

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 238

Thursday, 18 October 2012

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- 6161. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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6164. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce

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6166. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

6167. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

6168. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development

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6181. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

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6183. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food

6184. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water

6185. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education

6186. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education

6187. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

6188. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

6189. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

6190. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

6191. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

6192. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Energy

6193. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

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6231. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning
6232. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
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6237. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Child Protection
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- 6278. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 6279. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
- 6280. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
- 6282. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 6283. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health
- 6284. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health
- 6285. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Heritage
- 6286. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Finance representing the Treasurer
- 6287. Hon Linda Savage to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development

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*Notice Given**Thursday, 18 October 2012***6288. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport**

- (1) Can the Minister for Transport outline a list of new public transport infrastructure that the Barnett Government expects will be constructed in Perth by 2020?
- (2) What is the estimated cost of each project?
- (3) When does the Minister expect construction for each project will commence?

6289. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

- (1) Will the Minister please table the Delivery and Performance Agreements for —
 - (a) Central Institute of Technology;
 - (b) Challenger Institute of Technology;
 - (c) C.Y. O'Connor Institute;
 - (d) Durack Institute of Technology;
 - (e) Great Southern Institute of Technology;
 - (f) Kimberley Training Institute;
 - (g) Pilbara Institute;
 - (h) Polytechnic West;
 - (i) South West Institute of Technology;
 - (j) VTEC Training WA; and
 - (k) West Coast Institute of Training,

for the years —

- (i) 2008;
 - (ii) 2009;
 - (iii) 2010; and
 - (iv) 2011?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

6290. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

I refer to my question on notice No. 5817 where the Minister commented on the implications of the user choice funding model for apprenticeship and traineeship delivery, and I ask how, if at all, will the Government limit the fluctuations in enrolments between private Registered Training Organisations and State Training Providers when the new entitlement model comes into operation?

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6291. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

I refer to my questions on notice No. 5579 and No. 5814 in relation to the presentation delivered at the Training Providers Forum, and I ask —

- (1) What information has changed since the presentation was given? Please provide details.
- (2) Which of the four theoretical models did Nous Group consultants recommend?
- (3) How were the representatives of the Entitlement Model Working Group chosen?
- (4) Why did/does the Entitlement Model Working Group have only one State Training Provider representative?

6292. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

I refer to my questions on notice No. 5577 and No. 5818, and I ask —

- (1) In relation to equivalent 2011 qualifications available for students undertaking Certificate I level qualifications in 2010, can the Minister clarify how the 2010 Certificate I in Customer Service is equivalent to the 2011 —
 - (a) Course in School Apprenticeship Link in Hairdressing; or
 - (b) Certificate II in Hairdressing?
- (2) Why were the required Student Contact Hours for the Advanced Diploma of Interior Design significantly reduced from 2,088 hours in 2010 to 630 hours in 2011 as part of the process of continuous course review?

6293. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Commerce

I refer to the Mining Industry Advisory Committee (MIAC) and to the Commission of Occupational Safety and Health 2011-12 Annual Report, and I ask —

- (1) When will the MIAC be reformed?
- (2) While MIAC is under review, will any other body fulfil the functions of the MIAC as set out in section 14A of the *Occupational Safety and Health Act 1984*?
- (3) If yes to (2), which other body will fulfil these functions?
- (4) If no to (2), who will —
 - (a) advise and make recommendations to the Ministers responsible for occupational safety and health in Western Australia and the Commission for Occupational Safety and Health on occupational safety and health matters concerning the mining industry; and
 - (b) liaise with the Commission for Occupational Safety and Health to coordinate activities on related functions and to maintain parallel standards?

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I refer to the Commission of Occupational Safety and Health 2011-12 Annual Report in relation to Commission accredited introductory training courses for safety and health representatives, and I ask —

- (1) When will the 2011-12 report detailing participation in training courses for safety and health representatives (Report) be available?
- (2) What will the title of the Report be and on what part of the website will it be available?
- (3) Have participation rates in training courses for safety and health representatives improved in the five years preceding 2011-12?
- (4) If no to (3), why not?

