

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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## QUESTIONS

**No. 152**

**Wednesday, 29 August 2007**

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Questions appear according to the date on which notice was delivered.  
When a question has been answered it is removed from the postponed list.

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## POSTPONED QUESTIONS

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**Notice Given**                      **Wednesday, 6 December 2006**

4443. Hon Simon O'Brien to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)

**Notice Given**                      **Tuesday, 20 March 2007**

4476. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)
4519. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)
4520. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)
4521. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)
4574. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)
4575. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)
4576. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)

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4665. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation (*SO 138(d) response - May 2 2007*)

**Notice Given** ***Wednesday, 9 May 2007***

4835. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy (*SO 138(d) response - June 26 2007*)

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**Notice Given** ***Tuesday, 26 June 2007***

4961. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance

**Notice Given** ***Wednesday, 27 June 2007***

4973. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

**Notice Given** ***Thursday, 28 June 2007***

4984. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Child Protection

4985. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

4986. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

**Notice Given** ***Tuesday, 14 August 2007***

4989. Hon Giz Watson to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise

4990. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General

4991. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

4993. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Employment Protection

4994. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Employment Protection

4996. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier

4998. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

4999. Hon George Cash to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services

5000. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

5001. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

5002. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information

5003. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General

5004. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts

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- 5005. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 5006. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 5007. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 5008. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 5010. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 5011. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 5012. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 5013. Hon Norman Moore to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

***Notice Given                      Wednesday, 15 August 2007***

- 5014. Hon Norman Moore to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5016. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 5017. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Women's Interests
- 5018. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5019. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 5020. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5021. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 5022. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Forestry
- 5023. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 5024. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Great Southern
- 5025. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government
- 5026. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 5027. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship
- 5028. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 5029. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5030. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance
- 5031. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Youth
- 5032. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development
- 5033. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Fisheries

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- 5035. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection
- 5036. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Communities
- 5037. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Women's Interests
- 5038. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 5039. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 5040. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 5041. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade
- 5042. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 5043. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
- 5044. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 5045. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 5046. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 5047. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 5048. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 5049. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 5050. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 5051. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 5052. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 5053. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5054. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 5055. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 5056. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 5057. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 5058. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage

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- 5059. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information
- 5060. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5061. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 5062. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 5063. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 5064. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 5065. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 5066. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 5067. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 5068. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources
- 5069. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- 5070. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 5071. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
- 5072. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 5073. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5074. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Climate Change
- 5075. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Peel

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- 5076. Hon Norman Moore to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

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- 5078. Hon Anthony Fels to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5079. Hon Anthony Fels to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 5080. Hon Anthony Fels to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5081. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

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- 5083. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Local Government
- 5084. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5085. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5086. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5087. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 5088. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 5089. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 5090. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 5091. Hon Murray Criddle to the Minister for Regional Development
- 5092. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 5093. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 5094. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 5095. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Forestry
- 5096. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 5097. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Great Southern
- 5098. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government
- 5099. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 5100. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship
- 5101. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 5102. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5103. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance
- 5104. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Youth
- 5105. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development
- 5106. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Fisheries
- 5107. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne

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- 5109. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Communities
- 5110. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Women's Interests
- 5111. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 5112. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 5113. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 5114. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade
- 5115. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 5116. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
- 5117. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 5118. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 5119. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 5120. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 5121. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 5122. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 5123. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 5124. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 5125. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 5126. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5127. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 5128. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 5129. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 5130. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
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- 5135. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 5136. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 5137. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 5138. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 5139. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 5140. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 5141. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources
- 5142. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- 5143. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 5144. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
- 5145. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 5146. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5147. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Climate Change
- 5148. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Peel
- 5149. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 5150. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Forestry
- 5151. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
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- 5167. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
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- 5225. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 5226. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
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- 5228. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 5229. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 5230. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 5231. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 5232. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
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- 5368. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Peel

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5369. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

Regarding the proposed amalgamations and closures of schools in the Girrawheen area, I ask -

- (1) What, if any, consultation with the Blackmore Primary School community was undertaken regarding the proposed amalgamation with Girrawheen Primary School?
- (2) I understand that the parents from the three other primary schools involved in the amalgamations in Girrawheen were all given surveys to fill out and allowed parent representatives on the consultation committee. Why were the Blackmore parents excluded from this process?
- (3) Why was the Girrawheen School chosen for the proposed amalgamation?
- (4) Was a detailed comparison of the two sites undertaken before the decision was made?
- (5) Have anticipated residential development trends been taken into account in making the decision?
- (6) Is the Minister concerned that there will be no school servicing the west of Girrawheen?
- (7) What is the longest distance that children would need to walk to school within the school intake area?
- (8) Is the Minister concerned that parents will send the Blackmore students to neighbouring schools rather than the proposed amalgamated school?

5370. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

I refer to Synergy cutting off electricity to the Morris household in Pinjarra on 16 October 2006, which contributed to their house burning down by leaving a candle alight and this left their nine year old son Jordan in hospital recovering from burns, and I ask -

- (1) How many households have had their power disconnected from August 2006 to the current date?
- (2) How many of those households are still without power?
- (3) Synergy is meant to have protocols whereby field officers visit people who are in hardship. Did Mr and Mrs Morris ever receive a visit from a field officer?
- (4) A tragedy happened last year, where Synergy cut the power off to the Pickering family and a mother and two children were burnt to death, this latest incident could have been another tragedy. When is the Government going to implement a strategy whereby power is never cut off to people who have children in the household?
- (5) Did Synergy offer the Morris family \$10 000 in compensation?

