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4044. Hon Martin Pritchard to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the contract for parking at QEII Medical Centre and the New Children's Hospital, and I ask, for each of Wilsons and Capella Capital:

- (a) is there any guaranteed revenue to the private operators as part of the contract and, if so, how much is it;
- (b) does the Government receive any income from the company and, if so, how much; and
- (c) what is the subsidy to the private operators of the car park for concessions on staff and visitor parking in 2014-2015 and 2015 to date?

4045. Hon Sue Ellery to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Finance:

I refer to maintenance of air-cooling in schools and I ask, for the week beginning 8 February 2016:

- (a) how many calls to Building Management and Works (BMW) were made from Western Australian schools in relation to air-cooling system breakdowns;
- (b) of the calls in (a), how many were given the following status:
 - (i) priority one;
 - (ii) priority two; and
 - (iii) priority three;
- (c) for each of (b)(i) to (b)(iii):
 - (i) what is the maximum time specified for a maintenance crew to visit the school to fix the problem; and
 - (ii) in how many instances was the time specified for the priority level met; and
- (d) to date, and for each of (b)(i) to (b)(iii), how many schools are yet to have their air-cooling fault repaired?

4046. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

- (1) What courses were offered by the South West Institute of Technology (SWIT) in semester one of 2016?
- (2) What courses offered by SWIT in 2015, were not offered in semester one of 2016?
- (3) In semester one of 2016, how many courses offered by SWIT were unable to proceed due to low student numbers?
- (4) In relation to (3), what were the courses?

4047. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

In relation to the review of the Priority Start - Building Policy, I ask:

- (a) has the review been completed;

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- (b) have the findings and recommendations of the review been presented to the Government;
- (c) will the Minister table a copy of the review findings and recommendations and the revised policy; and
- (d) if no to (c), why not?

4048. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

- (1) What are the total student fees collected by the South West Institute of Technology (SWIT) in 2015?
- (2) What are the total student fees collected at each SWIT campus in 2015?
- (3) What are the total student fees received by SWIT in 2015 from:
 - (a) Advanced Diploma students;
 - (b) Diploma students;
 - (c) Certificate IV students;
 - (d) Certificate III students;
 - (e) Certificate II students; and
 - (f) Certificate I students?

4049. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

- (1) What is the current status of the 33 priority actions identified in the South West Workforce Development Plan, which have been implemented in full and which are still in progress?
- (2) When will a review of the plan be undertaken to take into account any change in priority job shortage in order to appropriately direct training?

4050. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

- (1) What are the total number of permanent staff, by headcount and FTE, currently employed by the South West Institute of Technology (SWIT)?
- (2) What are the total number of contract staff, by headcount and FTE, currently employed by SWIT?
- (3) What are the position titles for all staff currently employed at each SWIT campus?

4051. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

- (1) What was the total number of student enrolments at each of the South West Institute of Technology campuses in semester one of 2016?
- (2) How many courses were provided at each of the South West Institute of Technology campuses in semester one of 2016?

4052. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:

- (1) What was the total of grants and subsidies given to state training providers in 2015-2016?

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- (2) What was the total of grants and subsidies given to private training providers in 2015-2016?
- (3) In semester one of 2016, how many students were enrolled at:
- (a) state training providers; and
 - (b) private training providers?
- 4053. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**
- (1) Can an organisation or a business that is not a registered training provider, partner with a registered training provider to deliver training?
 - (2) In such a situation, who is audited by the State Accreditation Council, the organisation/business providing the training or the registered training provider that has partnered with the business/organisation for the purposes of compliance with the legislation?
 - (3) Does the State Accreditation Council hold a record of businesses/organisations partnered with registered training providers to deliver training?
- 4054. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**
- (1) For each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, how much of the total funding allocations in each funding program under Royalties for Regions was allocated to projects in the South West region?
 - (2) In relation to (1), for each of the years specified and for each project:
 - (a) what was the project;
 - (b) who was the recipient of the funding allocation;
 - (c) how much funding was granted;
 - (d) has the project been completed;
 - (e) was a business case submitted; and
 - (f) has the funding been acquitted?
- 4055. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**
- (1) I refer to the option held by AustPro Management Service Group, to purchase Lot 2, Koombana North and ask, did AustPro exercise its option to purchase before it expired on 31 March 2016?
 - (2) When are works expected to commence and be completed on Lot 1, Koombana North?
- 4056. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:**
- (1) For each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, what was the funding allocated for the management of the Ngari Capes National Park to the Department of Parks and Wildlife and the Department of Fisheries from Royalties for Regions?
 - (2) For each of the years specified in (1):
 - (a) how was the money spent; and
 - (b) what programs/works were completed?

