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Tuesday, 22 June 2010

3228. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister for Education

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3229. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to the 2010–2011 State Budget re-cashflow of the 2009–2010 3% Efficiency Dividend Shortfall, and ask:

- (a) do the 3% Efficiency Dividend targets, as listed in the Forward Estimates of the 2009–2010 State Budget, still have to be met; and
 - (i) if so, are the re-cashflowed entries added to those targets;
- (b) what are the 3% efficiency target amounts for 2010–2011, 2011–2012 and 2012–2013;
- (c) if those targets are to be met, what specific areas will be cut; and
- (d) if a decision has not yet been made on what specific areas to cut, what specific areas are under consideration for cuts to meet the 3% efficiency dividend targets?

3230. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

For each education district:

- (a) how many schools are there with kindergarten students enrolled and how many kindergarten students are enrolled in each school; and
- (b) how many kindergarten students in total are there in each district?

3231. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

For the period 3 June 2009 to 3 June 2010, how many online incident notifications has the Department of Education received that notified of an incident of alleged assault, either physical or verbal:

- (a) by a student on another student;
- (b) by a parent against a student;
- (c) by a parent against a teacher; and
- (d) by a student against a teacher?

3232. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to the Liberal election promise to cut district education office numbers from 14 to six, consisting of two metropolitan and four regional offices, and ask:

- (a) does the Minister intend to keep the promise to reduce district education offices to the numbers stated; and
 - (i) if not, why not;
- (b) will fulfilment of the election commitment to cut district education offices from 14 to six contribute to the 3% efficiency dividend; and
 - (i) if so, how much will be saved;

- (c) when the 14 districts are cut to six, how many of the full-time equivalents (FTEs) currently in district education offices will be cut and will the people themselves be redeployed or sacked;
- (d) of those to be redeployed, if regionally based, will that redeployment be outside their home town; and
- (e) if the number of district education offices is to be reduced to a number greater than six:
 - (i) will this reduction contribute to the 3% efficiency dividend; and
 - (A) if so, how much will be saved;
 - (ii) how many of the FTEs currently in district education offices will be cut and will the people themselves be redeployed or sacked; and
 - (iii) of those to be redeployed, if regionally based, will that redeployment be outside their home town?

3233. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to the 2010–2011 State Budget, Division 29, page 370, *Net Appropriation Determination*, line item 'Fees – Other', and ask:

- (a) does this item refer to the voluntary fees collected by schools; and
 - (i) if not, are they listed anywhere in the State Budget papers, or do they stay within the individual schools' budgets;
- (b) given that many schools collect very little in voluntary fees compared with other schools in wealthier areas, does the Department of Education do anything to offset the resulting inequality;
- (c) has an audit of schools ever been done which takes into account the amounts collected in voluntary fees and any low socio-economic compensatory funding to see if the Department's compensatory measures offset the deficiency in voluntary fees; and
 - (i) if not, will the Minister commit to doing such an audit;
- (d) if a school collects very little in voluntary fees, does it just make do with what is provided, or is it encouraged to approach the Department of Education seeking further supplementary funding;
- (e) does the Department of Education seek out and offer assistance to schools that collect very little in the voluntary fees, or does it wait until the school is in financial trouble or the school approaches the Department before it takes any sort of action; and
- (f) if a school approaches the Department and advises that it has only been able to collect an unusually low amount of fees, perhaps due to a spike in unemployment in its catchment area, for instance, what action is the Department likely to take – would it provide extra funds based on the school's normal collection rate?

3234. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to the introduction of on-entry diagnostic testing in literacy and numeracy for kindergarten students, and ask:

- (a) what provision, if any, has been made to train teachers in the administration of the diagnostic tools;
- (b) does this provision include additional relief teacher time so that kindergarten teachers have time to become adept at administering this assessment;

- (c) are these diagnostic tests administered individually, that is, are they administered on a one-to-one basis with the teacher assessing one student at a time; and
 - (i) if so, how long for each child would the tests take;
 - (ii) if so, what provision has been made to release teachers from teaching duties so that they can administer the tests; and
 - (iii) if no provision has been made, who supervises the class while the teacher assesses each student?

3235. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to the 2010–2011 State Budget allocation of \$16.978 million for growth in student numbers, and ask:

- (a) what increase in student numbers does the allocated \$16.978 million cover;
- (b) what increase in student numbers did the estimated actual figure of \$18.414 million cover; and
- (c) is there a formula used to calculate the added cost for each additional student; and
 - (i) if so, what is it?

