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1635. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

- (1) Is the Canning Bridge transit interchange at capacity?
- (2) What upgrades does the Government have planned to increase its capacity?
- (3) What is the estimated cost of these upgrades?
- (4) When does the Minister expect these upgrades will be:
 - (a) commenced; and
 - (b) completed?
- (5) If no to (1), when does the Public Transport Authority expect the Canning Bridge transit interchange to reach capacity?
- (6) Have any works been identified that will increase capacity or improve the bus interchange, and improve the pedestrian access at this transit interchange?
- (7) If yes to (6):
 - (a) what are they; and
 - (b) what is the estimated cost?
- 1636. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:
- (1) Has the Stirling station bus interchange reached capacity?
- (2) What upgrades does the Government have planned to upgrade Stirling station along the bus interchange and surrounding area?
- (3) What is the estimated cost of these upgrades?
- (4) When does the Minister expect these upgrades will be:
 - (a) commenced; and
 - (b) completed?
- (5) If no to (1), when does the Public Transport Authority expect the Canning Bridge transit interchange to reach capacity?
- (6) Have any works been identified that will increase capacity or improve the bus interchange and improve the pedestrian access at this transit interchange?
- (7) If yes to (6):
 - (a) what are they; and
 - (b) what is the estimated cost?

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1637. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

- (1) Does the Government still support a new bus-rail interchange at Karnup?
- (2) If yes to (1):
 - (a) when does the Government expect it will be needed; and
 - (b) what is the current estimated cost?

1638. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the antisocial behaviour statistics that the Public Transport Authority monitor on the Perth urban rail and bus network, and ask:

- (a) can the Minister provide the number of incidents that occurred in the 2013-14 financial year on the Perth rail network:
 - (i) in each category; and
 - (ii) for each train station; and
- (b) can the Minister provide the number of incidents that occurred in the 2013-14 financial year for each bus contract area or suburb:
 - (i) in each category; and
 - (ii) for each bus interchange?

1639. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Agriculture and Food:

- (1) Will the Minister identify how many unannounced livestock compliance unit (LCU) visits there were in Western Australia in the last 12 months to date to:
 - (a) saleyards;
 - (b) export depots; and
 - (c) ports?
- (2) How many matters arising from these visits have been investigated under the *Animal Welfare Act 2002* in the last 12 months to date?
- (3) Of the matters investigated, how many resulted in:
 - (a) direction notices;
 - (b) written warnings; and
 - (c) prosecutions?
- (4) How many animal welfare incident reports have been received from Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service (AQIS) accredited export abattoirs in Western Australia in the last 12 months to date?
- (5) How many of these have been investigated under the Animal Welfare Act 2002?

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- (6) Of the incidences reported, how many resulted in:
 - (a) direction notices;
 - (b) written warnings; and
 - (c) prosecutions?
- (7) Can the Minister explain why Western Australia is the only jurisdiction not to have adopted the *Land Transport Standards 2012*?

1640. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

- (1) As at 1 May 2014, what was the total Department for Child Protection and Family Support (DCPaFS) funded full time equivalent (FTE) employee allocation, by directorate and district?
- (2) As at 1 May 2014:
 - (a) what were the vacancies in the FTE terms, by directorate and district;
 - (b) how many of those vacancies were subject to advertising, by district; and
 - (c) of those vacancies not subject to advertising, please provide the reason why?
- (3) As at 1 May 2014, what was the total service delivery FTE employee allocation, by directorate and district?
- (4) As at 1 May 2014, what were the total vacant service delivery positions, by directorate and district?
- (5) As at 1 May 2014, what was the total FTE case worker allocation, by directorate and district?
- (6) As at 1 May 2014, what were the total FTE vacant case worker positions?
- (7) As at 1 May 2014, what was the FTE number of employees, by directorate and district on:
 - (a) permanent contract; and
 - (b) fixed term contract?
- (8) As at 1 May 2014, how many DCPaFS field officers have been co-located with Western Australia Police staff from the family protection unit, in regional and rural offices, as part of the strategy to combat family and domestic abuse?
- (9) What are the co-location sites where the DCPaFS officers referred to in (8) are situated?

