management practices?
- (4) Will the Minister have the section of the DPaW website referred to in (3) amended?
- (5) If no to (5), why not?

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**2530. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

- (1) Will the Minister table the licences as agreed to with the shack communities at Wedge Island and Grey?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

**2531. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Mandurah and Joondalup rail lines on the evening of 10 February 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2532. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Mandurah and Joondalup rail lines on the morning of 10 February 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2533. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

How much of the \$240 million budget for the Butler rail extension was spent on:

- (a) works at the Mandurah Depot and what were the works; and
- (b) works at the Nowergup Depot and what were the works?

**2534. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Heritage:**

I refer to question on notice No. 3054 of 18 November 2014, and question on notice No. 3059 of 12 November 2014 in the other place, and ask:

- (a) why does the response from the Minister for Heritage differ from the response by the Minister for Lands on whether the Minister for Heritage was consulted prior to the announcement of the sale of government assets; and
- (b) does the Minister for Heritage have difficulty coordinating the management of heritage assets with the Minister for Lands?

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**2535. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

I refer to question on notice No. 1746 relating to non-acute beds, and I ask:

- (a) for each of the beds listed in the answer to questions (a) and (b), how many of the beds listed are for older persons and people with dementia;
- (b) where are each of the 170 non-acute beds located;
- (c) what is the current number of available beds per 100,000 people based on the latest Australian Bureau of Statistics, Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (d) what was the number of available beds, by region, for each of the past five years based the relevant Australian Bureau of Statistics Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (e) what was the average occupancy rate of an available bed, by region, for each of the past five years;
- (f) in regard to the answer provided to question (e) has Western Australia Health ever had a data collection system to monitor wait times for public mental health inpatient beds;
- (g) if yes to (f), when were changes made to reporting; and
- (h) if no to (f), why does Western Australia Health not maintain a data collection system to monitor wait times for public mental health inpatient beds?

**2536. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

I refer to figure 17, page 72 of the *2012 Stokes Review* relating to Community Rehabilitation mental health bed stock in Western Australia, and I ask:

- (a) what was the number of available (Clinical staffed 24/7) places per 100,000 people for each of the past five years based on the relevant Australian Bureau of Statistics, Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (b) where were each of the beds listed in (a) located;
- (c) what was the average occupancy and wait time to access beds listed in (a);
- (d) what was the number of available (staffed less than 12 hours) places per 100,000 people for each of the past five years based on the relevant reporting period Australian Bureau of Statistics Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (e) where were each of the beds listed in (d) located;
- (f) what was the average occupancy and wait time to access beds listed in (d);
- (g) what is the current number of available beds per 100,000 people based on the latest Australian Bureau of Statistics Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (h) where are each of the places listed in (g) located; and
- (i) what is the classification of all places listed in (g)?



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**2537. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

I refer to figure 17, page 72 of the *2012 Stokes Review* in relation to supported permanent housing mental health bed stock in Western Australia, and I ask:

- (a) what was the number of available supported public housing places per 100,000 people for each of the past five years based on the relevant Australian Bureau of Statistics, Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (b) where were each of the places listed in (a) located;
- (c) what was the number of available Supervised Hostel places per 100,000 people for each of the past five years based on the relevant Australian Bureau of Statistics, Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (d) where were each of the beds listed in (c) located;
- (e) what is the current number of available places per 100,000 people based on the latest Australian Bureau of Statistics Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (f) where are each of the places listed in (e) located; and
- (g) what is the classification of all places listed in (e)?

**2538. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

I refer to question on notice No. 1747 regarding acute beds in Western Australia, and I ask:

- (a) for each of the beds listed in the answers to questions (a) and (b), how many of the beds listed are for older persons and people with dementia;
- (b) at which facilities are each of the current 571 acute beds located;
- (c) what is the current number of available beds per 100,000 people based on the latest Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) Estimated Resident Population figures for Western Australia;
- (d) what was the number of available beds per 100,000 people for each of the past five years, based on the relevant ABS Estimated Resident Population reporting period, for Western Australia;
- (e) what was the average occupancy rate of an available bed, by region, for each of the past five years;
- (f) in regard to the answer provided to part (e) of question on notice No. 1747, has Western Australia Health ever had a data collection system to monitor wait times for public mental health inpatient beds;
- (g) if yes to (f), when were changes made to reporting; and
- (h) if no to (f), why does Western Australia Health not have a data collection system to monitor wait times for public mental health inpatient beds?

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**2539. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

I refer to the \$10 million contract awarded to Fujitsu in 2012, and I ask:

- (a) how much of the \$10 million has been paid to Fujitsu to date;
- (b) is any of the contractual work undertaken by Fujitsu for the implementation of the Signs of Safety program;
- (c) if yes to (b), what will be the total value of the work undertaken by Fujitsu for implementation of the Signs of Safety program;
- (d) what is the value of tenders allocated to Fujitsu over the past 10 years; and
- (e) what programs has Fujitsu developed for the Department for Child Protection and Family Services in the past 10 years?

**2540. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

- (1) For each of the past five years, how many children have been treated at Princess Margaret Hospital (PMH) for self-inflicted injuries?
- (2) For each of the past five years, how many children have been treated at PMH for behavioural disorder?

**2541. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

In relation to the Stolen Wages Scheme Western Australia:

- (a) what steps has the Government taken, so far, to review the effectiveness of the scheme;
- (b) what opportunities has the Government provided or facilitated for those directly affected by the scheme to be involved in reviewing the effectiveness of the scheme; and
- (c) what opportunities has the Government provided or facilitated for the community as a whole to be involved in reviewing the effectiveness of the scheme?

**2542. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Fisheries:**

I refer to the gillnet fisheries and prawn trawl fisheries operating in the Kimberley region of Western Australia between Eighty-Mile Beach and the Northern Territory border, and I ask:

- (a) which protected and endangered species are caught, or at risk of being caught, in the gillnet fisheries of the Kimberley;
- (b) will the Minister please provide by-catch records, including the numbers and species caught, for each year from 2008 to 2014;
- (c) if no to (b), why not;
- (d) which protected and endangered species are caught, or at risk of being caught, in the prawn trawl fisheries of the Kimberley;
- (e) will the Minister please provide by-catch records, including the numbers and species caught, for each year from 2008 to 2014;
- (f) if no to (e), why not;
- (g) what monitoring and reporting arrangements are in place regarding lost gillnets and prawn trawl nets (ghost nets) in the Kimberley;

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- (h) what cleanup and retrieval process does the Department of Fisheries have in place, and what is the annual budget for the operations;
- (i) can the nets be traced to their owners and are they required to bear the cost for net retrieval;
- (j) if no to (i), why not;
- (k) how many gillnets, or parts of gillnets, were lost each year from the Kimberley gillnet industry between 2008 and 2014; and
- (l) what monitoring and reporting arrangements are in place regarding cultural fishing practices that include the use of nets?

