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QUESTIONS

No. 144

Wednesday, 6 April 2011

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3471. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health (*SO 138(d) response - April 5 2011*)

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- 3542. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Commerce
- 3547. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 3549. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development
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- 3552. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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- 3557. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 3558. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 3559. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
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- 3561. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 3562. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 3563. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 3564. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
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- 3620. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
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- 3631. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
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- 3634. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
- 3635. Hon Ken Travers to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
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- 3639. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health
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- 3655. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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- 3659. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
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- 3661. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 3662. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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- 3666. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
- 3667. Hon Adele Farina to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
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- 3669. Hon Adele Farina to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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- 3676. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health
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- 3702. Hon Jon Ford to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
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- 3704. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 3705. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 3706. Hon Ken Travers to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 3707. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
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- 3709. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police
- 3710. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
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- 3719. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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- 3722. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
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- 3725. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Energy

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3726. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

3727. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands

3731. Hon Ken Travers to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

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3735. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Child Protection

3737. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education

3738. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water

3739. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Local Government

3740. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Housing

3741. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police

3742. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

3743. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development

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3745. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police

3746. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

3748. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

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3751. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

3752. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

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3754. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Energy

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3755. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Disability Services

3756. Hon Sue Ellery to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

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3757. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food

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3774. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
3775. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Energy

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3779. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Corrective Services
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3785. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
3786. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Heritage
3787. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Transport
3788. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
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3790. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
3791. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Community Services

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3805. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
For the calendar year from 1 January 2010 to 31 December 2010, what was the number of, -

- (a) induced abortions;
- (b) induced abortions over 12 weeks gestation;
- (c) induced abortions for women under the age of 20; and
- (d) induced abortions over 20 weeks gestation?

3806. Hon Ed Dermer to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the answer provided to question on notice No. 3211 by the Minister then representing the Minister for Health, which included the words, 'As at 20 January 2011, a total of 14 incidences of abortion procedures resulting in the live birth of a child have been reported between July 1999 and June 2010', and I ask -

- (1) In any of the 14 incidences referred to above, was treatment of the child not withdrawn?
- (2) In any of the 14 incidences referred to above, was the child resuscitated?

3807. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General

I refer to the Working with Children (Criminal Record Checking) Act 2004, and ask -

- (1) Has a statutory review of the Act been undertaken?
- (2) If yes to (1), has the review been completed?
- (3) If yes to (2), please table a copy of the review?
- (4) If no to (2), when will the review be completed?
- (5) Does the Government intend working with children checks to remain the responsibility of the Department for Child Protection?

3808. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General

I refer to the Criminal Law (Mentally Impaired Accused) Act 1996, and ask -

- (1) Does the Attorney General intend to replace the legislation with a new Act?
- (2) If no to (1), does the Attorney General intend to introduce amendments to the current Act?
- (3) If yes to (2), have amendments to the Act been drafted?
- (4) If yes to (3), -
 - (a) which individuals or bodies have been consulted about these amendments;

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- (b) will the Minister please table the draft amendments; and
- (c) will the draft amendments be released for public comment?
- (5) If yes to (4)(c), when?
- (6) If no to (4)(c), why not?
- (7) When does the Attorney General intend the amendments to be debated in parliament?
- (8) Has the Minister for Mental Health been consulted regarding changes to the Act?

3809. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

I refer to the activities of the Pilbara Wildlife Carers Association and the treatment of injured and/or orphaned wildlife on Barrow Island, and ask -

- (1) Is it correct that Chevron or another company or Agency is no longer permitting injured and/or orphaned wildlife to be taken off Barrow Island for treatment?
- (2) If no to (1), where are these animals being taken to and who is treating them?
- (3) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) which specific company or Agency is not permitting injured or orphaned wildlife from being taken off the island; and
 - (b) why?
- (4) Is the Minister aware of the historical work of the Pilbara Wildlife Carers Association in treating injured and/or orphaned wildlife from Barrow Island?
- (5) If no to (4), why not?
- (6) If yes to (4), will the Minister ensure that injured and/or orphaned wildlife from Barrow Island will have access to treatment and care from this group?
- (7) If no to (6), how will the Minister ensure that injured and/or orphaned wildlife from Barrow Island will be treated and cared for?
- (8) What are the current numbers of injured or deceased animals on Barrow Island per month by species?

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