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- (3) Why wasn't funding allocated in the budgets of the departments for the management of Ngari Capes National Park?

4057. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

- (1) How much of the Withers Urban Renewal funding has been allocated to date (list projects and amount of funding)?
- (2) How much funding remains for the Withers Urban Renewal funding?
- (3) With the exception of the improvements to a number of parks in Withers, what other urban renewal works have been completed?

4058. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

I refer to the implementation of the Leschenault Inlet Master Plan, and I ask:

- (a) has the Minister received a proposal for funding from the City of Bunbury for the implementation of the plan;
- (b) if yes to (a), what are the details of the proposal;
- (c) has a business case been completed;
- (d) if yes to (c), will the Minister table the business case; and
- (e) if no to (d), why not?

4059. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

I refer to the proposal to build new marine facilities in Bunbury, and I ask:

- (a) what is the current status of the proposal;
- (b) has a business case for the project or any component of the project been submitted;
- (c) if yes to (b), will the Minister table the business case;
- (d) if no to (c), why not; and
- (e) what engineering and environmental studies are being undertaken and when are the studies expected to be completed?

4060. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

- (1) For each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, how much Royalties for Regions funding was distributed for (list the projects and the funding allocated):
- (a) education and training projects;
- (b) health and aged care projects;
- (c) housing and housing related projects;
- (d) sport and recreation projects;
- (e) tourism projects; and
- (f) utilities, power, water and communication projects?

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- (2) For each of the years and each of the projects specified (1), which projects were located in the South West region and how much funding was allocated to each project?

4061. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

I refer to the creation of an animation hub in Bunbury, and I ask:

- (a) has the infrastructure needs assessment been completed;
- (b) has the City of Bunbury and the Government considered a proposal for construction of an animation hub in Bunbury;
- (c) if yes to (b), will the Minister table the proposal;
- (d) if no to (c), why not; and
- (e) if no action has been taken to date, what are the reasons for the delay?

4062. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

I refer to the development of Creative Industries in the South West, and I ask:

- (a) has the infrastructure needs assessment to be conducted by the South West Development Commission and ScreenWest been undertaken;
- (b) if no to (a), why not;
- (c) what are the expected commencement and completion dates for this assessment;
- (d) how will the assessment be funded; and
- (e) what is the estimated cost of the assessment?

4063. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development:

I refer to the Growing our South program, and I ask:

- (a) what projects have been funded from the program (please list);
- (b) in relation to the projects identified in (a):
 - (i) when was funding approved;
 - (ii) what was the locality of the project;
 - (iii) what was the name of the recipient; and
 - (iv) how much funding was approved;
- (c) have all the recipients signed funding agreements;
- (d) have all the recipients acquitted the funding grants;
- (e) if no to (d), which recipients are yet to acquit the funding grants;
- (f) was a business case required for each project funded;
- (g) if no to (f), why not; and
- (h) for which projects were business cases provided/required?

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4064. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) In each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, how many reports of suspected child sexual abuse were received in the South West region?
- (2) For each of the years specified in (1), how many of the suspected cases resulted in criminal charges?
- (3) In each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, how many domestic violence reports were recorded in the South West region?
- (4) For each of the years specified in (3), how many resulted in criminal charges?
- (5) In each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, how many family and domestic violence incidents in the South West were attended by police?

4065. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) What is the current status of the upgrades to each of the following police stations:
 - (a) Augusta;
 - (b) Margaret River;
 - (c) Nannup; and
 - (d) Pemberton?
- (2) For each of the police stations in (1), when was the work completed or what is its expected completion date for the upgrades?
- (3) For each of the police stations in (1), what was the cost of the upgrade?

4066. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) Has the Western Australia Police Services Definition Resource Model process been completed?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) Will the Minister table the final model on its completion?

4067. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Environment:

I refer to question without notice No. 151, regarding marine turtles in the Ningaloo Coast World Heritage Area, asked on 25 February 2016, and I ask:

- (a) given that the nearest point of the development footprint (compacted footpath) is 15 metres to the vegetation line, and that the nearest structure is 23 metres to the vegetation line, can the Minister please clarify the reference points used in question without notice No. 151 when stating that this distance is 50 metres;
- (b) what is the distance from the nearest point of the development footprint/leased premises (whichever is shorter) to the highest tide mark;
- (c) what percentage of turtles in the Ningaloo Region nest landward of the highest tide mark;
- (d) what is the distance between the highest tide mark and the 50 metres boundary of allowable light impacts of the leased premises boundary;
- (e) given that the project's environmental performance conditions allow light to encroach over a significant amount of the turtle rookery contradicting Environmental

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Protection Authority (EPA) Environmental Assessment Guidelines No. 5, *Environmental Assessment Guideline for protecting Marine Turtles from Lighting Impacts*, can the Minister please explain why this project was not referred to the EPA;