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5371. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Gordon Inquiry recommendation 13, and ask -

- (1) Has there been an expansion of delivery of sexual assault services in the metropolitan, rural and remote regions?
- (2) How many new centres have been commissioned since 2002?
- (3) What is the location of these centres?
- (4) How many new Aboriginal specific counselling services have commenced since 2002, and where are they located?
- (5) What education and training to health care workers, agencies, communities and schools, have been given to address sexual abuse issues since 2002?

5372. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Gordon Inquiry, recommendation 11. The inquiry supports the Department of Health's intention to develop a Volatile Substance Abuse Action Plan (VSAAP), and recommends the VSAAP adopt a comprehensive approach to the development of strategies that include treatment initiatives in Aboriginal communities, and ask -

- (1) What is this action plan?
- (2) What strategies have been developed and in what year were they implemented?
- (3) What are the treatment initiatives in Aboriginal communities, and who carries them out?

5373. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Gordon Inquiry, recommendation 8 states, 'the Inquiry commends the establishment of the Aboriginal Psychiatric Services at Graylands Hospital'. However, it recommends that the services should be widely publicised, especially in the rural and remote regions, and target referring professionals, agencies and Aboriginal groups, and I ask -

- (1) Is there a separate facility at Graylands for Aboriginal people?
- (2) What is the Aboriginal Psychiatric Services at Graylands, and what services do they have?
- (3) Do rural and remote Aboriginal people use these services?
- (4) How are these services publicised to rural and remote Aboriginal people?

5374. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Gordon Inquiry, recommendation 6, 'the inquiry endorses in principle the Department of Health's initiative to build workforce skills, develop new models of service delivery that would

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improve interagency referral processes and enhance interagency cooperation, as proposed for the reconfigured Community and Child Health branch', and ask -

- (1) How was the Community and Child Health branch reconfigured?
- (2) Has interagency cooperation been enhanced?
- (3) If yes to (2), how?
- (4) What work force skills have been initiated?
- (5) What years was the above done?

5375. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

I refer to the Gordon Inquiry, recommendation 4 says that, 'the inquiry finds that the Office of Aboriginal Health (OAH) does not have any specific policies, procedures or agendas to address family violence and child abuse in Aboriginal Communities'. The inquiry recommends that OAH be more involved in the development of programs to meet the three levels of responses, primary, secondary and tertiary, to address these issues, and I ask -

- (1) What has been done to ensure that this recommendation has been implemented?
- (2) What programs have been implemented to address family violence in Aboriginal Communities?
- (3) What has been done to address child abuse in Aboriginal Communities?
- (4) What year did the above take place?

5376. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Agriculture and Food

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5377. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Forestry

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5378. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt

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5379. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Great Southern

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5380. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government

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5381. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Racing and Gaming

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5382. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship

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5383. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Government Enterprises

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5384. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

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5385. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance

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5386. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Youth

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5388. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Fisheries

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5389. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne

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5390. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection

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5391. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Communities

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5392. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Women's Interests

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5394. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

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5395. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations

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5397. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation

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5398. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science

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5399. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management

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5400. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier

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5401. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
- (3) Will further positions have the 50(d) exception removed in the next 12 months?
- (4) If yes to (3), which positions are being considered for removal of the 50(d) exception?
- (5) Were all Aboriginal staff whose positions were covered by the 50(d) exception counselled prior to removal of the exception up until 28 August 2007?
- (6) If no to (5), which staff in which positions were not counselled?
- (7) Why were the staff referred to in (6), not counselled?
- (8) Will all staff whose positions will be affected by (4), be consulted prior to a decision to remove the 50(d) exception?

5402. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
- (3) Will further positions have the 50(d) exception removed in the next 12 months?
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- (7) Why were the staff referred to in (6), not counselled?
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5403. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
- (3) Will further positions have the 50(d) exception removed in the next 12 months?
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- (5) Were all Aboriginal staff whose positions were covered by the 50(d) exception counselled prior to removal of the exception up until 28 August 2007?
- (6) If no to (5), which staff in which positions were not counselled?
- (7) Why were the staff referred to in (6), not counselled?
- (8) Will all staff whose positions will be affected by (4), be consulted prior to a decision to remove the 50(d) exception?

5404. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
- (3) Will further positions have the 50(d) exception removed in the next 12 months?
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5405. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
- (3) Will further positions have the 50(d) exception removed in the next 12 months?
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5406. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5407. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
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5408. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
- (2) Which of these positions has had the 50(d) exception removed as at 28 August 2007?
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5409. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5410. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5411. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5412. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

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5413. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage

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5414. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5415. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

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5416. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services

- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5417. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism

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5418. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts

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5419. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection

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5420. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

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5421. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West

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5422. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

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5423. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources

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5424. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5425. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5426. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
- (1) By agency, please name each position for which an exception 50(d) under the *Equal Opportunity Act 1984*, applied as at 1 July 2007?
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5427. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations

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5428. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

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5429. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Climate Change

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5430. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Peel

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