6295. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police

Following the fire which destroyed Mt Lawley Primary School —

- (1) Has a review been conducted of traffic wardens who service Mt Lawley Primary School, Mt Lawley High School and a number of other private schools on Beaufort St in Mount Lawley?
- (2) If yes to (1), what is the outcome of the review and will the Minister provide a copy of the review findings?
- (3) If no to (1), will the Minister guarantee the continuation of funding for the traffic wardens to staff crossings on Beaufort Street in Mount Lawley?

6296. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police

I refer to Police dispatch tasks and response times, and ask —

- (1) How many priority 1, 2, 3 and 4 computer aided dispatch tasks were issued for each —
 - (a) the greater Bunbury area; and
 - (b) the South West Police District,

for each of the following months —

- (i) January, February and March 2008;
 - (ii) January, February and March 2009;
 - (iii) January, February and March 2010;
 - (iv) January, February and March 2011; and
 - (v) January, February and March 2012?
- (2) For each of the months specified in (1), what was the average response time?
- (3) What are the Western Australia Police target response times for responding to priority 1, 2, 3 and 4 computer aided dispatch tasks?

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I refer to the Leschenault Estuary Water Quality Improvement Plan, the draft Plan having been released for public comment in August 2011, and ask —

- (1) What is the cause of the delay in releasing the final report?
- (2) When will the final Plan be released?
- (3) What funding has been allocated for the implementation of the Plan?

6298. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Education

I refer to truancy numbers in the South West Education Region, and ask —

- (1) As at 1 October 2012, how many school attendance officers, in both full time equivalents (FTEs) and actual head count, are currently allocated/employed in the South West Education Region?
- (2) As at 1 October 2011, 2010, 2009 and 2008, how many school attendance officers, in both FTEs and actual head count, were allocated/employed in the South West Education Region?
- (3) What action has the Minister taken to address the unacceptable level of truancy among school students in each the greater Bunbury area and the South West Education Region?
- (4) Will the Minister reinstate school attendance officers in the South West Education Region?
- (5) If yes to (4), how many school attendance officers will be allocated?

6299. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to wait times in Bunbury Regional Hospital Emergency Department and I ask for each of the last four years, what were the average wait times for each of the following —

- (a) Triage 1 (resuscitation);
- (b) Triage 2 (emergency);
- (c) Triage 3 (urgent);
- (d) Triage 4 (semi-urgent); and
- (e) Triage 5 (non-urgent)?

6300. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police

I refer to police numbers in the South West Police District, and ask —

- (1) As at 1 October 2012, how many sworn police officers (provide by full time equivalent (FTE) and actual head count) were employed in the South West Police District?
- (2) As at each 1 October 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011, how many sworn police officers (provide by FTE and actual head count) were employed in the South West District?
- (3) As at 1 October 2012, how many auxiliary officers (provide by FTE and actual head count) were employed in the South West Police District?
- (4) As at 1 October, how many detectives (provide by FTE and actual head count) were employed in the South West Police District?
- (5) As at each 1 October 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011, how many detectives (provide by FTE and actual head count) were employed in the South West District?

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- (6) As at 1 October, how many forensic officers (provide by FTE and actual head count) were employed in the South West Police District?
- (7) As at each 1 October 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011, how many forensic officers (provide by FTE and actual head count) were employed in the South West District?

6301. Hon Adele Farina to the Attorney General

I refer to the 29 confirmed suicides completed in the Bunbury Coronial District last year, and ask —

- (1) How many were female and how many were male?
- (2) How many were —
 - (a) under the age of 16 years;
 - (b) 16 years up to 18 years;
 - (c) 18 years up to 25 years;
 - (d) 25 years up to 45 years; and
 - (e) 45 years and over?
- (3) What is the town location of each of the 29 suicides and how does this compare with the previous year?

6302. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health

I refer to the Psychiatric Unit in Bunbury Regional Hospital, and ask —

- (1) For each of 2012-13, 2012-11, 2011-10 and 2009-10, how much funding was provided by the Mental Health Commission for the operating costs of the Unit?
- (2) In relation to each of the years specified in (1), what did the funding pay for?