- (f) were the Conservation Council informed of the use of the adjoining beach by protected marine turtles for nesting prior to their assessment;
- (g) were the Conservation Council informed of the distance of the development footprint to the vegetation line (15 metres) prior to their assessment of the Sal Salis extension;
- (h) has there been contact from the Commonwealth Department of Environment to the Western Australian Department of Parks and Wildlife regarding the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* assessment process of Sal Salis extension;
- (i) if yes to (h), when was this contact made;
- (j) has there been any correspondence from the Ningaloo Coast World Heritage Committee regarding an interest in environmental assessment or impacts of the Sal Salis expansion;
- (k) if yes to (j), when was this contact made; and
- (l) does the Ningaloo Coastal Strategy support an ecolodge of this size at this site?

4068. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) I refer to the 2013 election promise to fund 30 specialist police officers to work with police and community youth centres and in schools, and I ask how many of these positions have been created to date?
- (2) Of the 30 specialist police officers positions created, how many are allocated to the South West police district?

4069. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

I refer to the announcement late last year that an additional 38 police officers would be allocated to the South West police district in 2016, and I ask:

- (a) when will the rollout of the additional 26 general duties officers commence;
- (b) when will the roll out of the additional nine detectives commence;
- (c) when will the two additional prosecutors be allocated; and
- (d) when will the youth crime prevention officer be allocated and where in the South West will the officer be located?

4070. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

As at 1 April 2015, how many of the following, by headcount and FTE, were allocated to the South West police district:

- (a) police officers;
- (b) auxiliary officers;
- (c) detectives;
- (d) forensic officers; and
- (e) administration officers (unsworn)?

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4071. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) As at 1 March 2016, how many FTE police and FTE police auxiliary officer positions allocated to the South West police district were vacant?
- (2) In relation to each vacant position:
 - (a) how long had the position been vacant; and
 - (b) how many of the positions remain vacant at the time of providing the answer?
- (3) How many FTE police officers and FTE police auxiliary officer positions allocated to the South West police district are currently vacant?
- (4) In relation to each vacant position identified in (3), how long has the position been vacant?

4072. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General:

For each of the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, how many people charged with assaulting a police officer in the South West police district were convicted of the charge?

4073. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) How many of the following are currently allocated to the South West police district:
 - (a) marked police cars;
 - (b) marked police vans;
 - (c) unmarked police cars;
 - (d) speed cameras;
 - (e) marked police motorbikes;
 - (f) unmarked police motorbikes;
 - (g) trained police dogs; and
 - (h) auxiliary police officers?
- (2) In relation to (1), where are they located?
- (3) When were the marked police motorbikes removed from the South West region?

4074. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) In 2014, how many people were charged under the *Road Traffic Act 1974* for driving an unregistered vehicle?
- (2) From 1 July 2015 to 31 December 2015, how many infringements were issued for unregistered vehicles?

4075. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning:

I refer to the new Department of Parks and Wildlife on Koombana Drive in Bunbury, and I ask:

- (a) what planning approvals have been granted;
- (b) when were the planning approvals granted;
- (c) what conditions have been imposed to ensure the protection of the shipwrecks and artefacts on the site;
- (d) is the building proceeding on the basis of a public works under the *Public Works Act 1902*;

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- (e) if yes to (d), is it possible to impose conditions for the protection of the shipwrecks and artefacts on the site;
- (f) if yes to (e), which authority imposes the conditions and at what stage of the planning approvals are the conditions imposed;
- (g) is the Minister confident that the location of all shipwrecks and artefacts on the site have been identified; and
- (h) in relation to your answer to question on notice No. 2805 on 10 March 2015, has the City of Bunbury updated its Heritage Inventory to include the entirety of Lots 881, 882 and 883?

4076. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to the suicide prevention public awareness and training programs being funded by the suicide prevention strategy funding, and I ask:

- (a) what do the awareness and training programs tell people to do if they suspect or know a colleague, family member or friend is at risk of suiciding;
- (b) are the programs being funded from the strategy, approved by the Government;
- (c) if yes to (b), who in Government reviews and approves the programs; and
- (d) what suicide prevention programs were funded in the South West region in 2015-2016, please identify the program, the provider and the cost of the program?

4077. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

- (1) In 2015, how many children and adolescents living in the South West region were identified by the South West Community Drug and Alcohol team as having abused alcohol and/or other drugs?
- (2) Of the children and adolescents in (1), how many were:
 - (a) under the age of 12 years;
 - (b) 12-16 years of age;
 - (c) 16-18 years of age; and
 - (d) 18-24 years of age?
- (3) Of the children and adolescents in (1), how many were referred to South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service for assessment and/or treatment?