3236. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development

I refer to the first round of the Regional Grants Scheme and the \$20,000 provided to the Dongara Telecentre for enhancing educational training, and ask:

- (a) who will the training be provided for;
- (b) who will be providing the training;
- (c) has the training been completed; and
 - (i) if so, what was the final complete cost of the training?

3237. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development

I refer to the first round of the Regional Grants Scheme and the \$25,000 provided to the Dongara Golf Club Inc. for the on-course eco toilets and drinking fountain, and ask:

- (a) has the project been completed;
 - (i) if yes, what was the final cost of the project; and
 - (ii) if not, when will the project be completed and what is the estimated final cost of the project;
- (b) did the project go to tender; and
 - (i) if so, who was the successful tenderer;
 - (ii) if not, what is the name of the business which undertook, or is undertaking, the project; and
- (c) are there any project management costs associated with the project; and
 - (i) if so, how much are those costs; and
 - (ii) if so, are these project management costs included in the \$25,000 funding for the project?

3238. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development

I refer to the first round of the Regional Grants Scheme and \$60,000 of funding to the Katanning Regional Business Association towards the installation of closed-circuit television (CCTV), and I ask:

- (a) has the CCTV been installed; and
 - (i) if yes, what is the location of the CCTV; and
 - (ii) if yes, what was the final cost of the installation of the CCTV;
- (b) what is the specific breakdown of costs associated with the installation of the CCTV;
- (c) who is responsible for screening the CCTV?

3239. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development

I refer to the first round of the Regional Grants Scheme and \$107,100 of funding to the Denmark Rivermouth Caravan Park, and ask:

- (a) is the caravan park a private venture; and
 - (i) if so, what are the name(s) of the owner or owners; and
 - (ii) if not, who owns/runs the caravan park;
- (b) what is the specific breakdown of costs associated with the \$107,100 funding to the caravan park for the power supply and headworks; and
- (c) has the project been completed; and
 - (i) if so, what was the final cost of the works; and
 - (ii) if not, when will works be completed?

3240. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development

I refer to the first round of the Regional Grants Scheme and \$25,000 of funding to Taste Pty Ltd towards the creation of new down-stream products using French black truffles, and ask:

- (a) have these down-stream products been created; and
 - (i) if so, what is the nature of these down-stream products; and
 - (ii) if not, why not;
- (b) how did the \$25,000 assist in the creation of the down-stream products;
- (c) are the products destined for export or local consumption;
- (d) where is Taste Pty Ltd based; and
- (e) what is the name of the owner of Taste Pty Ltd?

3241. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment

In relation to the Key Performance Indicator No. 4 in the Forest Management Plan (FMP) 2004–2013, which has a performance target of no permanent loss of net area of forested land, will the Minister advise whether there has been a permanent loss of net area of forested land in the Swan, South-West and Warren Forest regions since the FMP came into operation on 1 January 2004; and

- (a) if so, what is the area of forested land that has been permanently lost in each of the Swan, South-West and Warren Forest Regions?

3242. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development

I refer to the Regional Grants Scheme funding of \$132,000 to the Shire of Augusta-Margaret River for the Cowaramup Mainstreet Underground Power project, and ask:

- (a) what is the total cost of the project;
- (b) how much is being contributed by the Shire towards the project;
- (c) is any part of the \$132,000 State Government contribution being provided by the Office of Energy; and
 - (i) if so, what is that amount;
- (d) has the Office of Energy provided any amount to the project in addition to the \$132,000 State Government contribution; and
 - (i) if so, how much;
- (e) does any Office of Energy funding include a contribution from Western Power; and
 - (i) if so, how much is the Western Power contribution; and
 - (ii) if not, is there a separate contribution from Western Power and how much is that contribution;
- (f) as a percentage of the total cost of the project, what is the total State Government contribution; and
- (g) in reference to a report in the Augusta Margaret River Times, dated 25 December 2009, that the \$132,000 was offered to the Shire of Augusta-Margaret River, will the Minister confirm that an offer of funding was made prior to a formal application from the Shire; and
 - (i) if so, who made that offer to the Shire?

