

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 162

Thursday, 27 September 2007

Questions appear according to the date on which notice was delivered.
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POSTPONED QUESTIONS

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 **Tuesday, 14 August 2007**

5013. Hon Norman Moore to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - October 17 2007*)

Notice Given **Wednesday, 15 August 2007**

5014. Hon Norman Moore to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - September 16 2007*)
5039. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5040. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5041. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5042. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5043. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5044. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5048. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5056. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5060. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)
5065. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 20 2007*)

Notice Given **Tuesday, 28 August 2007**

5082. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5093. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5129. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5138. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)

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5143. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5144. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5145. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5193. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5198. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5199. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5200. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5222. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Premier (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5223. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5224. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5225. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5226. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5227. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5236. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5239. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5248. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5249. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
5253. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5254. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)

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5255. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5298. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5303. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5304. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5358. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
5359. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)

Notice Given Wednesday, 29 August 2007

5420. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
5425. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
5426. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
5427. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations

Notice Given Thursday, 30 August 2007

5431. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
5432. Hon Norman Moore to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

Notice Given Tuesday, 4 September 2007

5434. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

Notice Given Wednesday, 5 September 2007

5436. Hon Barry House to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
5437. Hon Simon O'Brien to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
5441. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection

Notice Given Thursday, 6 September 2007

5442. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Child Protection
5443. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

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- 5444. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5445. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5446. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5447. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5448. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5449. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
(SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007)
- 5450. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
(SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007)

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- 5451. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection
- 5452. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection
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- 5458. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Minister for Child Protection
- 5460. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 5461. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 5462. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General

Notice Given Wednesday, 19 September 2007

- 5463. Hon Barry House to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 5464. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 5465. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 5466. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Forestry
- 5467. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 5468. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Great Southern
- 5469. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government

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- 5470. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 5471. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship
- 5472. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 5473. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5474. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance
- 5475. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Youth
- 5476. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development
- 5477. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Fisheries
- 5478. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 5479. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection
- 5480. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Communities
- 5481. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Women's Interests
- 5482. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 5483. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 5484. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 5485. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade
- 5486. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 5487. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
- 5488. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 5489. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 5490. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 5491. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 5492. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 5493. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 5494. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 5495. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 5496. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 5497. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

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- 5498. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs (*SO 138(d) response - September 26 2007*)
- 5499. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 5500. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 5501. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 5502. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 5503. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information
- 5504. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 5505. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 5506. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 5507. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 5508. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 5509. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 5510. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 5511. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 5512. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources
- 5513. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- 5514. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 5515. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
- 5516. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 5517. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5518. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Climate Change

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5519. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Peel

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5520. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

5521. Hon Brian Ellis to the Minister for Fisheries

5522. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

5523. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

5524. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

5525. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

5526. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

5527. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer

5528. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

5529. Hon Brian Ellis to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management

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5530. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

5531. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

5532. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

5533. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

5534. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

Notice Given *Wednesday, 26 September 2007*

5535. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

5536. Hon Murray Criddle to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

5537. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services

5538. Hon Barry House to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

5539. Hon Norman Moore to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

5540. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

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- 5541. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5542. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5543. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment
- 5544. Hon Anthony Fels to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 5545. Hon Anthony Fels to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

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QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

*Notice given**Thursday, 27 September 2007*

5546. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

I refer to question No. 825 asked on 26 September 2007, about licensing centres. Seven country licensing centres were mentioned, Albany, Boulder, Broome, Bunbury, Carnarvon, Geraldton, and Karratha, and I ask -

- (1) Why does Collie not have a licensing centre given that it is seen to be a sub regional centre?
- (2) Why does Manjimup not have a licensing centre given that it is seen to be a sub regional centre?
- (3) If Bunbury is the only licensing centre for the South West, is there any flexibility for aged people who are required to re-sit their licence to do so in the town that they reside in?
- (4) The licensing centre in Carnarvon does not conduct practical driving assessments, where do they then travel to for their assessment?

5547. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for the Environment

- (1) What is the Government's policy on burning tyres?
- (2) Is Cockburn Cement seeking permission to burn waste tyres at its plant in Munster?

5548. Hon Barry House to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

- (1) How many blackouts or faults have there been with the power service to the Cowaramup/Margaret River area in the past 12 months?
- (2) On what dates have these faults occurred and for how long have these disruptions been?
- (3) What was the cause of these disruptions?

MALCOLM PEACOCK

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