**2543. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Local Government:**

I refer to the Department of Local Government and Communities provision of ongoing funding of community groups throughout Western Australia and ask in each of the past five calendar or financial years how much funding was allocated to the following:

- (a) The Boys' Brigade Western Australia Inc;
- (b) The Girls' Brigade Western Australia Inc; and
- (c) Scouts WA?

**2544. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Fisheries:**

I refer to the critically endangered green sawfish, *pristis zijsron*, and the endangered knifetooth sawfish, *anoxypristis cuspidate*, as described by the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN), and I ask:

- (a) what is the estimated annual catch of green sawfish and knifetooth sawfish in each of the Kimberley gillnet and barramundi fisheries and the Kimberley prawn trawl area;
- (b) what is the estimated current population of the knifetooth sawfish and green sawfish in Western Australian waters;
- (c) what is the estimated current population of knifetooth and green sawfish in Kimberley waters;
- (d) how do these compare with pre-fishing populations of these species, year by year;
- (e) what does the Minister consider to be a sustainable annual level of mortality, in the combined Kimberley fisheries and prawn trawl areas, for both sawfish species; and
- (f) when was the last targeted observer program conducted that was aimed at verifying by-catch numbers for these endangered and critically endangered species:
  - (i) what were the dates and times over which the observer programs were carried out, where were they located and by whom; and
  - (ii) what percentage of the fishery was subject to observer programs this year and in previous years?

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**2545. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Fisheries:**

I refer to the Australian humpback dolphin, *sousa sahalensis*, recently described as a new species and thought to be threatened and endangered, which shares its habitat with the Kimberley gillnet fishery and the Kimberley prawn trawling industry, and I ask:

- (a) what is the total reported mortality of Australian humpback dolphins in the gillnet fisheries of the Kimberley, from Eighty-Mile Beach to the Northern Territory border, and when did these occur;
- (b) what is the total reported mortality of Australian humpback dolphins in the prawn trawling fisheries of the Kimberley, from Eighty-Mile Beach to the Northern Territory border, and when did these occur;
- (c) what is the current population estimate, by location, for Australian humpback dolphins in various parts of the Kimberley;
- (d) how has the population altered during the past five years;
- (e) what measures are taken to assess the impact of the gillnet fishery on Australian humpback dolphins and when were these established;
- (f) will the Minister provide an estimate of the acceptable annual mortality of Australian humpback dolphins as a result of the gillnet fishing practices in the Kimberley that will nonetheless ensure sustainability of the population; and
- (g) if no to (f), why not?

**2546. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning:**

- (1) In relation to the Metropolitan Redevelopment Authority's Australian Fine China precinct in Subi Centro, I ask when were each of the nine single residential lots:
  - (a) auctioned;
  - (b) sold; and
  - (c) settled?
- (2) In relation to the Metropolitan Redevelopment Authority's Australian Fine China precinct in Subi Centro, I ask when were each of the seven apartment lots:
  - (a) first advertised for expressions of interest;
  - (b) sold; and
  - (c) settled?
- (3) In relation to the Metropolitan Redevelopment Authority's Australian Fine China precinct in Subi Centro, I ask when were each of the two commercial lots:
  - (a) first advertised for expressions of interest;
  - (b) sold; and
  - (c) settled?

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**2547. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Fisheries:**

I refer to the practice of gillnet fishing in the Kimberley region, and I ask:

- (a) what is the total reported mortality of snubfin dolphins in the gillnet fisheries of the Kimberley, from Roebuck Bay to the Northern Territory border, and when did these occur;
- (b) when and where was the last observer study undertaken that aimed to investigate the bycatch occurring in the gillnet fisheries of the Kimberley:
  - (i) how many hours were spent undertaking these studies; and
  - (ii) what percentage of the gillnet fisheries in the Kimberley have been studied, by year;
- (c) will the Minister provide a population estimate, by location, for snubfin dolphins in the Kimberley:
  - (i) if no to (c), why not; and
- (d) will the Minister provide an estimate of the acceptable annual mortality of snubfin dolphins, as a result of the Kimberley gillnet fishery, that will ensure sustainability of the population:
  - (i) if no to (d), why not?

**2548. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

In relation to section 22 of the *Human Tissue and Transplant Act 1982*, I ask:

- (a) how many times in each calendar year since enactment, has a designated officer authorised the posthumous collection of gametes;
- (b) in each of those calendar years, how many of these authorisations have occurred following an order of the Supreme Court of Western Australia; and
- (c) in each of those calendar years, how many of those authorisations have occurred in the absence of a court order?

**2549. Hon Nick Goiran to the Attorney General:**

I refer to section 15 of the *Criminal Injuries Compensation Act 1985* (Repealed) whereby the Attorney General could issue a certificate to allow compensation to be awarded to victims of crime in certain circumstances, and I ask:

- (a) in each calendar year that the section was in force, how many certificates were applied for; and
- (b) in each calendar or financial year that the section was in force, how many certificates were issued?

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**2550. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

I refer to section 334(7) of the *Health Act 1911*, and ask:

- (a) is it the case that late-term abortions in Western Australia are only permitted if:
  - (i) at least 20 weeks of pregnancy have been completed;
  - (ii) two medical practitioners, who are members of a panel appointed by the Minister for Health, have agreed that the mother, or the unborn child, has a severe medical condition that, in the clinical judgement of those two medical practitioners, justifies the procedure; and
  - (iii) the abortion is performed in a facility approved by the Minister for Health;
- (b) is King Edward Memorial Hospital the only approved facility in Western Australia for this purpose;
- (c) if no to (b), what other facility has been approved;
- (d) further to (b), does the Minister for Health intend to approve any other facility; and
- (e) since enactment, have any such late-term abortions occurred at a facility other than King Edward Memorial Hospital?

**2551. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruptions to the Joondalup and Mandurah rail lines on 14 December 2014, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2552. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Mandurah rail line on 4 December 2014, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2553. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

- (1) Can the Minister please advise if any metropolitan hospitals have had to lock the doors of open wards because of the overflow of involuntary mental health patients from secure wards, for the period of 1 July 2014 to date?
- (2) If yes to (1), on what dates and at which facilities did these closures occur?