6303. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the waiting list for elective surgery in the South West, and ask —

- (1) By surgery type, as at 1 October 2012, how many people were on the elective surgery waiting list?
- (2) In relation to (1), how many people on the elective surgery waiting list have been waiting —
 - (a) less than 12 months;
 - (b) between 12 months and 18 months;
 - (c) between 18 months and 24 months; and
 - (d) more than 24 months?

6304. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Government's announcement to employ additional child health nurses, and ask —

- (1) How many additional child health nurses have been employed in the South West region?
- (2) In relation to (1), specify where in the South West the additional child health nurses are located?
- (3) In relation to (1), specify whether the child health nurses are employed full-time or part-time and the term of their employment?

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6305. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Bentley Adolescent Unit, and ask —

- (1) For each of 2011-12, 2010-11, 2010-11, 2009-10 and 2008-09, how many adolescents residing in the South West were admitted to the Bentley Adolescent Unit?
- (2) For each of 2011-12, 2010-11, 2010-11, 2009-10 and 2008-09, how many adolescents residing in the South West sought admission to the Bentley Adolescent Unit but were turned away because all beds were taken?

6306. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Ward 4H at Princess Margaret Hospital, and ask —

- (1) For each of 2011-12, 2010-11, 2010-11, 2009-10 and 2008-09, how many children and adolescents residing in the South West were admitted to Ward 4H?
- (2) For each of 2011-12, 2010-11, 2010-11, 2009-10 and 2008-09, how many children and adolescents residing in the South West sought admission to the Ward 4H but were turned away because all beds were taken?

6307. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (SW CAMHS), and ask —

- (1) For what period during 2012 was SW CAMHS without a psychiatrist?
- (2) What was the psychiatrist full time equivalent (FTE) allocation for SW CAMHS during 2012?
- (3) What was the psychiatrist FTE allocation for SW CAMHS as at May 2012?
- (4) As at 1 October 2012, what was the psychiatrist FTE and headcount at SW CAMHS?
- (5) As at 1 October 2012, what was the psychologist FTE and headcount at SW CAMHS?
- (6) As at 1 October 2012, what was the social worker FTE and headcount at SW CAMHS?
- (7) As at 1 October 2012, what was the nurse FTE and headcount at SW CAMHS?
- (8) As at 1 October 2012, what other staff (by FTE and headcount) were employed at SW CAMHS and what were their positions?

6308. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to Bunbury Regional Hospital Emergency Department, and ask —

- (1) For each of 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12, how many people presented at the emergency department?
- (2) For each of 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12, how many people who presented at the emergency department were transferred to Perth for treatment?

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6309. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to Western Australia Country Health Service – South West (WACHS – SW), and ask —

- (1) Have the 2012-13 key performance indicators for WACHS - SW been endorsed?
- (2) If yes to (1), will the Minister table the key performance indicators?
- (3) If no to (1), why not?

6310. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to Western Australia Country Health Service – South West and each hospital located in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) For 2012-13, what is the total funding allocated to each hospital?
- (2) For each hospital specified in (1), of the total funding allocated, what portion is allocated to —
 - (a) staff salaries/wages;
 - (b) patient care; and
 - (c) emergency department?
- (3) For each hospital specified in (1), the total number of full time equivalents (FTEs) allocated and job description category of the FTE (e.g. Administration, patient care assistants, kitchen, nursing, General Practitioner, specialist (specify), surgeon etc.)?
- (4) For each hospital specified in (1), how do the FTE numbers for 2012-13 compare with the FTE numbers for 2011-12?

6311. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to road accident trauma patients, and ask —

- (1) For each 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13, how many people involved in road accidents in the South West region were transported by Ambulance to Bunbury Regional Hospital?
- (2) For each 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13, how many people involved in road accidents in the South West region were transported by RAC helicopter to Bunbury Regional Hospital?
- (3) For each 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13, how many people involved in road accidents in the South West region were transported by Ambulance to a hospital in Perth?
- (4) For each 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13, how many people involved in road accidents in the South West region were transported by RAC helicopter to a hospital in Perth?
- (5) For each 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13, how many people involved in road accidents in the South West region were transported by Royal Flying Doctor to Bunbury Regional Hospital?
- (6) For each 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13, how many people involved in road accidents in the South West region were transported by Royal Flying Doctor to a hospital in Perth?