3243. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister for Police

It has come to my attention that previously in Western Australia public drunkenness was an offence for which a person could be arrested by a police officer. Could the Minister please advise:

- (a) when the relevant legislation in Western Australia was amended to remove the ability of police officers to arrest a person for being drunk in public; and
- (b) what was the rationale behind this amendment to the legislation?

3244. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Health

In answer to Question on Notice No. 2681(4), the Minister said he would ensure that the State Government will continue the subsidy for current eligible applicants on spectacles. However, the Government's Seniors Card website advises that a subsidy of up to \$50 on a pair of spectacles every two years is available by completing a claim form available from optometrists, optical dispensers and the Department of Health Western Australia. It also advises that this scheme is currently under review and eligibility criteria may change. Does the Minister stand by what he said in the House on 18 May 2010, or is the spectacle subsidy safe?

3245. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier; Treasurer; Minister for State Development

Can the Premier please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and

(c) 2008–2009?

3246. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs

Can the Deputy Premier please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3247. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3248. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Minister Assisting the Minister for Transport

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3249. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education; Tourism

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within her portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3250. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3251. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3252. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Health

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3253. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3254. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training and Workforce Development

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3255. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services

Can the Attorney General please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3256. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within her portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3257. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Water; Mental Health

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3258. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3259. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Minister Assisting the Minister for Education

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3260. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within her portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3261. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Commerce; Science and Innovation; Housing; Minister Assisting the Treasurer

Can the Minister please provide a listing of all fees and charges administered by each agency within his portfolio for each of the following years:

- (a) 2010–2011;
- (b) 2009–2010; and
- (c) 2008–2009?

3262. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy

Page 121 of 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 presents Item 28 and the doubling of ‘Refunds of Past Years Revenue Collections – Public Corporations’ in 2010–2011. In relation to this, I ask:

- (a) why is this item estimated to double in size during 2010–2011;

- (b) which public corporations are expected to receive this refund; and
- (c) is there a statutory obligation, or other stated obligation, to refund this collected revenue?

3263. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy

Page 144 of 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 details that total dividends administered by the Department of Treasury and Finance are estimated to increase by \$124.4 million from what was listed in the 2009–2010 State Budget. In relation to this, I ask:

- (a) how much of this increase is contributed by increases to electricity charges and fees;
- (b) how much of this increase in dividends is dependant on the 10% increase to the A1/A2 electricity tariff in 2010–2011; and
- (c) how much of this increase in dividends is dependant on the 17.7% increase to the average household water charge?

3264. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 121 of 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 presents Item 28 and the doubling of ‘Refunds of Past Years Revenue Collections – Public Corporations’ in 2010–2011. In relation to this, I ask:

- (a) why is this item estimated to double in size during 2010–2011;
- (b) which public corporations are expected to receive this refund; and
- (c) is there a statutory obligation, or other stated obligation, to refund this collected revenue?

3265. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier; Treasurer; Minister for State Development

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- (a) what actual savings will be made through the 3% efficiency dividend in the 2009–2010 year, the 2010–2011 year and each year of the forward estimates; and
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3266. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs

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3267. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs

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3268. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Minister Assisting the Minister for Transport

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3269. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education; Tourism

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3270. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services

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3271. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety

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3272. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Health

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3273. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts

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3274. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training and Workforce Development

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3275. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services

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3276. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests

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3278. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

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3280. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth

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3281. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Commerce; Science and Innovation; Housing; Minister Assisting the Treasurer

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3282. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier; Treasurer; Minister for State Development

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3283. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs

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3284. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs

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3285. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Minister Assisting the Minister for Transport

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3286. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education; Tourism

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3287. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services

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3288. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety

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3289. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Health

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3290. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts

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3291. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training and Workforce Development

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3292. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services

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3294. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Water; Mental Health

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3295. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

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3297. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth

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3298. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Commerce; Science and Innovation; Housing; Minister Assisting the Treasurer

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3299. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier; Treasurer; Minister for State Development

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3300. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs

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3301. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs

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3302. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Minister Assisting the Minister for Transport

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3303. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education; Tourism

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- (a) what actual savings will be made through the Capital Works Audit in the 2009–2010 year, the 2010–2011 year and each year of the forward estimates; and
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3304. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services

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3305. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety

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3306. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Health

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3307. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts

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3308. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training and Workforce Development

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- (a) what actual savings will be made through the Capital Works Audit in the 2009–2010 year, the 2010–2011 year and each year of the forward estimates; and
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3309. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services

