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936. Dr K.D. Hames to the Speaker:

I refer to applications for accommodation expenses by country members of Parliament, and I ask:

- (a) what were the dates for applications by the Member for Collie-Preston, Mr Michael Murray MLA between 1 July 2011 and 30 June 2013;
- (b) what were the dates for applications by the Member for Mandurah, Mr David Templeman MLA between 23 September 2008 and 30 June 2013; and
- (c) did the Member for Mandurah, Mr David Templeman apply for the country accommodation allowance in its previous iteration between 1 July 2005 and 31 August 2008 and, if so, what amounts were claimed in each financial year?

937. Mr F.M. Logan to the Minister for Housing:

- (1) How many times have the maintenance Head Contractors to the Department of Housing been in breach of performance of required levels in the Service Level Agreement (SLA) over the over the following years:
 - (a) 2010–2011;
 - (b) 2011–2012; and
 - (c) 2012–2013?
- (2) How many penalties have been applied to the maintenance Head Contractors for breach of performance of required levels in the SLAs each year for the years above?
- (3) For each of the penalties noted in (2), can the Minister please provide the reason for the penalty applied to the Head Contractors in the years above?
- (4) Can the Minister list the scale of the risk payment penalty applied to each Head Contractor for each breach of performance over the years above?

938. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Planning:

I refer to the awarding of Planning Commission contract DP102013 to Professional Public Relations for public relations services for Whiteman Park Management, and I ask:

- (a) what was the final total value of the awarded contract;
- (b) what is the hourly rate of the awarded contract;
- (c) how long is the contract for;
- (d) what are the names of all individuals or companies who submitted quotes for the tender;
- (e) what was the tender quote associated with each of these submissions; and
- (f) why were the five communications officers employed at the Department of Planning unable to provide these PR and media services?

939. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Environment:

I refer to the Department of Environment and Conservation's *Annual Report 2011–2012* that reported more than 1100 compliance inspections of prescribed premises across a range of sectors and industries and I ask:

- (a) how many prescribed premises were there under licences current during this period;
- (b) how many of these prescribed premises were required to provide Annual Audit Compliance Reports to the Chief Executive Officer as required under section 62A of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*; and
- (c) for how many such prescribed premises were these annual reports actually received, in compliance with the policy applied to new and amended licences from 28 April 2008?

940. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Environment:

For the years 2011–2012, 2010–2011, 2009–2010, 2008–2009, I ask:

- (a) how many reports of pollution incidents were received by the Pollution Watch Hotline; and
- (b) how many of these were subsequently subject to site investigations?

941. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:

Given that the objective of the Department of Mining and Petroleum (DMP) Reforming Environmental Regulation program is to implement the principles of best practice regulation of the resources sector and the DMP Ministerial Advisory panel's report *Session 1: Overview of DMP's environmental regulation functions* at page five indicated that the rate of annual inspections to approvals granted annually was only about 200 inspections to 3,500 approvals, or 6 per cent, I ask:

- (a) by what criteria does this qualify as best practice incidence of inspections, and:
 - (i) what was the rate of non-compliance revealed; and
 - (ii) what was the rate of fines and prosecutions that have resulted from these inspections; and
- (b) does the Minister intend to improve the resourcing of the Environment Division to ensure better levels of protection for the state's environments impacted by mining and petroleum exploration and development?

942. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Forestry:

I refer to my grievance on 16 May 2013 about the Morris Family in Nannup and the Ellis Pine Plantation fire on 12 March 2012 which caused significant financial losses for the Morris family among others in the region, and ask:

- (a) what progress has been made with negotiations between the Forest Products Commission, the State Solicitor and Riskcover to seek compensation for the Morris family;
- (b) will the Forest Products Commission invoke Clause 33 (Arbitration) of the Forest Product Commission's Works and Services Contract with Waugh's Forest Services, and if not, why not;
- (c) what is the estimated financial cost the Forest Products Commission has incurred as a result of the fire and associated clean up at the Ellis Pine Plantation after the 12 March 2012 fire, including asset losses, Department of Environment and Conservation charges, local government costs from the Shires of Nannup,

Donnybrook-Balingup, Bridgetown-Greenbushes and contractors used to assist in fire management services; and

- (d) what is the estimated financial settlement to the five families in the Nannup-Balingup region that Riskcover has suggested to the Forest Products Commission as a result of its insurance assessment?

943. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Premier's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

944. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Deputy Premier's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

945. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

946. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Electoral Affairs:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

947. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Fisheries:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Treasurer's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

948. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

949. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Police; Tourism; Road Safety; Women's Interests:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

950. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development; Water; Forestry:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

951. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services; Child Protection:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

952. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Attorney General; Minister for Commerce:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

953. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Housing:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;

- (ii) corporate; and
- (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

954. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

955. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

956. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Energy; Finance; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

957. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Local Government; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Youth:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

958. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Environment; Heritage:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

959. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services; Small Business; Veterans:

I refer to each department, agency and government trading enterprise under the Minister's control and ask, as at 1 August 2013:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in media, communications, marketing or speechwriting, including:
 - (i) public;
 - (ii) corporate; and
 - (iii) media relations;
- (b) what is the level and salary of each of these employees; and
- (c) what is the job title for each of these employees?

960. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

- (1) What is the total number of wheelchairs that have gone missing at Rockingham General Hospital since January 2013?
- (2) What is the cost of replacement for each type of wheelchair lost?
- (3) How many of each type has been lost?

961. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

- (1) For each public hospital in Western Australia please list the number of stroke patients that have been admitted each year, from January 2008 to now?
- (2) Please list each hospital in Western Australia that:

- (a) has a dedicated stroke care unit; and
- (b) offers thrombolysis treatment to stroke patients?

962. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science:

I refer to the Premier's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Premier use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Premier using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

963. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health:

I refer to the Deputy Premier's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Deputy Premier use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Deputy Premier using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

964. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

965. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Electoral Affairs:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

966. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Fisheries:

I refer to the Treasurer's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Treasurer use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Treasurer using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

967. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

968. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Police; Tourism; Road Safety; Women's Interests:

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- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
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- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

969. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development; Water; Forestry:

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- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
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970. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services; Child Protection:

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- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

971. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Attorney General; Minister for Commerce:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

972. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Housing:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

973. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

974. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

975. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Energy; Finance; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

976. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Local Government; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Youth:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

977. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Environment; Heritage:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

978. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services; Small Business; Veterans:

I refer to the Minister's use of ministerial air-charter services, and ask for the period since 1 January 2013:

- (a) on what date or dates did the Minister use a ministerial air-charter service;
- (b) what was the destination for each use of a ministerial air-charter service;
- (c) what are the names of all persons on the manifest for each trip undertaken by the Minister using a ministerial air-charter service; and
- (d) what was the additional cost associated with each use of a ministerial air-charter service outside the primary contract fee paid by the State?

979. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Tourism:

I refer to the Regional Events Scheme administered by the Department of Tourism, and I ask, for each of the successful applicants, please advise the amount granted and the date on which it was awarded for the funding rounds of 2012–2013 and 2013–2014?

980. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering:

I refer to the Government's *An Age-friendly WA: The Seniors Strategic Planning Framework 2012–2017* released late last year and I ask:

- (a) given this framework sets the course of the Minister's Government for our ageing population for the next five years how is it that the strategy allocates responsibility for various components of the framework to a range of government agencies but none for the Minister's own;
- (b) does the Minister concede that there is only handful of staff in your Department to coordinate this important policy challenge; and
- (c) does the Minister also concede this framework is unfunded?

981. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Heritage:

I refer to the election commitment that the Barnett Government will introduce new heritage laws. Given that widespread consultation has already taken place, I ask:

- (a) when does the Minister anticipate that the Bill will be introduced into Parliament; and
- (b) will the Bill contain provision for some kind of State intervention where demolition by neglect of heritage property is occurring?

982. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services:

I refer to the review of the *Emergency Management Act 2005* which was due to finalise receipt of submissions in late March and I ask:

- (a) given that Christmas, school holidays, bushfire season and the State election intervened is the Minister prepared to extend and widen consultation;
- (b) if not, when will the Bill be ready to present in Parliament; and
- (c) if yes, what are the details of that extension and how will you ensure a broader level of consultation?

983. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Bussell Highway through Bramley Forest in the Shire of Augusta Margaret River, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs and maintenance to the abovementioned section of road:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the abovementioned section of road in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, what funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of the funding allocation, what specific projects have been funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the Shire of Augusta Margaret River has had repairs to the abovementioned section of road listed as a priority for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this section of road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not;
- (d) can the Minister advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shire of Augusta Margaret River has contacted the Department of Transport about this section of road;
- (e) has legislation been drafted to excise an area of the Bramley National Park so road safety improvements can proceed, and if not, why not; and
- (f) when does the Department of Transport envisage legislation allowing for road improvements on Bussell Highway, through Bramley Forest, will be ready?

984. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Margaret River Perimeter Road (under design), Bussell Highway from Witchcliffe to Augusta (approximately 35kms) and the Brockman Highway from Bussell Highway to Scott River Road (approximately 17kms) in the Shire of Augusta Margaret River, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs and maintenance to the abovementioned sections of road:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the abovementioned section of road in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, what funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of the funding allocation, what specific projects have been funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;

- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the Shire of August Margaret River has had repairs to the abovementioned section of road listed as a priority for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this section of road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not; and
- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shire of Augusta Margaret River has contacted the Department of Transport about these sections of road?

985. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Dampier-Peninsula Road and the Aboriginal Access Road in the Shire of Broome, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs and maintenance to these roads:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the Dampier Peninsula Road and the Aboriginal Access Road in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the Shire of Broome has had repairs to the Dampier-Peninsula Road and the Aboriginal Access Road listed as a priority for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure these roads obtain priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not; and
- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shire of Broome has contacted the Department of Transport about these roads?

986. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

I refer to the construction and fit out of the Fiona Stanley Hospital, and the various building materials purchased for the hospital, and ask:

- (a) have any building materials, finishing or interior fittings been purchased that have been required to be stored offsite and what were these materials; and
- (b) for each material, I ask:
 - (i) how long has it been in storage;
 - (ii) what is the cost to date for the storage of each material; and
 - (iii) what is the estimated total cost of storing each material?

987. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the following list of State Government roads in the City of Bunbury: Bunbury Outer Ring Road – Stages 2 to 4; South West Highway – Picton realignment; Old Coast Road –Australind Bypass to Australind; South West Highway – Robertson Drive to Picton; Koombana Drive, adjacent to Leschenault Inlet; Ocean Drive, Williams Street to Mangles Street; Ocean Drive, Hastie Street to Hudson Road; Somerville Drive, west end to intersection opposite Washington Avenue; Sandridge Road, at corner of Pennant Road; Estuary Drive; Spencer Street; Intersection of Spencer Street, Forrest Avenue and Beach Road; South West Highway at Dodson Road; South West Highway at Vittoria Road; Vittoria Road, at Jeffery Road; Stirling Street and Austral Parade intersection, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs, upgrades or maintenance to these roads:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening, duplication);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not; and
- (b) is funding proposed for the abovementioned roads or section of roads in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding proposed, why not?

988. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the intersection of Throssell Street and Prinsep Street in the Shire of Collie and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for the assessment and placement of traffic management devices at this section of road, and:
 - (i) if applicable, of the budgeted funds, have any been acquitted; and
 - (ii) if no funding was budgeted, why not; and
- (b) is funding proposed for the intersection of Throssell Street and Prinsep Street in the Shire of Collie, in the 2013–2014 Budget, and:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific project will be funded; and
 - (iii) if not, why not?

989. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Northam - Pithara Road, and in particular the section of this road between Pithara and Ballidu, in the Shire of Dalwallinu, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs, maintenance or design works on this section of road:
 - (i) if applicable, of the budgeted funds, have any been acquitted; and
 - (ii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the Northam - Pithara Road, in the 2013–2014 Budget:

- (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of the funding, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that a number of upgrades and repair works to the Northam – Pithara Road have been listed as a priority request from the Shire of Dalwallinu for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not; and
- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shire of Dalwallinu has contacted the Department of Transport about this section of road?

990. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Gingin Brook Road, Honeycomb Road, Mooliabenee Road, KW and Sappers Roads, Cowalla and Orange Spring Roads, and Mogumber Road West, which are part of the Ag Lime Route in the Shire of Gingin, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs and maintenance to these roads:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) have any of the budgeted funds been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not; and
- (b) is funding proposed for the abovementioned roads in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not?

991. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the single lane bridge on Cowalla Road, north of Orange Spring Road, in the Shire of Gingin and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for widening of this bridge:
 - (i) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (ii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the abovementioned bridge in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not; and
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the widening of the bridge is a priority for the Shire of Gingin:

- (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure the widening of this bridge obtains priority funding; and
- (ii) if no to (c), why not?

992. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the following list of State Government roads in the Greater Bunbury Region and the list of road maintenance, design works or repairs put forward by Local Government bodies in the region: ongoing improvements to the South West Highway north and south of Bunbury; the dualling of Bussell Highway from Capel to Busselton; construction of a safe and direct route from Bussell Highway to Busselton Airport, and the sealing of state forest and other roads between Collie and Wellington Dam and connecting Pile and other subsidiary roads to Wellington Dam, Donnybrook and to the Donnybrook-Boyup Brook Road, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs, upgrades, maintenance or design works to these roads:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. should maintenance, resealing, widening, duplication);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not; and
- (b) is funding proposed for the abovementioned roads or section of roads in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of the funding, what specific projects have been funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not?

993. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to Chester Pass Road, north of the Stirling Ranges National Park, which traverses the Shire of Kent and Shire of Gnowangerup and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs to this road:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) have any of the budgeted funds been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the section of Chester Pass Road, mentioned above, in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, what funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific projects have been funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the Shires of Kent and Gnowangerup have had repairs to the abovementioned road listed as a priority for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not; and

- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shires of Kent and Gnowangerup have contacted the Department of Transport about this section of road?

994. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to Four Acres Road, Governor Broome Road and Pneumonia Road in the Shire of Nannup, which is used by transport companies to move hardwood such as Blue Gum from the Scott River region to Bunbury, and ask:

- (a) why do these roads not qualify for Commodity Routes Funding;
- (b) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs or maintenance to these roads:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not; and
- (c) is funding proposed for the roads mentioned above in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of the allocated funding, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not?

995. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Cundinup-Kirup Road and the Cundinup Road in the Shire of Nannup, which is used by pine hauliers to transport timber to Bunbury, and ask:

- (a) why do these roads not qualify for Commodity Routes Funding;
- (b) what funding was budgeted in 2013–2014 for repairs or maintenance to these roads:
 - (i) what funding was budgeted in 2013–2014 for repairs or maintenance to these roads;
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not; and
- (c) is funding proposed for the Cundinup-Kirup Road and the Cundinup Road in the 2013-14 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not?

996. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Quairading to York section of road that is part of the York-Merredin Road which traverses the Shires of Quairading, York and Beverley and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs, maintenance or design works on this section of road:

- (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. resealing, widening, overtaking lanes);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds, have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if not, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the Quairading to York section of the York-Merredin Road, in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this proposed funding, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if not, why not;
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that a number of upgrades to the Quairading to York section of road have been listed as a priority request from Shires of Quairading, York and Beverley for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if not, why not; and
- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shires of Quairading, York and Beverley has contacted the Department of Transport about this section of road?

997. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Goomalling-Merriden Road from Wyalkatchem through to Merriden, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs and maintenance to this road:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the Goomalling-Merriden Road in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific project will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;
- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the Shires of Trayning, Wyalkatchem and Nungarin have had repairs to the Goomalling-Merriden Road listed as a priority for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not; and
- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shires of Trayning, Wyalkatchem and Nungarin have contacted the Department of Transport about this road?

998. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the section of Albany Highway in the Shire of Wandering and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for repairs, upgrades or maintenance to this section of road:
 - (i) if applicable, what specific project is this funding allocation for (e.g. shoulder maintenance, resealing, widening etc.);
 - (ii) if applicable, of the budgeted funds, have any been acquitted; and
 - (iii) if not, why not; and
- (b) is funding proposed for the section of Albany Highway in the Shire of Wandering, in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if not, why not?

999. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to correspondence from the Shire of West Arthur to Mohammad Siddiqui, Regional Manager of Main Roads, Wheatbelt South Region, dated 3 July 2013, requesting planning be undertaken for overtaking lanes on Coalfields Highway at the following locations: Between Bowelling Siding and the top of Bowelling Hill; 4km west of Darkan (Perry's Hill); Between Fleay's and Clarke roads; Between Centaur and Quins roads; Mt Latham west of Wagin; Between Arthur River and Wireless Station Road, and ask:

- (a) what consideration has Main Roads given to the Shire of West Arthur's request;
- (b) is funding proposed for the suggested overtaking lanes in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame; and
 - (ii) if no funding proposed, why not; and
- (c) if funding is allocated for overtaking lanes on Coalfields Highway in the Shire of West Arthur, is Main Roads Western Australia prepared to commit to completing these works prior to the commencement of grain exports from Bunbury Port, which Bunge plans to begin by mid-2014?