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**2554. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruptions to the Joondalup and Mandurah rail lines on 3 February 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2555. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Joondalup and Mandurah rail lines on 2 February 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2556. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Joondalup and Mandurah rail lines on 24 January 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2557. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

For all Hardship Utility Grant Scheme applications processed by the Department for Child Protection and Family Support in June, July, September, October, November and December 2014, can the Minister please provide the number of applications by:

- (a) postcode;
- (b) regional development region;
- (c) main source of income;
- (d) family status;
- (e) number of children;
- (f) gender;
- (g) age;
- (h) housing tenure; and
- (i) ethnicity?

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**2558. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

For each of the utilities Synergy, Horizon, Water Corporation and Alinta, in relation to the Hardship Utilities Grant Scheme and for the months of June, July, September, October, November and December 2014, can the Minister please advise on the following:

- (a) what was the number of grant applications;
- (b) what was the number of approved grants;
- (c) what was the total grant amount; and
- (d) what was the average amount paid?

**2559. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

(1) For each of the utilities Synergy, Horizon, Water Corporation and Alinta, in regards to the Hardship Utilities Grant Scheme, how many applications were received, and how many applicants were approved and provided with financial assistance to pay utility bills for the following suburbs in November 2014:

- (a) Leeming;
- (b) Canning Vale;
- (c) Morley;
- (d) Wanneroo;
- (e) Willagee;
- (f) Samson;
- (g) Spencer Park;
- (h) Balcatta;
- (i) Dalyellup;
- (j) High Wycombe;
- (k) Kingsley;
- (l) Clarkson;
- (m) Noranda;
- (n) Yokine;
- (o) Currambine;
- (p) Parkwood;
- (q) Innaloo;
- (r) Huntingdale;
- (s) Ellenbrook;
- (t) Darch; and
- (u) Peppermint Grove?

(2) What was the average payment for each utility for each of the suburbs listed?



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**2560. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) During the months of September 2014, October 2014 and November 2014, by district, how many individuals did the Department for Child Protection and Family Support (DCPaFS) refer to Centrelink for compulsory income management?
- (2) By district, how many individuals with children have presented seeking financial assistance on two or more occasions to the DCPaFS for the period 1 September 2014 to 30 November 2014?

**2561. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) During the months of June 2014, July 2014 and August 2014, how many individuals did the Department for Child Protection and Family Support refer to Centrelink for compulsory income management, by district?
- (2) How many individuals with children have presented seeking financial assistance on two or more occasions to the department for the period 1 June 2014 to 31 August 2014, by district?

**2562. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) For the period 1 September 2014 to 30 November 2014, how many Responsible Parenting Agreements have the Department for Child Protection and Family Support implemented?
- (2) How many of those Responsible Parenting Agreements listed in (1) originated from a referral from another State Government department, and how many were referred by each department?
- (3) How many juveniles, whose parents agreed to a Responsible Parenting Agreement have:
  - (a) improved their attendance at school; and
  - (b) re-offended since the agreement was made?

**2563. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) During the month of November 2014, what was the total number of registered carers with four or more children placed with them by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?
- (2) During the month of November 2014, how many carers had a “carer record screening” overdue or not recorded by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?
- (3) During the month of November 2014, how many carers had overdue “carer reviews” by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?

**2564. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) During the month of August 2014, what was the total number of registered carers with four or more children placed with them by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?
- (2) During the month of August 2014, how many carers had a “carer record screening” overdue or not recorded by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?
- (3) During the month of August 2014, how many carers had overdue “carer reviews” by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?

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**2565. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) As at 30 November 2014, what was total number of applications to be a foster carer approved by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?
- (2) As at 30 November 2014, what was the total number of registered foster carers, by category of relative carer and non-relative carer, by district?
- (3) As at 30 November 2014, what was the total number of registered foster carers with children placed, by category of relative and non-relative carers, by district?

**2566. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) As at 30 November 2014, what was the number of new Safety and Wellbeing Assessments for a child recorded during that month, by district?
- (2) As at 30 November 2014, what was the number of children in care for more than 20 days with no planning recorded, by district?
- (3) As at 30 November 2014, what was the number of Safety and Wellbeing Assessments with a harm assessment open for more than 90 days, by district?
- (4) As at 30 November 2014, what were the number of open Safety and Wellbeing Assessments with a harm assessment, by district?
- (5) As at 30 November 2014, what was the number of “monitored” or “active holding” cases not allocated to workers caseload, by district?

**2567. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

- (1) As at 1 November 2014, what was the total Department for Child Protection and Family Support (DCPaFS) funded full time equivalent (FTE) employee allocation, by directorate and district?
- (2) As at 1 November 2014:
  - (a) what were the vacancies in the FTE terms, by directorate and district;
  - (b) how many of those vacancies were subject to advertising, by district; and
  - (c) of those vacancies not subject to advertising, please provide the reason why?
- (3) As at 1 November 2014, what was the total service delivery FTE employee allocation, by directorate and district?
- (4) As at 1 November 2014, what were the total vacant service delivery positions, by directorate and district?
- (5) As at 1 November 2014, what was the total FTE case worker allocation, by directorate and district?
- (6) As at 1 November 2014, what were the total FTE vacant case worker positions?
- (7) As at 1 November 2014, what was the FTE number of employees, by directorate and district on:
  - (a) permanent contract; and
  - (b) fixed term contract?

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(8) As at 1 November 2014, how many DCPaFS field officers have been co-located with Western Australia Police staff from the family protection unit, in regional and rural offices, as part of the strategy to combat family and domestic abuse?

(9) What are the co-location sites where the DCPaFS officers referred to in (8) are situated?

**2568. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:**

(1) By district, how many children were under the care of the Department for Child Protection and Family Support during the month of November 2014?

(2) By district, how many of the children were placed in non-government group facilities?

(3) By district, how many of the children in (1) were in placements with Department for Child Protection and Family Support foster carers by category of:

(a) relative carer; and

(b) non-relative carer?

(4) By district, how many of the children were in placements with non-government organisation foster carers?