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- (a) what actual savings will be made through the Capital Works Audit in the 2009–2010 year, the 2010–2011 year and each year of the forward estimates; and
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3310. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests

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3311. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Water; Mental Health

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3312. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

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3313. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Minister Assisting the Minister for Education

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3314. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth

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3315. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Commerce; Science and Innovation; Housing; Minister Assisting the Treasurer

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3316. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 27 of the *2010-11 Economic and Fiscal Outlook* describes the 'Red Tape Reduction and Regulatory Gatekeeping' initiative. In relation to this, I ask:

- (a) what savings will be made across the public sector as a result of this initiative;
- (b) where will these savings be made;
- (c) when will these savings be made; and
- (d) where are these savings in the 2010–2011 State Budget?

3317. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 130 of 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 presents the following key effectiveness indicators: the extent to which client agencies agree that planning and delivery of new buildings achieved value-for-money; the extent to which client agencies agree that planning and delivery of building maintenance achieved value-for-money; and, the extent to which client agencies agree that their office

accommodation has achieved value-for-money. The estimated actual figures for 2009–2010 in the three surveys are approximately half of the budgeted target. I ask:

- (a) what were the reasons for the estimated actual figures being below the budgeted figure;
- (b) from page 131, why is value-for-money not perceived as being achieved by agency Chief Executive Officers and asset leaders; and
- (c) why has the budget target for 2010–2011 not changed for each of these key effectiveness indicators?

3318. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 134 of 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 presents service 6, 'Evaluation and Planning of Government Service Delivery and Infrastructure Provision'. Why have full-time equivalents under service 6 increased by 27 in 2009–2010, between the budget and estimated actual figure?

3319. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 137 of 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 presents service number 9, 'Project Management, Coordination and Implementation of the Whole-of-Government Shared Corporate Services Reform'. In relation to this, I ask:

- (a) how will the reduction of \$8,687 in 2010–2011 for the efficiency indicator stated as the delivery of project within budget target be achieved;
- (b) are there any cost blow-outs anticipated; and
- (c) what on-going costs (e.g. maintenance) are associated with this?

3320. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Why has service number 12, 'Facilitate the Centre for Excellence and Innovation in Infrastructure Delivery (CEIID)', presented in the 2009–2010 State Budget, been removed from the 2010–2011 State Budget?

3321. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

Regarding telephone calls made to 131 444 for police assistance or attendance, for each of the years from 2005–2006 through to, and including, 2009–2010, what was the number of:

- (a) calls;
- (b) calls answered;
- (c) calls abandoned; and
- (d) calls answered within 20 seconds?

3322. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

What is the number of sworn police officers, by their broad rank structure, serving in Western Australia police for each month from January 2009 to June 2010?

3323. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) What are all the expenditures relating to the Graffiti Task Force, specifying all amounts over \$5,000, including any administrative costs, for the:
 - (a) 2008–2009 financial year;

- (b) 2009–2010 financial year; and
- (c) 2010–2011 proposed budget expenditures?

3324. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) What are all the expenditures, including grants, from the Community Safety and Crime Prevention Partnership Fund, specifying all amounts over \$5,000, for the:
 - (a) 2008–2009 financial year;
 - (b) 2009–2010 financial year; and
 - (c) 2010–2011 proposed budget expenditures?

3325. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) Following on from the supplementary information number A45, provided to Estimates Committee A for the 2010–2011 State Budget, how many complaints were received through the State Supply Commission in the following years:
 - (a) 2008–2009;
 - (b) 2007–2008;
 - (c) 2006–2007;
 - (d) 2005–2006;
 - (e) 2004–2005;
 - (f) 2003–2004;
 - (g) 2002–2003;
 - (h) 2001–2002; and
 - (i) 2000–2001?
- (2) For each of the years listed at (1) above, how many complaints were investigated?
- (3) For each of the years listed at (1) above, how many complaints were sustained?

3326. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

- (1) Will the Minister explain the rationale behind his decision to require volunteers at the State Library of Western Australia to read the Department of Culture and the Arts Portfolio Code of Conduct and sign an acknowledgement form, or otherwise leave?
- (2) How many volunteers refused to sign and have subsequently left?
- (3) How many years of volunteering at the State Library did these particular volunteers have between them?
- (4) How many volunteers were there at the State Library before this directive?
- (5) How many are there now?