1000. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the section of Goldfields Highway linking Meekatharra and Wiluna, and ask:

- (a) what funding was budgeted in 2012–2013 for upgrading and sealing this road:
 - (i) if applicable, of the budgeted funds, have any been acquitted; and
 - (ii) if no funding was budgeted, why not;
- (b) is funding proposed for the Goldfields Highway connecting Meekatharra and Wiluna in the 2013–2014 Budget:
 - (i) if applicable, how much funding has been allocated and over what time frame;
 - (ii) if applicable, of this funding allocation, what specific projects will be funded; and
 - (iii) if no funding was proposed, why not;

- (c) does the Department of Transport acknowledge that the Shires of Wiluna and Meekatharra have had repairs to the abovementioned road listed as a priority for many years:
 - (i) if yes, what assessments will be undertaken by the Department of Transport to ensure this road obtains priority funding; and
 - (ii) if no to (c), why not; and
- (d) can you advise from 1 October 2008 until receipt of this question the number of times the Shires of Wiluna and Meekatharra has contacted the Department of Transport about this section of road?

1001. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Department of Housing's 198 properties in Collie and ask:

- (a) in what year were each of these properties built;
- (b) what type of materials are each of these properties built from (e.g. brick/tile, fibro/iron);
- (c) what type of heating is provided in each of the 198 properties;
- (d) if heating is not provided, why not;
- (e) does the Department of Housing recognise that Collie is a location of extreme temperatures, and if not, why not;
- (f) in section 2.1 and 2.2 of the Climate Control Policy in the Department of Housing's Rental Policy Manual dated July 2013, how many Collie tenants have installed internal heating devices at their own cost:
 - (i) if applicable, of those tenants who have installed heating devices at their own cost, what has been the reimbursement provided by the Department of Housing for each installation during the 2012–2013 financial year; and
- (g) what funding (2012–2013) allocation is there for the provision of heating appliances under section 1.1 – *Climate Control Policy of the Department of Housing's Rental Policy Manual* dated July 2013, for properties in Collie:
 - (i) what expenditure from this funding allocation occurred in 2012–2013?

1002. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:

I refer to the Department of Aboriginal Affairs' website, on the page entitled *The Gordon Inquiry*, where it is states that, as of May 2007, 71 of the 125 initiatives which address the Gordon Inquiry recommendations have been completed, while 37 are still in progress, and ask:

- (a) which of the 71 recommendations have been completed;
- (b) which 37 initiatives were still in progress as of May 2007;
- (c) what progress has been made on these incomplete initiatives since May 2007;
- (d) what is the current status of the 71 initiatives that had been completed as at May 2007;
- (e) why was the 2008 Evaluation Report, entitled *Evaluation of the Impact of the Government's Response to the Gordon Inquiry* not made available to the public:
 - (i) will the Government make this report available; and
 - (ii) what were the key findings of this report;
- (f) have phases 2 and 3 of the evaluation program described on this webpage been completed;

- (g) if yes to (f), what were the key findings of these evaluation phases;
- (h) if yes to (f), what implications do the findings from (g) have on current policy and the initiatives that have been implemented;
- (i) if no to (f), why has this not taken place and what is the current progress of status of each phase;
- (j) if no to (f), what is being done instead of this evaluation program to assess the impact of the completed initiatives in addressing family violence and child abuse; and
- (k) if no to (f), what is being done to monitor the progress of the 37 initiatives which were incomplete as of May 2007?

1003. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:

I refer to the Public Accounts Committee's *Review of Auditor General's Reports 2010-2011*. The Committee concludes that unravelling the expenditure of the Gordon Action Plan across so many agencies is unlikely to be cost-effective or even possible due to the changes in government policy that have meant many of the Gordon Action Plan initiatives have been superseded by other structures and services, such as the Closing the Gap approach, and ask:

- (a) which of those implemented Gordon Action Plan initiatives, which did not have a finite end date, have continued to be operational, and:
 - (i) how have the initiatives from (a) been integrated into any new policies and approaches of the Barnett Government;
 - (ii) will the initiatives from (a) continue to be operational; and
 - (iii) how is the progress and impact of the initiatives from (a) being assessed;
- (b) which of those implemented Gordon Action Plan initiatives, which did not have a finite end date, have not continued to be operational:
 - (i) why are the initiatives from (b) no longer operational; and
 - (ii) what, if anything, has replaced the initiatives from (b); and
- (c) will the Government reconsider the establishment of a deputy children's commissioner for Aboriginal children and youth, as recommended by the Gordon Inquiry?