4078. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

- (1) How much funding was allocated to South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (SW CAMHS) in 2015-2016?
- (2) As at 1 October 2015, what was the wait time for assessment by SW CAMHS?
- (3) As at 1 October 2015, how many children and adolescents were on the wait list for assessment by SW CAMHS?
- (4) What is the current wait time for assessment by SW CAMHS?

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- (5) How many children and adolescents are currently on the wait list for assessment by SW CAMHS?

4079. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

The Western Australian Mental Health, Alcohol and other Drugs Services Plan 2015-2025 identified the need to include the South West region in the Mental Health and Police Co-Response Program, however the Minister has announced the program to operate only in the north and south metropolitan areas, what action is the Minister taking to deliver the program to the South West?

4080. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

The Western Australian Mental Health, Alcohol and other Drugs Services Plan 2015-2025 states an increase in the number of mental health beds in the South West region by a further 49 beds is needed by the end of 2025, and I ask:

- (a) what is the Government's plan to deliver the additional 49 beds;
- (b) is it intended that the 49 additional beds will all be adult beds;
- (c) when can we expect the first instalment of the 49 additional beds to be provided; and
- (d) will the current facility in Bunbury need to be expanded to provide for the increase in beds?

4081. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to the proposed alcohol and other drugs residential facility to be located in the South West, as identified by the Western Australian Mental Health Alcohol and other Drugs Services Plan 2015-2025, and I ask:

- (a) what is the current status of the residential facility;
- (b) what planning has been undertaken for the residential facility;
- (c) what funding has been allocated for the residential facility;
- (d) is it intended the residential facility will be operated by the Government or by an NGO;
- (e) when is it anticipated the residential facility will be constructed and operational;
- (f) how many beds will be provided at the residential facility when it opens;
- (g) will the residential facility be built to the standard required to cater for the 55 beds the Western Australian Mental Health Alcohol and Other Drugs Services Plan 2015-2025 says will be needed by the end of 2025; and
- (h) will the three low medical withdrawal beds, identified as needed by the plan, be part of the residential facility?

4082. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

- (1) In each of the years 2014 and 2015, how many children and adolescents presenting at the Bunbury Court were issued with a court ordered mental health assessment?

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- (2) In relation to (1), and for each of the years 2014 and 2015:
 - (a) how many required transport to Perth for assessment;
 - (b) how many required hospital admission in Perth; and
 - (c) how many required hospital admission at Bunbury Regional Hospital?
- (3) In relation to (2), and for each of the years 2014 and 2015, to which Perth hospital were the children and adolescents admitted?
- (4) In 2015, how many children and adolescents living in the South West appeared before the Links Court (trial mental health court in Perth)?
- (5) In each of the years 2014 and 2015, how many children and adolescents, living in the South West were assessed by the Statewide Specialist Forensic Mental Health Service?
- (6) In each of the years 2014 and 2015, how many adults living in the South West were assessed by the Statewide Specialist Forensic Mental Health Service?

4083. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Planning representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to the incident at the Bentley Adolescent Unit on the 13 March 2016, and the associated article on page 3 of *The Sunday Times* on 27 March 2016, and I ask:

- (a) what is the timeline of significant events that occurred in the preceding 24 hours of the incident occurring;
- (b) how many patients were admitted in the 24 hours prior to the incident and how many were still there 24 hours after the incident;
- (c) will the Minister table a copy of the service's "restrain and seclusion" policies and advise how they were applied during the incident;
- (d) did any patients need medical treatment following the incident and, if yes, what are the details of the injuries;
- (e) who is undertaking the review launched by the Child and Adolescent Health Service;
- (f) as at the 12 March 2016, were any positions vacant at the unit and, if yes, which positions were vacant;
- (g) how many positions were vacant as at 5 April 2016;
- (h) have any positions at the unit been affected by the Barnett Government's recruitment freeze;
- (i) how many staff were on duty on the night of the incident;
- (j) up to 5 April 2016, on which dates and, for what reason, have code yellow alerts have been issued at the Bentley Adolescent Unit or Ward 4H at Princess Margaret Hospital in 2015-2016;
- (k) up to 5 April 2016, how many children and, on what dates, could not be admitted to either the Bentley Adolescent Unit or Ward 4H at Princess Margaret Hospital during 2015-2016;
- (l) what has been the minimum and median number of beds that have been open at the youth psychiatric unit at Fiona Stanley Hospital since its opening;

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- (m) why were only eight of the youth psychiatric beds at Fiona Stanley Hospital open at the time of the incident; and
- (n) on the 5 April 2016, how many beds were open at the youth psychiatric unit at Fiona Stanley Hospital?

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