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6312. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to Bunbury Regional Hospital Critical Care project, and ask —

- (1) What is the current status of Stage 2 of the Emergency Department expansion?
- (2) When will Stage 2 be completed?
- (3) When will Stage 2 be fully operational?
- (4) What is the current status of Stage 3 of the Critical Care project?
- (5) When will Stage 3 be completed?
- (6) When will Stage 3 be fully operational?

6313. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the need for additional specialist services in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) How many additional full time equivalents (FTEs) to be located in the South West region are funded in the 2012-13 Budget for each of —
 - (a) Psychiatrists;
 - (b) Psychologists;
 - (c) Speech Therapists;
 - (d) Occupational Therapists;
 - (e) School Psychiatrists;
 - (f) Dentists; and
 - (g) Dental Therapists?
- (2) Where in the South West region will the additional FTEs identified in answer to (1) be located?

6314. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health

I refer to the need for Drug and Alcohol treatment and rehabilitation facilities in the South West (SW) region, and ask —

- (1) What Drug and Alcohol treatment and rehabilitation inpatient facilities located in the South West region are funded by the State Government?
- (2) Do these facilities cater for adolescents and children or are they adult only facilities?
- (3) Where are these facilities located in the SW region and how much funding has been allocated to each of these facilities in the 2012-13 Budget?
- (4) What funding has been allocated to provide additional rehabilitation and treatment inpatient facilities in the SW region and where are they to be located?
- (5) What funding has been allocated to provide an at home treatment and rehabilitation program in the SW region?

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6315. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to midwifery services in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) As at each 1 July 2011 and 2012, how many full time equivalent midwives were allocated at each hospital in the South West region?
- (2) In relation to (1), how many midwives were employed on a permanent basis?
- (3) For each of 2011 and 2012, how many women were transferred to Bunbury Regional hospital to give birth and why?

6316. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to paediatric services in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) For each of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many full time equivalents (FTE) paediatricians were allocated to the South West region?
- (2) In relation to (1) and for each of the years specified, how many of the FTEs were employed in —
 - (a) the public health system; and
 - (b) the private health system?
- (3) For each of the years specified in (1), what was the average waiting time for an appointment with a paediatrician in the South West region and how does that compare with Perth?

6317. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to child health nurses in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) As at 1 July 2011 and 2012, how many full time equivalent child health nurses were allocated to —
 - (a) Bunbury;
 - (b) Busselton;
 - (c) Greater Bunbury; and
 - (d) the South West region?
- (2) As at 1 July 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012 at each of the locations listed in (1), what was the average wait time for an appointment with a child health nurse?

6318. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to school dental therapy centres in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) As at 1 July 2011 and 2012 and for each SW school dental therapy centre, how many staff (by full time equivalent and head count) were employed in the following positions —
 - (a) Dental Officer;
 - (b) Dental Therapist;
 - (c) Dental Clinic Assistant;
 - (d) Dental Nurse; or

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(e) other (specify)?

- (2) For each of the school dental therapy centres listed in (1) and as at the dates specified in (1), what was the average waiting time for an appointment?

6319. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to community health centres in the South West region, and ask –

- (1) As at 1 July 2011 and 2012, what was the total number of full time equivalents (FTEs) allocated to each centre?
- (2) For each centre identified in (1) and for each of the dates specified in (1), how many FTE medical specialists or allied health professionals were employed at the centre?
- (3) For each centre identified in (1) and for each of the dates specified in (1), what was the average waiting time for an appointment with —
- (a) a child health nurse;
- (b) each medical specialist; and
- (c) each allied health professional?
- (4) For each centre identified in (1) and for each of 2011 and 2012, how many clients were serviced by the centre?

6320. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to child birth in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) For each hospital in the South West, how many babies were delivered in each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012?
- (2) For each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many pregnant women were transferred from a South West hospital to Bunbury Regional Hospital to give birth (please state the hospital from which the women were transferred)?