1004. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Heritage:

I refer the Minister to Question on Notice No. 709, asked by the Member for Southern River on 15 September 2009, and to Question on Notice 2699, asked by the Member for Perth on 18 May 2010, regarding the preservation and protection of the Maddington Homestead, and I ask:

- (a) is the Minister aware of the current ruinous state of the property which has deteriorated since the Conservation Order on the property was established on 22 September 2009;
- (b) has the Heritage Council sought to enact on the Order, impose work orders or enforce the owner to undertake preservation works, and if not, why not; and
- (c) can the Minister advise whether the Heritage Council has investigated the compulsory acquisition of the property as an alternative measure to achieve restoration and if not, why not?

1005. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Environment:

I refer to the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*, prepared by the Conservation Commission, through the former Department of Environment and Conservation, and ask:

- (a) are any members of the Conservation Commission, who helped prepare the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*, directly or indirectly associated with the timber or mining sectors:
 - (i) if yes, what are these individual's names and their position within the Conservation Commission; and
 - (ii) if yes, did such Conservation Commission members declare or disclose their indirect or pecuniary interests during the preparation of the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*?

1006. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Environment:

I refer to the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*, prepared by the Conservation Commission, through the former Department of Environment and Conservation, and ask:

- (a) did the Conservation Commission employ consultants to submit advice on the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*, and if yes, what are the names of the consulting firms/agents; and
- (b) if applicable, what were the terms of reference, period of engagement and payment to each individual consultant/consultancy group?

1007. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Environment:

I refer to the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*, prepared by the Conservation Commission, through the former Department of Environment and Conservation, and ask:

- (a) did the Conservation Commission use the services of URS Environmental Consultants and Services or affiliated contractors or subsidiary companies of URS, when preparing the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*:
 - (i) if yes, what type of reports did URS Environmental Consultants and Services or their affiliated contractors or subsidiary companies provide;
 - (ii) were any employees of URS Environmental Consultants and Services or their affiliated contractors or subsidiary companies, concurrently employed in the timber or mining sectors at the time of providing advice to the Conservation Commission;
 - (iii) were any employees of URS Environmental Consultants and Services or their affiliated contractors or subsidiary companies, previously employed in the timber or mining sectors prior to working on the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014-2023*;
 - (iv) did any employee of URS Environmental Consultants and Services or their affiliated contractors or subsidiary companies provide services to any of the stakeholders who submitted public comment on the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023* during the 12 week open period for submissions:
 - (A) if applicable, what are the names of these individuals and the company/stakeholder they represented; and
 - (v) are any clients of URS Environmental Consultants and Services or their affiliated contractors or subsidiary companies, likely to benefit financially, either directly or indirectly, from decisions made during the preparation of the *Draft Forest Management Plan 2014–2023*?

1008. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Road Safety:

- (1) How many cyclists were injured on Western Australian Roads in the following years: 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012?
- (2) How many cyclists were killed on Western Australian Roads in the following years: 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012?

1009. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Road Safety:

Currently the *Drive Safe Handbook* distributed by the Department for Transport encourages drivers to allow a minimum of one metre overtaking clearance when over taking a cyclist at speeds of 50 to 70 km/h, and I ask:

- (a) is the Minister considering the introduction of legislation to make the minimum of one metre for overtaking a cyclist a legal requirement for drivers doing speeds of 50 to 70 km/h:
 - (i) if yes, when does the Minister intend to introduce this legislation; and
 - (ii) if not, why not?

1010. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Road Safety:

Currently the *Drive Safe Handbook* distributed by the Department for Transport encourages drivers to allow a minimum of two metres overtaking clearance when overtaking a cyclist at speeds of over 70 km/h, and I ask:

- (a) is the Minister prepared to introduce legislation to make the minimum of two metres for overtaking a cyclist at speeds a legal requirement for drivers doing speeds in excess of 70 km/h:
 - (i) if yes, when does the Minister intend to introduce this legislation; and
 - (ii) if not, why not?

1011. Ms L.L. Baker to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Commerce:

I refer to the response to a Parliamentary Question provided by the Minister for Commerce on 17 October 2012, concerning the report into prepaid funerals and the Minister's response at the time stating the report was not yet finalised, and ask, has the report been finalised and if not, when will it be finalised?

PETER MCHUGH

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