**2569. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

Noting the recent decision of the Minister for Environment to raise the status of the Western ringtail possum (WRP) from vulnerable to endangered under the *Wildlife Conservation Act 1950*, I ask:

(a) did the Western Australia Threatened Species Advisory Committee provide any advice to the Department of Parks and Wildlife (DPaW) or the Minister that the WRP should be raised to critically endangered status;

(b) if yes to (a), why was that advice ignored;

(c) noting that expert opinion set out in the CSIRO publication, *An Action Plan for Australian Mammals 2012*, and the WRP Recovery Plan itself identifies fire, including prescribed burning, and habitat loss from housing, mining and logging as key threatening processes for the endangered WRP, what specific new measures will the Minister be implementing to ensure these threats are abated as a matter of urgency if the species is to survive;

(d) will the Minister now review current and future logging and prescribed burning plans to ensure that critical WRP habitat is not destroyed;

(e) if no to (d), why not;

(f) does DPaW conduct any specific pre-burning or pre-logging surveys to identify the presence and abundance of WRP in areas being considered for logging or burning;

(g) if no to (f), why not;

(h) does DPaW conduct any post-logging or post-burning surveys or monitoring programs to assess and quantify the impacts of logging and prescribed burning operations on WRPs;

(i) if yes to (h), what are the results of those studies and where are they published;

(j) if no to (h), why not;

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- (k) is the Minister aware of the published scientific research that demonstrates that logging, burning and other forms of habitat destruction, disturbance and fragmentation are key mechanisms by which foxes and cats gain easy access to and predate on native mammals such as the WRP;
- (l) if yes to (k), is the Minister satisfied that the current and planned logging and prescribed burning operations carried out by the department or other government agencies will not push the WRP closer to extinction;
- (m) if yes to (l), on the basis of what scientific advice is the Minister satisfied;
- (n) will the Minister release the advice in (m);
- (o) if no to (n), why not;
- (p) why does DPaW have on its website an approved recovery plan for the WRP, *Wildlife Management Program No. 58*, dated February 2014, and a second version dated October 2014, when the federal Department of the Environment is asking for submissions on a draft recovery plan by 13 February 2015;
- (q) what funding is currently being provided and to which organisations to ensure the WRP does not move closer to extinction;
- (r) what additional funding will be provided and to which organisations to implement the WRP recovery plan given the species status as endangered;
- (s) have any Western Australian native species of plants and animals in the area covered by the Forest Management Plan 2014-2023 been moved to a higher category of threat since August 2008; and
- (t) if yes to (s), which ones and on what dates?

**2570. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

In light of the published scientific research which shows that over 90 per cent of 1080 fox baits in the south west of Western Australia are taken by non-target species, most being native species:

- (a) what are the target species for 1080 baiting in Western Australia;
- (b) will the Minister please identify the non-target species that have been killed by 1080 baits in Western Australia;
- (c) will the Minister provide a list of the published scientific research papers on the impacts of 1080 baits on non-target species in Western Australia;
- (d) is the Minister aware of the use of oats containing 1080 to kill rabbits in order to encourage regeneration of sandalwood in Western Australia's rangelands;
- (e) has the Department of Parks and Wildlife conducted any studies on such use of poisoned oats in the rangelands to determine its possible impacts on native birds, mammals and reptiles;
- (f) if no to (e), why not; and
- (g) if yes to (e), will the Minister provide a list of such research and a summary of its findings in relation to impacts on non-target species?

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**2571. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands:**

- (1) Will the Minister please table satellite photographs depicting the Red Bluff area for the past ten years, from 2004 to 2014?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

**2572. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment:**

I refer to the 17 January 2014 *Tidal Energy Australia (TEA) Compliance Assessment Plan* by AECOM, and section 2.0 - 2.1 Approach and Timing on page 3, and requirements of the audit codes and stated commitments for M5.1 Public Availability of Data on page 10 that Subject to Condition 5-2, within a reasonable time period approved by the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the issue of this statement and for the remainder of the life of the proposal the proponent shall make publicly available, in a manner approved by the CEO, all validated environmental data (including sampling design, sampling methodologies, empirical data and derived information products (e.g. maps) relevant to the assessment of this proposal and implementation of this statement, and that the evidence would be available on the TEA Website, and ask:

- (a) can the Department of Environment advise if the evidence is available on the TEA website;
- (b) if no to (a), why is this evidence not available on the TEA website;
- (c) if no to (a), will the Minister instruct TEA to make the evidence available on the TEA website;
- (d) if no to (c), why not; and
- (e) if yes to (c), what action is available to the Minister if the TEA do not comply?

**2573. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

- (1) I refer to the fare paying boardings in 2012-13 and ask, how many fare paying boardings were there for:
  - (a) student;
  - (b) 2-section;
  - (c) 1 Zone;
  - (d) 2 Zone;
  - (e) 3 Zone;
  - (f) 4 Zone;
  - (g) 5 Zone;
  - (h) 6 Zone;
  - (i) 7 Zone;
  - (j) 8 Zone;
  - (k) 9 Zone;
  - (l) family rider;
  - (m) day rider; and

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(n) other, please specify?

(2) For each of the above, how many were:

- (a) SmartRider boardings;
- (b) concession SmartRider boardings;
- (c) cash; and
- (d) concession cash?

**2574. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Midland and Fremantle rail lines on 30 December 2014, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2575. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the train disruption to the Armadale and Thornlie rail lines on 2 January 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

**2576. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:**

I refer to the 202 metre cruise, ferry Silja Europa, that has been converted into worker accommodation, and which is moored off Barrow Island, and ask:

- (a) what is the current situation for accommodation on Barrow Island;
- (b) is the accommodation on the ferry for 1,400 construction workers;
- (c) if no to (b), please clarify who it is for and how many;
- (d) if yes to (b), where were the workers accommodated prior to this;
- (e) why is the ferry needed in addition to the original expanded accommodation;
- (f) how long will the Silja Europa need to be utilised for accommodation;
- (g) when is it expected that the Silja Europa will depart Barrow waters;
- (h) how will sewerage, wastewater and bilge water be dealt with or removed from the site; and
- (i) what is the expected timeline for the final construction phase of the Chevron Gorgon project?

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**2577. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company and the safety audit of this company scheduled by the Safety Transfer Coordinator for on or around 5 December 2014, and ask:

- (a) was this audit conducted as scheduled;
- (b) if yes to (a), will the Minister table a copy of the audit report which resulted from this audit;
- (c) if no to (b), why not;
- (d) if no to (a), why not;
- (e) if no to (a), when is it rescheduled for, and will the Minister table a copy of the audit report when it has taken place;
- (f) is it common for the Department of Transport (DOT) to not conduct a safety audit when it has been scheduled;
- (g) if yes to (f), why;
- (h) is it a priority for the DOT to conduct regular audits as scheduled, to ensure continuing contractual compliance by the company;
- (i) if no to (h), why not; and
- (j) if yes to (h), what action will the Minister take to ensure this priority is met?