6321. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to speech therapists in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) For each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many full time equivalent speech therapists worked in the South West region?
- (2) In relation to (1) and for each of the years specified in (1), how many of the speech therapists —
- (a) worked in the public health system; and
- (b) worked in the private health system?

6322. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Busselton Hospital Emergency Department, and ask —

- (1) How many road accident trauma patients were admitted to Busselton Hospital emergency department in each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012?

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- (2) For each of the years specified in (1), how many were —
 - (a) admitted and treated at Busselton hospital;
 - (b) transferred to Bunbury Regional Hospital; and
 - (c) transferred to a hospital in Perth?
- (3) Of those transferred to Bunbury, how many were transferred by —
 - (a) ambulance;
 - (b) RAC helicopter; and
 - (c) Royal Flying Doctor service?
- (4) Of those transferred to Perth, how many were transferred by —
 - (a) ambulance;
 - (b) RAC helicopter;
 - (c) Royal Flying Doctor service?

6323. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to public dental health services in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) As at 1 September 2011 and 1 September 2012, how many people were on the public dental waiting lists in the South West region?
- (2) In relation to each Busselton and Bunbury, for each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, what was the average waiting time for a dental appointment?
- (3) As at 1 September 2011 and 2012, for each of Busselton and Bunbury, how many full time equivalent dentists, dental therapists, dental assistants and dental nurses were employed?

6324. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (SW CAMHS), and ask —

- (1) How much funding has been allocated to SW CAMHS in 2012-13 and how does that compare with 2011-12?
- (2) As at 1 October 2012, what is the wait time for assessment by SW CAMHS?
- (3) As at 1 October 2012, how many children and adolescents are on the wait list for assessment by SW CAMHS?

6325. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health

I refer to the South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (SW CAMHS), and ask —

- (1) How much funding has been allocated to SW CAMHS in 2012-13 and how does that compare with 2011-12?
- (2) As at 1 October 2012, what is the wait time for assessment by SW CAMHS?
- (3) As at 1 October 2012, how many children and adolescents are on the wait list for assessment by SW CAMHS?

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6326. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Busselton and Bunbury General Dental Clinics, and ask —

- (1) As at 1 October 2012, how many positions at each clinic are vacant and state the position title?
- (2) How long has each position been vacant?
- (3) As at 1 October 2012 and for each clinic, what was the average wait time?
- (4) As at 1 October 2012 and for each clinic, how many people were on the wait list?

6327. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to all public hospitals in the South West region, and ask —

- (1) For each hospital, how many patients are waiting for a vacancy in an aged residential care facility?
- (2) For each of 2011-12 and 2012 to date, what is the average length of stay of the patients identified in (1) in each of the hospitals?
- (3) For each of 2011-12 and 2012 to date, what is the longest length of stay for patients identified in (1) in each of the hospitals?

6328. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health

I refer to South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (SW CAMHS), and ask —

- (1) For each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many children and adolescents were referred to SW CAMHS for mental health assessments?
- (2) For each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many assessments were undertaken?
- (3) For each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many of the children and adolescents assessed were —
 - (a) under the age of 12 years;
 - (b) 12 years up to 16 years;
 - (c) 16 years up to 18 years; and
 - (d) 18 years up to 24 years?

6329. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the South West Community Drug Services Team, and ask —

- (1) For each year of 2010, 2011 and 2012, how many children and adolescents living in the South West region were identified by the Team as suffering from alcohol and/or substance abuse?
- (2) For each year specified in (1), how many were —
 - (a) under the age of 12 years;
 - (b) 12 years up to 16 years;
 - (c) 16 years up to 18 years; and
 - (d) 18 years to 24 years?

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- (3) For each of the years specified in (1), how many were referred to South West Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service for assessment and/or treatment?