3327. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Housing

I refer to the Department of Housing Joint Venture Agreement with Retirees WA Incorporated, and ask:

- (1) when did the Department of Housing last audit the resident maintenance funds paid by lease-for-life occupants living in homes on Department of Housing land covered by the Department's Joint Venture Agreement with Retirees WA Incorporated;

- (2) is the Minister aware of a recent decision by Retirees WA Incorporated to increase (by about 20%) the amount that Retirees WA Incorporated requires its lease-for-life occupants to pay for what is termed 'maintenance'; and
- (3) did Retirees WA Incorporated seek approval from the Department of Housing before increasing its charges to lease-for-life occupants, given that many are aged pensioners?

3328. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Water

Further to 2010–2011 Budget Estimates supplementary information number A53:

- (1) where are the 457 properties where no sewerage line is available; and
- (2) where are the 64 properties where sewerage is scheduled within the next five years?

3329. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Housing

Further to 2010–2011 Budget Estimates supplementary information number A53:

- (1) where are the 457 properties where no sewerage line is available; and
- (2) where are the 64 properties where sewerage is scheduled within the next five years?

3330. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Water

In the suburbs of Nollamara, Mirrabooka, Koondoola, Alexander Heights and Dianella:

- (a) how many areas are unsewered; and
- (b) will the Minister advise the locations/addresses of each unsewered area?

3331. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

For the Common Registration System (CRS) being developed by the Department of Water:

- (a) what are the stages and completion dates planned for the development of the CRS;
- (b) what are the expected outcomes on completion of each stage of the CRS;
- (c) what are the budgeted costs for each stage; and
- (d) how much money is the Commonwealth or its agencies contributing to each stage?

3332. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

What Commonwealth funding has been provided to the Department of Water, including both direct grants and Commonwealth money received via another agency, for the period 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2010, and particularly:

- (a) the name of the grant or funding source;
- (b) the purpose or use for which the funding was allocated;
- (c) the amount and the allocation by financial year of each funding grant;
- (d) the year, or years, in which each grant of funds was spent;
- (e) where matching funds were required from the State Government, what were the amounts by financial years in each case; and
- (f) were there any instances where available Commonwealth funding was not taken up; and
 - (i) if so, what was on offer and why was it not utilised?

3333. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

- (1) Why does the 2010–2011 State Budget have zero allocation to ‘Regional Flood Mitigation’ on page 740 of Budget Paper No. 2?
- (2) Has this program been discontinued; and
 - (i) if so, why?
- (3) Are Commonwealth funds still available to help meet the cost of flood mitigation work; and
 - (i) if so, have there been any applications for Commonwealth funding; and
 - (A) if so, what was requested and how much was granted in 2008–2009 and 2009–2010?

3334. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

- (1) What was the date of Cabinet approval to draft the Water Services Bill?
- (2) What was the date of Cabinet approval to draft the Water Services Legislation Amendment and Repeal Bill?
- (3) Has Cabinet yet approved drafting of the Water Resources Management Bill; and
 - (i) if so, on what date was approval to draft given?

3335. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Housing

- (1) Can the Minister advise whether there will be a net increase of social housing in Western Australia following the transfer of 559 houses to the community housing sector?
- (2) How many of the 559 homes to be transferred to the community housing sector are in the following suburbs:
 - (a) Huntingdale;
 - (b) Thornlie; and
 - (c) Gosnells?
- (3) How much funding will be provided to the community housing sector to conduct maintenance of these properties?
- (4) Will the rent charged to the tenants in these properties be more than that paid as a tenant of the Department of Housing?

3336. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy

As part of Round 5 of the State Underground Power Program, Attadale North made a submission through the City of Melville which included documented support indicating that over 500 residents and more than 400 homes supported the installation of underground power. It is understood from initial feedback from the City of Melville that Attadale North’s submission was one of 89 submissions and that it was not selected as one of the 20 shortlisted submissions. This is very difficult to understand when, in Round 4, Attadale North was shortlisted and the latest submission demonstrates overwhelming community support and the ability to pay. Could the Minister please provide:

- (a) details of the evaluation criteria for evaluating Round 5 submissions for underground power, including both:
 - (i) technical; and
 - (ii) non-technical criteria;
- (b) details of any weighting applied to the evaluation criteria in (a) above;

- (c) details of the scoring system applied to the submissions, including a description for each score value applied;
- (d) details of the methodology used in evaluating submissions for underground power in Round 5, including how:
 - (i) evaluations were conducted;
 - (ii) submissions were shortlisted; and
 - (iii) submissions were selected for Round 5 funding;
- (e) specifically, in respect to the Attadale North submission, a copy of the evaluation spreadsheets, including scores/weighted scores and any written commentary, and a copy of the comparative statement for the overall evaluation of the 89 submissions; and
 - (i) if this cannot be provided, please detail:
 - (A) the reasons why; and
 - (B) to whom a freedom of information (FOI) submission should be made to seek such information under FOI?