**2578. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and an incident that took place at the Esperance Senior High School on the afternoon of 26 November 2014, and ask:

- (a) is it correct that this high school is a major pick up, drop off and transfer point for children being transported to and from the schools in the town site of Esperance, by this company under contract to the Department of Transport (DOT), and that most of the buses operating in this town site pass through this transfer point to collect and to deliver students;
- (b) is it correct that hundreds of school students of all ages pass through this transfer point, both in the morning and in the afternoon, every school day;
- (c) is it correct that on the afternoon of 26 November, 2014 the Occupational Health and Safety Manager (OHSM) of this company was driving a bus on a route known as "005" and was parked at this school directly in front of a person driving a bus on a route known as "007", whilst they were both waiting for the students that travel on these buses to arrive;
- (d) is it correct that the OHSM of this company alighted from the bus that they were driving and went to the front door of the bus directly behind him and proceeded to unleash an allegedly unprovoked verbal attack on that driver in a very agitated and angry manner;
- (e) is it correct that the OHSM allegedly threatened to have that driver's employment with the company terminated for "raising safety and training issues with other drivers of that company";

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- (f) is it correct that there was a student sitting on the bus behind the driver being subjected to this angry and unprovoked outburst, who was subjected to witnessing the entire event, and that the driver who was subjected to this outburst had to deal with the student, after the outburst had ceased, who was very concerned about what had taken place;
- (g) is it correct that when the driver returned to the office after the run, the OHSM, in apparently another fit of rage and in the presence of three employees of the company, terminated the driver that was previously attacked for the reasons stated in (e);
- (h) is it correct that, in the presence of the same three employees of the company, the OHSM admitted to the angry outburst at the high school which took place in the presence of a student who was on the bus;
- (i) is it correct that the driver that was subject to this outburst wrote to the General Manager of the company concerning the behaviour of the OHSM, and that they also sent a copy of this letter to the owner of the company;
- (j) is this letter still on record at this company;
- (k) is it correct that on 27 November 2014 the driver who was subjected to this outburst, spoke to the Transfer Safety Coordinator for the DOT and reported this behaviour, along with other safety breaches and concerns that he had previously reported to that person on 28 October 2014;
- (l) what was the response of the Safety Transfer Coordinator to this concern, which was raised on 27 November 2014;
- (m) is the Minister aware of any driver of a company conducting themselves in an angry and agitated manner, in the presence of school students that are being transported under contract to the DOT;
- (n) if no to (m), why not; and
- (o) if yes to (m), what actions did the Minister take to rectify the situation thus ensuring it could not take place again in the future?

**2579. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) what is the function and purpose of the occupational health and safety management plan (OHSMP) of a company that holds a contract with the Department of Transport (DOT), and what is this system meant to achieve;
- (b) what are the duties and the responsibilities of the Occupational Health and Safety Manager (OHSM) of a company that operates under a contract that it holds with the DOT, and what is this person/position meant to achieve;
- (c) who is the OHSM of the company, referred to above, required by the DOT to be accountable to;
- (d) was it a mandatory requirement, before this company commenced operating under a contract with the DOT, to be in full compliance with all of the occupational health and safety (OHS) requirements of the DOT;
- (e) if no to (d), why not;



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- (f) if yes to (d), how was compliance verified by the DOT;
- (g) is it a contractual requirement with the DOT for a company to have employed an OHSM at all times;
- (h) if no to (g), why not;
- (i) if yes to (h), has this company met these requirements at all times, and how has the DOT verified that this requirement has been met;
- (j) who is the present OHSM at this company, and how long has this person held this position;
- (k) is it the responsibility of the OHSM to see that the requirements of the OHSMP are met at all times;
- (l) if no to (k), why not;
- (m) is it correct that this company has not complied with the obligations and requirements of the OHSMP, and therefore the OHSM has failed to ensure full compliance with the OHSMP for a number of years;
- (n) if no to (m), what is correct concerning this matter;
- (o) if yes to (m), during what period of time(s) did the company fail to comply, and did it constitute any breaches and penalties;
- (p) has the company ever been in full compliance with its obligations under all contracts that it has held with the DOT in relation to the OHSMP, and having a person dedicated solely to the responsibilities of OHSM; and
- (q) if no to (p), why not, and what action has the Minister taken to rectify this?

**2580. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) how does the Department of Transport (DOT) go about ascertaining the suitability of a company that applies to hold a contract with the DOT;
- (b) what are the requirements set forth to a company that applies to hold a contract with the DOT;
- (c) in reference to (b), which of these requirements is mandatory for the company to meet before being approved to hold and operate under a contract with the DOT;
- (d) what is the title, position, duties and responsibilities of the person who holds the responsibility of fulfilling (a) and (b) on behalf of the DOT;
- (e) who presently holds the position referred to in (d) and how long have they held this position;
- (f) what process is undertaken during inspections and audits of a company, that holds a contract with the DOT, to ensure continuing compliance with the condition of the contract, and what is the extent of these inspections and audits, how long do they take, how often do they take place and what is the standard that must be met;
- (g) what is the title of the person who holds the responsibility of fulfilling (f) on behalf of the DOT;

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- (h) who presently holds this position referred to in (g) and how long have they held this position;
- (i) when did the company meet the requirements of (a), (b) and (c);
- (j) how many inspections and audits have taken place at this company; and
- (k) how many of these inspections and audits have been conducted by the person referred to in (h)?

**2581. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the photograph entitled “Unsafe Driving Behaviours” which was displayed publicly in the company’s office and which may be found at [robin.chapple.com/qdata](http://robin.chapple.com/qdata), and ask:

- (a) is the Minister aware that some drivers of this company drive at excess speed, on a regular basis, through the bus bay at the Esperance Senior High School, which is a major pickup and drop off transfer station for students from all schools in the district;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;
- (c) if yes to (a), what actions were taken to rectify this situation, please include details of breaches and penalties;
- (d) is the Minister aware that the Operations Manager and Occupational Health and Safety Manager (OHS Manager) of this company have allowed this problem to develop to the point where this communication was deemed necessary;
- (e) if no to (d), why not;
- (f) if yes to (d), what actions were undertaken to rectify this situation, please include details of breaches and penalties;
- (g) when was the Department of Transport (DOT) first made aware of this situation;
- (h) when did the DOT first take action to rectify this situation, please include the dates and action;
- (i) how has the DOT verified that this situation has been rectified; and
- (j) what measures has the DOT taken to ensure this situation does not occur in the future?