6330. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

- (1) For each year, from 2008 to 2012 inclusive, for each of the Technical and Further Education (TAFE) Institutes, what was the dollar value of the efficiency dividend and/or productivity savings or other funding cuts imposed on such institutes? (i.e. 3 per cent 2008, 2 per cent 2012 etc.).
- (2) What is the amount of funding given to private Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) since 2008 on an annual basis, both in dollar terms and as a percentage of the total Training Budget?
- (3) What is the proposed future funding allocation to private RTOs for 2013, again, in dollar terms and as percentage of the Training Budget?
- (4) What is the Government's position regarding implementation of the Entitlement Model in Western Australia in 2014?
- (5) When will full details on this position be made available for comment and consultation with key stakeholders?
- (6) Four potential 'models' have been identified here, what is the detail of these?
- (7) What steps will be taken by the government to ensure the TAFE sector in Western Australia will not suffer similar cuts to those experienced in the Victorian TAFE sector?
- (8) Will any TAFE campus in Western Australia be closed in Western Australia in 2014?
- (9) Will course fees increase as a result of implementation of the Entitlement Model?
- (10) Will the number and range of courses available to students be reduced in 2014 as a result of these reforms?
- (11) Will staff numbers in TAFE be cut in 2014 as a result of these reforms?
- (12) For each of the TAFE Institutes, what courses offered in 2011 were not offered in 2012?
- (13) Similarly, what courses were offered in 2012 will not be offered in 2013?
- (14) How has the re-branding of TAFE Institutes (away from TAFE) benefitted the sector and what have been the costs of this process, including potential loss of goodwill associated with the TAFE brand?

6331. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

I refer to advice provided to me in writing by the Minister, dated 17 July 2012, regarding Statham's Quarry, and I ask —

- (1) Will the Minister provide a map and/or photographs showing the cliff top and side tracks, before and after re-routing following the fatality there on the 27 February 2011?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

6332. Hon Sally Talbot to the Attorney General representing the Minister for Police

When will the Police investigation and report into the fatality in Statham's Quarry Beelu National Park on 26 February 2011 be finalised and provided to the Coroner?

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6333. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning

- (1) How many Bush Forever sites were acquired in —
 - (a) 2007-8;
 - (b) 2008-9;
 - (c) 2009-10;
 - (d) 2010-11; and
 - (e) 2011-12?
- (2) For each of these sites, please provide its name, location, size and cost of acquisition (including details of compensation paid to landowners).
- (3) How much in total has been spent on acquiring Bush Forever land since the inception of the plan?
- (4) Did all this money come from the Metropolitan Region Improvement Fund (MRIF)?
- (5) If no to (4), how much came from the MRIF and what were the other sources of funding?
- (6) Which Bush Forever purchases still need to be completed?
- (7) For each of these sites, please provide its name, location, size, cost (including details of compensation paid to landowners) of the acquisition or partial acquisition if whole site not acquired, likely cost of acquiring remaining locations within each partially acquired site and expected date of completion of purchase.
- (8) Of the sites acquired between 2007 and 2012, which ones have had their initial capital works involving site protection – for fencing, signage, gates – completed?
- (9) Who funded these initial capital works?
- (10) Which acquired sites have not had these initial capital works completed?
- (11) For sites which have not had this initial site protection work completed, when is that work due for completion?

6334. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning

- (1) What expenditure was made by the Western Australian Planning Commission from the Metropolitan Region Improvement Fund in —
 - (a) 2009-10;
 - (b) 2010-11; and
 - (c) 2011-12?
- (2) What expenditure is predicted to be made by the Western Australian Planning Commission from the Metropolitan Region Improvement Fund in 2012-13?

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6335. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food

I refer to the State Barrier Fence – upgrades and proposed extensions, and I ask —