1641. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

- (1) As at 1 August 2014, what was the total Department for Child Protection and Family Support (DCPaFS) funded full time equivalent (FTE) employee allocation, by directorate and district?
- (2) As at 1 August 2014:
 - (a) what were the vacancies in the FTE terms, by directorate and district;
 - (b) how many of those vacancies were subject to advertising, by district; and
 - (c) of those vacancies not subject to advertising, please provide the reason why?
- (3) As at 1 August 2014, what was the total service delivery FTE employee allocation, by directorate and district?
- (4) As at 1 August 2014, what were the total vacant service delivery positions, by directorate and district?

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- (5) As at 1 August 2014, what was the total FTE case worker allocation, by directorate and district?
- (6) As at 1 August 2014, what were the total FTE vacant case worker positions?
- (7) As at 1 August 2014, what was the FTE number of employees, by directorate and district on:
 - (a) permanent contract; and
 - (b) fixed term contract?
- (8) As at 1 August 2014, how many DCPaFS field officers have been co-located with Western Australia Police staff from the family protection unit, in regional and rural offices, as part of the strategy to combat family and domestic abuse?
- (9) What are the co-location sites where the DCPaFS officers referred to in (8) are situated?

1642. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

- (1) By district, how many children were under the care of the Department for Child Protection and Family Support during the month of August 2014?
- (2) By district, how many of the children in (1) were in placements with Department for Child Protection and Family Support foster carers by category of:
 - (a) relative carer; and
 - (b) non-relative carer?

1643. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

- (1) As at 31 August 2014, what was total number of applications to be a foster carer approved by category of relative and non-relative carer, by district?
- (2) As at 31 August 2014, what was the total number of registered foster carers, by category of relative carer and non-relative carer, by district?
- (3) As at 31 August 2014, what was the total number of registered foster carers with children placed, by category of relative and non-relative carers, by district?

1644. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

- (1) For the period 1 June 2014 to 31 August 2014, what was the number of initial inquiries in relation to suspected child sexual abuse received, by district and by category of mandated referrer?
- (2) For the period 1 June 2014 to 31 August 2014, what was the number of safety and wellbeing assessment with harm assessment, by district and by category of harm of:
 - (a) neglect;
 - (b) sexual;
 - (c) physical abuse; and
 - (d) emotional abuse?

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1645. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

For all Hardship Utility Grant Scheme applications processed by the Department for Child Protection and Family Support in August 2014, please provide the number of applications by:

- (a) postcode;
- (b) regional development region;
- (c) main source of income;
- (d) family status;
- (e) number of children;
- (f) gender;
- (g) age;
- (h) housing tenure; and
- (i) ethnicity?

1646. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

For each of the utilities Synergy, Horizon, Water Corporation and Alinta, in relation to the Hardship Utilities Grant Scheme for August 2014, can the Minister please advise on the following:

- (a) what was the number of grant applications;
- (b) what was the number of approved grants;
- (c) what was the total grant amount; and
- (d) what was the average amount paid?

1647. Hon Stephen Dawson to the Minister for Child Protection:

- (1) For each of the utilities Synergy, Horizon, Water Corporation and Alinta in regards to the Hardship Utilities Grant Scheme, how many applications were received, and how many applicants were approved and provided with financial assistance to pay utility bills for the following suburbs in August 2014:
 - (a) Leeming;
 - (b) Canning Vale;
 - (c) Morley;
 - (d) Wanneroo;
 - (e) Willagee;
 - (f) Samson;
 - (g) Spencer Park;
 - (h) Balcatta;
 - (i) Dalyellup;
 - (j) High Wycombe;
 - (k) Kingsley;
 - (l) Clarkson;
 - (m) Noranda;

Questions Asked Today

Notice Given Thursday, 11 September 2014

- (n) Yokine;
- (o) Currambine;
- (p) Parkwood;
- (q) Innaloo;
- (r) Huntingdale;
- (s) Ellenbrook;
- (t) Darch; and
- (u) Peppermint Grove?

(2) What was the average payment for each utility for each of the suburbs listed?

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