**2582. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the photograph entitled “Unsafe Driving Behaviours” which may be found at [robin.chapple.com/qdata](http://robin.chapple.com/qdata), and ask:

- (a) is it correct that it has been reported to the company, that employees have been sighted doing the following, whilst driving with students on the bus:
  - (i) speeding around the town;
  - (ii) speaking on mobile phones;
  - (iii) texting on mobile phones;
  - (iv) driving in various unsafe manners;

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- (v) parking buses on railway crossings, with traffic in front of and behind the bus; and
- (vi) on one occasion driven through a stop sign and onto a highway, which had a 110km/h speed restriction, and out in front of a truck requiring the truck driver to brake quite strongly so as to avoid a collision with that bus;
- (b) if no to any of (a), what is correct concerning these matters;
- (c) if yes to any of (a):
  - (i) were the complaints recorded by the company; and
  - (ii) what action has been taken by the company to rectify these matters, how was it verified that these actions were taken, and does the company consider these problems completely rectified;
- (d) was the Minister and the Department of Transport (DOT) aware of any of these driving behaviours referred to in (a);
- (e) if yes to (d), what action has the Minister and the DOT undertaken to ensure they do not reoccur;
- (f) does the Minister consider the driving behaviours referred to in (a) as safe, legal and appropriate on behalf of a company that is transporting children under contract to the DOT;
- (g) if no to (f), why not;
- (h) why have the Operations Manager, the Occupational Health and Safety Manager, and the person responsible for training and assessing in this company allowed the standard of driving to denigrate to the point where the complaints referred to in (a) are being raised with the company by other bus drivers and members of the public;
- (i) is the Minister satisfied that the persons responsible for operations management, occupational health and safety management, and training and assessing in this company, are ensuring that drivers in this company are conducting themselves in an appropriate driving manner whilst driving under contract to the DOT;
- (j) if yes to (i), why;
- (k) if no to (i), why not, and what will the Minister do to ensure that the responsible persons are fulfilling their contractual obligations with the DOT in this company;
- (l) have any contractual obligations with the DOT been breached in the behaviours referred to in (a);
- (m) if yes to (l), which obligations have been breached and what is the penalty for each breach; and
- (n) if yes to (l), what actions will the Minister take to ensure that these behaviours are discontinued and therefore, ensuring the safety of the children transported by this company?

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**2583. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) does the Department of Transport (DOT) inspect and audit this company to ensure that it meets its occupational health and safety (OHS) obligations under the contracts that it holds with the DOT;
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) who conducts the audits, including position title and role;
  - (ii) according to the contract, how frequently are the audits conducted;
  - (iii) what are the qualifications and/or experience held by the person conducting the audits; and
  - (iv) please list the audits conducted over the past three years and who conducted them;
- (c) what is the relevant legislation, and any other benchmarks stipulated by the DOT, used as the standard required of the company for meeting its obligations under its contracts with the DOT;
- (d) is it correct that the Transfer Safety Coordinator is the same person that has conducted recent audits of this company on behalf of the DOT;
- (e) if no to (d), what is correct;
- (f) will the Minister table the full text of the OHS Management System Audit Report Summary dated on or around 7 May 2014 including any and/or all non-compliance notices, non-action notices and opportunities for improvement;
- (g) if no to (f), why not;
- (h) will the Minister table the full text of the non-compliance report/non-action report action register dated on or around 14 August 2014;
- (i) if no to (h), why not;
- (j) regarding the last audit conducted at this company in relation to OHS compliance, were any non-compliances or non-actions or opportunities for improvement still outstanding;
- (k) if yes to (j), what were the areas of non-compliance, non-action or opportunities for improvement, and how long was each one outstanding for, stated in months and years;
- (l) from the findings of the inspections and audits conducted by the DOT, has this company always been in compliance with its obligations in relation to OHS under its contracts with the DOT;
- (m) if no to (l), why not;
- (n) will the Minister table a copy of all audit reports, including any and/or all non-compliance notices, non-action notices and opportunities for improvement for the total duration of time since the company has held contracts with the DOT;
- (o) if no to (n), why not;

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- (p) is the Minister and the DOT satisfied that this company has always been in compliance with its obligations in relation to OHS under its contracts with the DOT;
- (q) if yes to (p), why; and
- (r) if no to (p), why not and what action will the Minister and DOT take to rectify the situation?

**2584. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Water:**

According to the following three reports prepared by the Department of Water, *Environmental management of groundwater abstraction from the Gnangara Mound – annual compliance report 12/13*, *Environmental management of groundwater abstraction from the Gnangara Mound – annual compliance report 11/12*, *Environmental management of groundwater abstraction from the Gnangara Mound – triennial compliance report to the Office of the Environmental Protection Authority July 2009-June 2012*, “the Government updated the 2007 water efficiency measures legislation for garden bores in November 2011 under the *Water Agencies (Water Use) By-laws 2010*. This limits their use to three days per week over summer and applies a total use ban during winter.” Yet the above by-laws in respect of those restrictions were updated in late 2010. Therefore, I ask:

- (a) to what 2007 water efficiency measures legislation does the above refer to;
- (b) when did the Government start monitoring and enforcing the above restrictions on garden bore use;
- (c) how many warning notices and infringements has the Government issued since late 2010 to garden bore owners for “non-compliance” with the above restrictions;
- (d) on what dates were these warning notices or infringements issued; and
- (e) when did the Department of Water last assess the volumetric use of the 60 metered garden bores it has scattered across the Perth metropolitan area?

**2585. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development:**

I refer to Royalties for Regions funding provided to the Shire of Carnarvon, and I ask:

- (a) what funding has been provided to the Shire for the Main Street and Fascine redevelopment projects and when was this funding provided;
- (b) will the Minister table a copy of the business cases prepared by the Shire in requesting Royalties for Regions funding for each of these projects;
- (c) did the Shire meet all conditions set out by the Department for Regional Development before receipt of Royalties for Regions funding for the Main Street and Fascine redevelopment projects; and
- (d) will the Minister table a copy of all documentation confirming all conditions were met by the Shire before the release of funding?

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**2586. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:**

With reference to the operations of the South Hedland Health Campus since its opening, I ask:

- (a) how many admissions were made to the campus of people who died within one hour of admission;
- (b) in relation to (a), how many of these people were unconscious, pulseless and not breathing at the time of admission;
- (c) of the people who were presented to the South Hedland Health campus who were unconscious, pulseless and not breathing, by what method of transport did they arrive; and
- (d) in relation to (c), of the people who arrived by helicopter in all the cases above, from where did they come?

**2587. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

I refer to State Government provided mental health services in Esperance, and I ask:

- (a) how many older adults (seniors) have required mental health care in each of the past five years;
- (b) can the Minister advise if there has been a dedicated older adult (senior) mental health clinician based in Esperance for each of the past five years;
- (c) if yes to (b), how many patients have been cared for by the clinician for each of the past five years;
- (d) if no to (b), why not; and
- (e) how many mental health staff, by position and facility, have been based in Esperance for each of the past five years?