- (1) What is the estimated cost of work underway and proposed to join the gap in the State Barrier Fence in the Yilgarn region (referred to as the ‘Yilgarn gap’ in the Department of Agriculture and Food’s Wild Dog update Issue 1, Sept 2012)?
- (2) What is the contribution of adjoining local governments and farmers towards meeting that cost?
- (3) What is the estimated cost of work underway and proposed to extend the State Barrier Fence around farmland in the Ravensthorpe and Esperance Shires from its current endpoint at Jerdacuttup to the edge of agricultural land east of Esperance (referred to as the ‘Esperance Extension’ in the Department of Agriculture and Food’s Wild Dog update Issue 1, September 2012)?
- (4) What is the estimated cost of this extension?
- (5) Should the extension be aligned on the option of ‘least constraint’, as recommended to the department in the 2012 GHD Report for State Barrier Fence Esperance Extension Scoping Study?
- (6) What is the contribution of adjoining local governments and farmers towards meeting that cost?
- (7) How many kilometres of the State Barrier Fence have been upgraded through the addition of lap wires and other changes?
- (8) How many kilometres of the fence are proposed for upgrade in the next four years?
- (9) What is the estimated cost of work underway and proposed to complete the current upgrade of the fence?
- (10) Has the Government/department undertaken a cost benefit analysis of the work to upgrade and extend the State Barrier Fence?
- (11) If yes to (10) —
 - (a) when was this analysis carried out, and on what fence lengths and fence standards does this relate; and
 - (b) will the Minister table the relevant studies?
- (12) Has the Government/department undertaken a cost-benefit analysis of the proposed Esperance extension to the State Barrier Fence for the alignment of Least Constraint recommended to the department as the preferred alignment by GHD in the 2012 Scoping Study?
- (13) If yes to (12), will the Minister table the relevant studies?

6336. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

I refer to the Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC) licence to conduct commercial in water whale shark interaction tours within Ningaloo Marine Park, and I ask —

- (1) In relation to the answer received to question on notice No. 5648 —
 - (a) when was Mark Ferguson awarded the licence for Exmouth Diving Centre Tours;
 - (b) when was William McDonald awarded the licence for King’s Ningaloo Reef Tours;

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- (c) why are the following licences, which were awarded to commence 1 January 2009, not listed in the 2012 list of licensees? Please give details of any sale, transfer or other licence/applicant arrangements explaining these discrepancies between the two lists —
- (i) Katarina Mikic, trading as Ningaloo Blue Carters, access point at Tantabiddi;
 - (ii) Douglas Hunt, trading as Coral Bay Adventures, access point at Coral Bay;
 - (iii) Peter Shaw, trading as Ningaloo Experience, access point at Coral Bay; and
 - (iv) Richard Casey, trading as Three Islands Marine Charters, access point at Tantabiddi.
- (2) When were the following licences, which are not listed as awarded to commence 1 January 2009, granted and what tendering arrangements were used for the granting of these new licences? Please give details of any sale, transfer or other licence/applicant arrangements explaining how these five licences were granted —
- (a) Kenneth Bailye trading as Coral Bay Eco tours, access point at Coral Bay;
 - (b) Michael Husband trading as Three Islands Whale Shark Dive, access point at Tantabiddi;
 - (c) Stephen Powell trading as Ningaloo Reef Dive, access point at Coral Bay;
 - (d) Neil O'Driscoll trading as Sea Venture Charters, access point at Tantabiddi; and
 - (e) Andreina De Petra trading as Three Islands Whale Shark Dive, access point at Tantabiddi.
- (3) Has any current or previous employee of DEC ever been a licensee or applicant for a licence to conduct commercial in water whale shark interaction tours within Ningaloo Marine Park?
- (4) I refer to the answer received to question on notice No. 5648, part (6) regarding Wildlife Management Program No 27 'Whale Shark Interaction Management', and ask —
- (a) when did the review commence;
 - (b) what are the terms of reference for the review;
 - (c) who is conducting the review;
 - (d) when is the review scheduled to be completed; and
 - (e) when will the findings be made public?

6337. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

I refer to the Minister to the 'Draft Policy SRT/D20: Nutrient Offset Policy for the Swan Canning Catchment' and the Minister's advice on 29 June 2011 that he expected to receive an updated draft policy from the trust by mid-August, and his answer on 13 June 2012, and I ask —

- (1) Given that the public comment period closed more than two years ago on 30 July 2010, and the draft policy has been under review for more than one year, when will the policy be finalised and implemented?
- (2) If the Government have decided not to proceed with an Offset Policy for the Swan Canning Catchment, when was the decision made and why?

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MALCOLM PEACOCK

Clerk of the Legislative Council