3337. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment

In relation to the Kemerton Industrial Estate near Bunbury, could the Minister please advise:

- (a) if contamination has occurred to groundwater in and around the industrial estate by industrial activities in the estate; and
 - (i) if so, what is the level and nature of the contamination;
- (b) whether any of the industries in the estate have breached their Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) licence agreements or conditions in the last three years; and
- (c) if yes to (b):
 - (i) which industries or companies have breached their EPA licence agreement;
 - (ii) for each of the industries or companies listed at (i):
 - (A) what those breaches have been; and
 - (B) what actions have the Department of Environment and Conservation and/or the Minister's office taken to remedy the breaches?

3338. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy

Could the Minister please list the location of each of the underground power substations in Western Australia?

3339. Dr J.M. Woollard to the Treasurer

The Office of Government Procurement produces an annual report titled *Who Buys What*. This annual report is released into the public domain; however, the report for 2008–2009 has not yet been made publicly available. I ask:

- (a) on what date will the 2008–2009 *Who Buys What* report be released into the public domain;
- (b) what are the specific reasons for the 2008–2009 report not being released to date;

- (c) will the information be relevant despite being released almost 12 months after the end of the reporting period; and
- (d) will the Treasurer guarantee that the quarterly reports for *Who Buys What* will be released within one month of the end of each quarter (for example, the Public Sector Commission already releases quarterly reports in the public domain for the public sector workforce); and
 - (i) if not, why not?

3340. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

In relation to the Economic Regulation Authority (ERA) within the 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2:

- (a) the 2009–2010 State Budget included \$143,000 in the forward estimates under the Asset Investment Program – why is this not in the 2010–2011 State Budget;
- (b) why is property, plant and equipment estimated to decrease by \$80,000 in 2010–2011;
- (c) why is property, plant and equipment estimated to be \$3,000 in 2013–2014; and
- (d) how will the ERA operate with this minimal level of property, plant and equipment in 2013–2014?

3341. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 152 of the 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 mentions that the Economic Regulation Authority (ERA) utilised four additional full-time equivalents (FTEs) to build capacity and expertise in 2009–2010 and, in relation to this, I ask:

- (a) what functions did they perform;
- (b) how were these FTEs hired;
- (c) does the ERA have the necessary internal capacity and expertise without the on-going utilisation of these extra four FTEs; and
- (d) when does the ERA plan to review its ongoing FTE needs in 2010–2011?

3342. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

In light of the improved growth in Western Australia in the Treasurer's State Budget, and the deferral of tax measures in the Mid-year Review worth \$511 million, I ask:

- (a) what are the changes in the growth assumptions for Western Australia between the cut-off date for the 2009–2010 Mid-year Review and now;
- (b) given the timeframe and the changes to the growth assumption in (a), what will each of the two deferrals on transfer duty and payroll tax now be worth as additional revenue; and
- (c) will the Treasurer continue the deferral of these two tax measures; and
 - (i) if no, where will this additional revenue be spent?

3343. Mr F.M. Logan to the Minister for Water

Will the Minister provide a list of priority in-fill sewage programs for the years 2010–2011 and advise where Bruce Rock fits into this list?

3344. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

Page 162 of the 2010–2011 State Budget Paper No. 2 shows the balance of receivables for the Office of the Auditor General (OAG) was budgeted in 2009–2010 to be \$624,000 and is estimated to be \$5.2 million in 2010–2011. I ask:

- (a) why are receivables estimated to increase significantly;
- (b) what is the current capacity of the OAG to manage receivables;
- (c) what is the OAG's capacity to manage receivables throughout 2010–2011; and
- (d) does the Treasurer anticipate any collection problems with this increase in receivables?

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PETER J. McHUGH

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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