**2588. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) does the Department conduct regular inspections and audits of the buses that are used under the contracts that this company holds with the Department of Transport (DOT);
- (b) if yes to (a), how often are the inspections and audits conducted, and by who;
- (c) are there separate inspections for the buses used on the town runs and for the buses used on the country runs;
- (d) were any safety issues raised concerning any of the buses used in this company from any audit for the last three years;
- (e) if yes to (d), what were the issues and when were each raised;
- (f) will the Minister table a copy of the reports from all audits of the buses used by this company under contract with the DOT for the last three years; and
- (g) if no to (f), why not?

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**2589. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) does the company have a person dedicated to training and assessing drivers who operate buses, that are used under contract with the Department of Transport (DOT);
- (b) if yes to (a), what is their position, qualification and length of qualification held, experience and length of experience held, and do they hold any other positions in the company;
- (c) is there a requirement for the company, under its contractual agreement with the DOT, to have a person with qualifications and experience conducting the training and assessing of persons who drive the buses;
- (d) if yes to (c), what are the requirements; and
- (e) if no to (c), why not?

**2590. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) how many chemicals are listed on the Material Safety Data Sheets Register for this company;
- (b) have the Hazchem Risk Assessments been performed for all of these chemicals;
- (c) if yes to (b), when was this task completed, and how did the Department of Transport (DOT) verify that the company was in compliance;
- (d) if no to (b), how many chemicals have not been assessed;
- (e) if no to (b), does this constitute a breach of the occupational health and safety requirements of the company under its contractual agreements with the DOT;
- (f) if yes to (e), what is the penalty applicable to the company for these breaches;
- (g) if yes to (e), who in the company is responsible and/or accountable for these breaches;
- (h) does the Minister support the DOT allowing a non-compliance of this nature from this company;
- (i) if yes to (h), why; and
- (j) if no to (h), why not, and what will the Minister and the DOT do to rectify this problem?

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**2591. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the photograph “Leaking Fuel Facility”, which can be found at robinchapple.com/qdata, taken on 7 October 2014, depicting fuel that has leaked and is pooling underneath the pump of the bowser, and ask:

- (a) how long has the fuel been leaking and pooling under the pump of this bowser on the fuel facility of this company;
- (b) on what date was this problem rectified, and how was it verified by the Department of Transport (DOT) that the problem had been resolved;
- (c) on what date was this facility commissioned at the premises of this company;
- (d) on what date did the DOT approve the commissioning of this facility;
- (e) how did the DOT verify that the company had met the requirements of the DOT to commission this facility;
- (f) was this facility inspected by the DOT before it was approved and, if so, who inspected it;
- (g) on what date was there a group training of the employees of this company in the correct use of the facility and in emergency response procedures relating to this facility;
- (h) who conducted this training and will the Minister table the evidence to verify that it took place;
- (i) if no to (h), why not;
- (j) will the Minister table a copy of the emergency response procedures which apply to this facility in this company;
- (k) if no to (j), why not;
- (l) is it correct that during a meeting commencing at 9.00am on 12 August 2014, an employee of the company, who had been using the facility for some weeks, stated the need for training in emergency response;
- (m) if no to (l), what is correct concerning this matter; and
- (n) if yes to (l), what was the response of the Occupational Health and Safety Manager in relation to this concern, and what action has been taken regarding this matter?

**2592. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy:**

I refer to question without notice No. 1395, asked on Tuesday, 1 December 2014, and I ask:

- (a) when did Horizon Power first have dealings or communications with Centric Digital or any entity associated with Centric Digital;
- (b) when did Horizon Power enter into a contract or contracts with Centric Digital;
- (c) what was the nature of the contract(s);
- (d) did Mr Brendon Hammond declare any interest in any matters relating to Centric Digital whilst he was the Chairman of Horizon Power;
- (e) if yes to (d), on what date or dates were these declarations made;



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- (f) did Mr Brendon Hammond advise the Executive or the Board of his Chairmanship of Centric Digital when he was appointed as Chairman of Horizon Power;
- (g) if yes to (f), when and how;
- (h) was Mr Brendan Hammond present at Horizon Power Board meetings when the Board discussed Centric Digital;
- (i) if yes to (h), please provide the dates for each meeting; and
- (j) when and how was the Minister first made aware of a conflict of interest?

**2593. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Mental Health:**

I refer to the Minister's response to question on notice No. 1666 and I ask, what has been the cost of implementing each of the nine items listed as progressed through the *Mental Health Plan 2020 Action Plan*?

**2594. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Forestry:**

- (1) What is the Forest Products Commission's assessment of profit on all native forest coups for the year 2013-2014?
- (2) What is the Forest Products Commission's expectation of profit on all native forest coups for the year 2014-2015?

**2595. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

It has come to my attention that the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance may be allowing employees to operate a forklift without a ticket, and I ask:

- (a) does the Minister know if the company is allowing this to occur;
- (b) if yes or no to (a), how does the Minister know this; and
- (c) if yes to (a):
  - (i) does it constitute a breach of any contractual arrangements between the company and the Department of Transport;
  - (ii) what are the breaches and penalty for each breach;
  - (iii) who in the company is responsible for the breaches; and
  - (iv) what action will the Minister take to rectify the breaches?

**2596. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the photographs "Redlion Chemicals (1)" and "Redlion Chemicals (2)", found at [robinchapple.com/qdata](http://robinchapple.com/qdata) taken on 30 July 2014, depicting a number of hazardous and flammable chemicals stored in a shed on the premises, and ask:

- (a) does the Minister approve of the hazardous and flammable chemicals being stored in this manner;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;
- (c) if yes to (a), why;

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- (d) is the storage of chemicals in this manner a breach of any contractual agreement between the company and the Department of Transport (DOT);
- (e) if yes to (d), what are the breaches and penalty for each breach;
- (f) who in the company is responsible and/or accountable for the breaches;
- (g) what was the date of the last inspection and audit conducted at this company by the Public Transport Authority (PTA);
- (h) who conducted the audit and inspection, and what is their position in the PTA;
- (i) how long has this person held this position, and what are their relevant qualifications and experience;
- (j) how many inspections and audits of the company has this person performed;
- (k) did this person identify the chemicals stored in the manner in which they are depicted in the photograph;
- (l) if yes to (k):
  - (i) was a non-compliance report or a non-action report issued by the person who conducted the inspection and audit, or was it regarded as an opportunity for improvement;
  - (ii) was there a timeframe stipulated for the company to comply and, if so, what was it; and
  - (iii) did the company comply with the requirement and, if so, on what date and was it verified by the DOT;
- (m) will the Minister table any relevant reports; and
- (n) if no to (m), why not?

