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# **QUESTIONS**

No. 58

Wednesday, 21 October 2009

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- 1213. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Minister for Environment
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- 1250. Hon Jon Ford to the Minister for Fisheries
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- 1254. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police
- 1255. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education
- 1256. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Corrective Services
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- 1262. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Minister for Environment
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- 1264. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Health
- 1265. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health
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- 1268. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Environment
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- 1276. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
- 1277. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food

# Notice Given Thursday, 15 October 2009

- 1279. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 1280. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development
- 1281. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health
- 1282. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Environment
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- 1284. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Environment
- 1285. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Energy

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1286. Hon Jon Ford to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

As of 1 October 2009, how many mining applications by each category, -

- (a) were waiting for completion;
- (b) were waiting for completion, that were over three months since lodgement;
- (c) were waiting for completion, that were over six months since lodgement;
- (d) were waiting for completion, that were over 12 months since lodgement;
- (e) were waiting over two years since lodgement;
- (f) have been completed 1 March 2009 to 1 October 2009; and
- (g) have been approved between 1 March 2009 to 1 October 2009?

1287. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

Burrup Nitrates Pty Ltd (BNPL) state on their website,

http://www.bfpl.com.au/index.php?option=com content&task=view&id=13&Itemid=9,

that Environmental Approvals commenced in October 2008 and were due for completion in September 2009, -

- (1) Are these statements correct?
- (2) If no to (1), what involvement has the Minister or the Department had that has enabled BNPL to make these statements?
- (3) What is the state of environmental approval for this project?
- (4) What are the projected CO2e emissions from this project?

1288. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

With regard to the Chevron crude oil producing facilities on Barrow Island and Thevenard Island, -

- (1) How many point sources, leaks, flares and flare pits of CO2e emissions are there at these facilities?
- (2) What are the annual CO2e emissions from these point sources?
- (3) What are the annual CO2e emissions from Barrow Island and Thevenard Island respectively?
- (4) Are these CO2e emissions separate from or in anyway included in the CO2e value associated with the Gorgon project?

# **Questions Asked Today**

## Notice given Wednesday, 21 October 2009

1289. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
- (4) What is the nature of complaints in each category?
- (5) How many of the total complaints fall into each category?
- (6) How many complaints in each category are under investigation by the Corruption and Crime Commission?

1290. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Fisheries

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
- (4) What is the nature of complaints in each category?
- (5) How many of the total complaints fall into each category?
- (6) How many complaints in each category are under investigation by the Corruption and Crime Commission?
- 1291. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Regional Development

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
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- 1292. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -
- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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- (5) How many of the total complaints fall into each category?
- (6) How many complaints in each category are under investigation by the Corruption and Crime Commission?
- 1293. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -
- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
- (4) What is the nature of complaints in each category?
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- 1294. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
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1295. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Disability Services

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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1296. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Commerce For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
- (4) What is the nature of complaints in each category?
- (5) How many of the total complaints fall into each category?
- (6) How many complaints in each category are under investigation by the Corruption and Crime Commission?
- 1297. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Science and Innovation

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
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1298. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
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- 1299. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
- (3) What are the categories of complaints received?
- (4) What is the nature of complaints in each category?
- (5) How many of the total complaints fall into each category?
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- 1300. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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1301. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Energy

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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- (4) What is the nature of complaints in each category?
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- 1302. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -
- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
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- 1303. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
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1304. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Local Government

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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- 1305. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Heritage For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -
- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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- 1306. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
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1307. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Forestry

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
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1308. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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- 1309. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Youth

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1310. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
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- 1311. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Community Services

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

- (1) Does the agency have a complaints management unit?
- (2) If yes to (1), how many complaints have been received by the agency since 23 September 2008?
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- 1312. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering

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1313. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Women's Interests

For each Department and Agency within the Minister's portfolios, -

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# MALCOLM PEACOCK

Clerk of the Legislative Council