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QUESTIONS

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Wednesday, 17 November 2010

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3170.	Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Environment
3171.	Hon Nigel Hallett to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Forestry
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3177. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Water I refer to the Water Authority monitoring of aquifers in the Three Springs Shire and Mingenew Shire area, and ask -

(1) What are the aquifers and relevant data, below the following coordinates -

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- (a) Latitude 29 22' 37.3582" and Longitude 115 31' 34.2988";
- (b) Latitude 29 19' 02.3213" and Longitude 115 33' 45.2108";
- (c) Latitude 29 10' 28.9491" and Longitude 115 24' 07.2406";
- (d) Latitude 29 09' 35.6925" and Longitude 115 23' 04.2286"; and
- (e) Latitude 29 06' 35.4831" and Longitude 115 22' 46.7485"?
- (2) Does the department have any bores, logs or records of the drawdown of aquifers at these locations?
- (3) In relation to (1)(a)-(e), will the Minister table this data?
- 3178. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism
- I refer to the Minister's speech to the Tourism Council of WA Industry Breakfast on 1 September 2010, at which she stated that the Small Business Development Corporation (SBDC) has taken on small business support for tourism businesses, including support for indigenous businesses; and that they have received staff and funding from Tourism WA's transition budget, and I ask -
- (1) How many extra FTE have been allocated to the SBDC to perform these additional roles in the -
 - (a) 2010-11:
 - (b) 2011-12; and
 - (c) 2012-13 financial years?
- (2) How much additional funding has been allocated to the SBDC in the -
 - (a) 2010-11;
 - (b) 2011-12; and
 - (c) 2012-13 financial years?
- (3) Are the staff in question new FTE's or will they come from the target 74 that will be left in the Department following the redeployment of 85 FTE from Tourism WA?

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- 3179. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism
- I refer to the Minister's speech to the Tourism Council of WA Industry breakfast on 1 September 2010, at which she stated that since the end of May, Tourism WA has moved from 159 employees to 114, on the way to a target 74, and I ask -
- (1) As of today's date, how many employees are in Tourism WA?
- (2) How many have received a separation payment?
- (3) How many jobs have been advertised and filled since the end of May?
- 3180. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism

I refer to comments from the Tourism Council's CEO Graham Moss on *ABC Online* in the article 'Drive to attract visitors to Rottnest' on July 22 2010, and I ask -

- (1) Will the Minister review the pricing structure at Rottnest to attract more visitors?
- (2) If yes to (1), when will the review be completed?
- (3) If no to (1), why not?
- 3181. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

Given that the new extended retail trading hours will mean that more trained staff will be needed, I ask -

- (1) How many places were funded under the Productivity Places Program (PPP) in Certificate II, Certificate III and Certificate IV in Retail?
- (2) As Certificates II, III and IV in Retail were given the lowest priority rating of 5 in the last round of funding under the PPP, and are unlikely to be funded under the 2011 PPP, what arrangements have been made, if any, to accommodate the increased need for skilled workers in the retail sector?
- 3182. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

Given that the new extended retail trading hours will mean that more trained staff will be needed, I ask -

- (1) Is the Minister aware that at least one Registered Training Organisation recently had to turn away 20 job seekers wishing to train in the retail industry because there wasn't enough funding for these lower qualifications?
- (2) As many young, early school leavers are attracted to the retail sector, how does the Minister expect them to be trained if the only qualification in the retail sector that attracts funding under the PPP is a Diploma of Retail Management?
- (3) Why isn't the retail sector deemed a priority in terms of training in the lower qualifications given that there is likely to be a shortage of skilled workers because of the increased hours?

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3183. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

According to the Department of Training and Workforce Development's site, courses available through TAFE for training in the retail sector indicate that only Certificate II in Retail - Food Processing (Pre-Apprenticeship - Retail Baking) is available in Semester 1 in 2011 and that Certificates I and III in Retail - Food Processing (Baking – Bread, Cake and Pastry or Combined), are not available Semester 1 in 2011. Therefore, I ask -

- (1) If, as indicated in the last tender under the Productivity Places Program, lower Certificates will not be funded in the 2011 round of funding under this program, where and how will those wishing to enter this field obtain the necessary training if these courses are not available through TAFE?
- (2) How many places are available through TAFE for Certificate II in Retail Food Processing?

3184. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

I refer to the priority occupation area of Mining, and in particular to underground metalliferous mining, and to training courses during 2011. As Certificate III is not likely to be funded in the next round of funding under the Productivity Places Program and this Certificate is not even listed on the Department of Training and Workforce Development's site as being a course that will be available through TAFE in either Semester 1 or 2, I ask -

- (1) When, if at all, will this training be available?
- (2) Where will training be available in this high priority area?
- (3) Why aren't there any courses available for Certificates II and III in this high priority area?

3185. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

I refer to the next round of funding under the Productivity Places Program (PPP) for 2011, and I ask-

- (1) Is the Minister aware that Registered Training Organisations located in catchment areas, where there are many early school leavers are concerned, that many courses for lower qualifications will not be available under the 2011 PPP?
- (2) Is the Minister aware that Job Services Australia agencies who manage these clients are having difficulty placing them into suitable training programs now that the lower qualifications have been restricted under the PPP?
- (3) If, as indicated in the last tender under this program, many of the courses will not be available for the lower qualifications, what has the Minister done to ensure young people will be able to undertake some form of training, particularly if there are not enough places available through TAFE?

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- 3186. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism I refer to the visit planned by the Oprah Winfrey show to Australia, and I ask -
- (1) What promotional aspects is Tourism Western Australia (TWA) working on to ensure that Western Australia benefits from this visit?
- (2) Has TWA procured a visit from Oprah, or any of her entourage?
- (3) If yes to (2), who will be visiting?
- (4) If no to (2), why not?
- (5) Which aspects of Western Australia will be showcased in the visit?
- 3187. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism
- (1) Have you taken the suggestions and costings about a range of tourism proposals put to you by the Tourism Board of Western Australia more than 6 months ago to Cabinet, as you indicated you would do so?
- What have you done with those suggestions, and what funding has been allocated to progress implementation, if indeed any has taken place?
- 3188. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Transport
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services, or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?
- 3189. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Disability Services
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services, or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?
- 3190. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Health
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?

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- 3191. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
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- 3192. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Housing
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?
- 3193. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Commerce
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?
- 3194. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science and Innovation
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?

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- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?
- 3195. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?
- 3196. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- (1) Has any agency in your portfolios engaged Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association Inc to provide any services or to supply any goods since 1 January 2007?
- (2) If yes to (1), -
 - (a) what were the goods or services supplied;
 - (b) what was the cost of those goods or services; and
 - (c) on what date were they supplied?

NIGEL LAKE

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council