**2597. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the photograph (Student Forklift Operator), found at [robinchapple.com/qdata](http://robinchapple.com/qdata) taken on 20 August 2014, depicting a student from the Esperance Senior High School operating a forklift, as directed by an employee of the company who is not licensed to operate a forklift, and ask:

- (a) does the Minister approve of the Occupational Health and Safety Manager (OHS Manager) of this company allowing and encouraging work experience students to operate vehicles and machinery, including forklifts, on a regular basis;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;
- (c) if yes to (a), why;
- (d) how old was this student at the time this photograph was taken;
- (e) does this breach any contractual agreements between the company and the Department of Transport;
- (f) if yes to (e), which ones and what is the penalty for each breach;
- (g) if no to (e), why not;

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- (h) if yes to (e), who in the company is responsible and/or accountable for any of the breaches; and
- (i) if yes to (e), will the Minister outline what action will be taken?

**2598. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the position of Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) Manager, and ask:

- (a) is it a contractual requirement that this company employs a person dedicated solely to the role of OHS;
- (b) if no to (a), what is correct regarding this matter;
- (c) if yes to (a):
  - (i) does this company have a person employed whose sole responsibility is that of OHS;
  - (ii) what qualifications and/or experience are required for this position; and
  - (iii) has the company ever been in breach of this contractual requirement and, if so, when and why; and
- (d) regarding the person who is currently contracted as the OHS Manager:
  - (i) are they also the Operations Manager of this company and, if not, what is correct regarding this matter;
  - (ii) do they hold any qualifications in this field and, if so, how long have they held the qualifications;
  - (iii) did they have any experience as an OHS Manager before commencing employment at this company and, if so, how much experience;
  - (iv) how long have they been with this company;
  - (v) in what capacity was this person employed when they first started with this company; and
  - (vi) how long have they been OHS Manager?

**2599. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) does the company hold a contract under the Public Transport Authority (PTA) to supply a town bus service in Esperance;
- (b) if no to (a), what is the nature of the contract between the company and the Department of Transport (DOT);
- (c) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many buses does this company operate under this contract;
  - (ii) what is the duration of the current contract and date for renewal; and
  - (iii) for how many years has the company held transport contracts with the PTA, how many contracts have they held and what was the duration of each contract;

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- (d) is it correct that the company also holds contracts with the School Bus Services (SBS) division of the DOT;
- (e) if no to (f), what is the nature of the contract between the company and the DOT;
- (f) if yes to (f):
  - (i) how many individual contracts does the company hold with the SBS, and how many buses operate from those contracts;
  - (ii) what is the total duration of each contract and when do they expire; and
  - (iii) for how many years has the company held transport contracts with the SBS, how many contracts have they held and what was the duration of each contract;
- (g) is it correct that the contracts referred to in (a) and (d) are designed specifically to transport school children, in that the destination of these buses are predominantly the schools in the Esperance town site;
- (h) if no to (g), then what is correct concerning this matter; and
- (i) how many children does the company transport, both to and from the schools in the region, each month on average?

**2600. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance, and ask:

- (a) has the Minister or the Department of Transport (DOT) received any complaints regarding Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) practices at this company;
- (b) if yes to (a), who received the complaints, on what date and what was the response to the complaints raised;
- (c) is it correct that on or around 16 October 2014, concerns were raised with the DOT concerning OHS practices at this company;
- (d) is it correct that on or around 21 October 2014, those same concerns were followed up with the DOT as the DOT had not responded;
- (e) is it correct that on or around 28 October 2014, those same concerns were raised with the Transfer Safety Coordinator of the DOT concerning OHS practices at this company;
- (f) what was the response by the Transfer Safety Coordinator to the concerns raised;
- (g) is it correct that on or around 28 November 2014, those same concerns were again raised with the Transfer Safety Coordinator of the DOT concerning OHS practises at this company;
- (h) is it correct that the Transfer Safety Coordinator of the DOT is the same person who has conducted audits at the company for the DOT;
- (i) is the Minister satisfied with the response by the DOT, and the effectiveness and the efficiency of the DOT in receiving and responding to complaints raised with them;
- (j) if yes to (i), why; and
- (k) if no to (i), why not and what measures will the Minister put in place to rectify this?

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**2601. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance and the photographs “Tyre off 1042 (1)” and “Tyre off 1042 (2)”, which may be found at [robinchapple.com/qdata](http://robinchapple.com/qdata) taken on 19 August 2014, which depicts a tyre taken off a bus at the company, so bald that it had worn through the wires around a significant portion of the tyre, and ask:

- (a) is it correct that this tyre was removed, on or around 8 August 2014, from the rear of a bus known as 1042, which was used on a route known as 003 to transport children to and from schools in the district of Esperance;
- (b) is it correct that it was stated by the Occupational Health and Safety Manager (OHS Manager) of this company, on a meeting commencing at 9.00am on 12 August 2014, that a total of six different drivers had driven this bus with the tyre in that condition, having completed and signed a prestart checklist indicating that the tread on the tyres had been checked and therefore it was safe for them to operate the bus;
- (c) is it correct that one of those drivers referred to in (b), was in fact the OHS Manager of the company, who operated the bus on a school bus route known as 003, on 4 July 2014;
- (d) does operating a bus with a tyre on it in the condition depicted in the photographs, constitute a breach of any contract that the company holds with the department, or any other legislation;
- (e) if yes to (d), please specify the breaches and penalty for each breach;
- (f) is the OHS Manager of this company responsible and accountable for any of the breaches depicted in the photograph and referred to in (e);
- (g) if yes to (f), please specify which breaches and the penalty for each breach;
- (h) does the Minister approve of a tyre being in this condition on a bus that is transporting children under contract to the State Government, and being operated by the OHS Manager as being competent and of setting a good example to the employees of the company;
- (i) does the Minister approve of the OHS Manager of this company allowing six different drivers to operate a bus, with a tyre in this condition, that is transporting children under contract to the State Government; and
- (j) will the Minister require his department to take action on this matter and, if so, what action?

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**2602. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development:**

Has the State Government had any discussion with the Federal Government regarding the China/Australia Free Trade Agreement and the following issues:

- (a) the revenue lost from the cuts to import tariffs and its impact on the state revenue of Western Australia;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;
- (c) what measures the Government will take to inhibit the power of the Investor-State Dispute Settlement provisions, which internationally has created precedent for private companies to sue governments for billions of dollars, thus creating a large potential for them to influence state regulatory legislation;
- (d) if no to (c), why not;
- (e) the impact of Chinese industry and labour competition on local industries and jobs;
- (f) if no to (e), why not;
- (g) if yes to (a), (c) and/or (e), will the State Government table the correspondence; and
- (h) if no to (g), why not?

**NIGEL PRATT**

Clerk of the Legislative Council