

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS
ANSWERS TO ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS

Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation

Hon Dr Brad Pettitt MLC asked:

1. I refer to Climate Action under Other Spending in Budget Paper No.3, page 115 and plans to develop "a preliminary map of Western Australia's carbon stocks" and I ask will the map of carbon stocks include blue carbon in the ocean?

Answer:

The scope of this project is not finalised.

Minister's initials



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acting as Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade

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2. I refer to page 201, Budget Paper No. 2 Vol. 1, Significant Issues Impacting the Agency, Facilitating Major Projects, Infrastructure and Project Ready Industrial Land, point 16 and I ask:
- (a) What, specifically, are the State's 'Strategic Industrial Areas' for which DJTSI is leading the planning and development;
 - (b) How much of the \$100 million in the Industrial Land Development Fund has been (a) spent and (b) budgeted for each of the Strategic Industrial Areas identified in response to the question above;
 - (c) What specific projects are covered under the work being progressed by DJTSI with 'DevelopmentWA';
 - (d) How much of the \$100 million in the Industrial Land Development Fund has been (a) spent and (b) budgeted for each of the specific projects DJTSI is working on with DevelopmentWA; and
 - (e) Is DJTSI working with DevelopmentWA on the James Price Point industrial area or hub:
 - (i) If yes to (e), for how long has this work with DevelopmentWA on James Price Point been progressing;
 - (ii) What is the nature of the work being conducted at present with DevelopmentWA at James Price Point;
 - (iii) How much has been expended since work commenced on this specific project;
 - (iv) How much is budgeted to be expended for each of the next three years on this project;
 - (v) What is the planned purpose of the James Price Point industrial area or hub;
 - (vi) When does DJTSI expect its work on James Price Point with DevelopmentWA to be concluded; and
 - (vii) What does DJTSI expect will be the final result or outcome of its work with DevelopmentWA at James Price Point?

Answer:

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- (a) The State's Strategic Industrial Areas (SIAs) are led by the Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation (JTSI) and delivered by DevelopmentWA.

SIAs across the State are Browse LNG Precinct, Boodarie, Burrup, Anketell, Maitland, Ashburton, Oakajee, Mungari, Kwinana and Rockingham, Kemerton, Shotts and Mirambeena. In addition, the Australian Marine Complex (AMC) in Henderson, is a unique SIA.

- (b-d) The \$100 million Industrial Lands Fund is administered by DevelopmentWA.

- (e) (i-vii) Work has not progressed to develop this SIA.

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3. I refer to page 201, Budget Paper No. 2 Vol. 1, Significant Issues Impacting the Agency, Facilitating Major Projects, point 15 and specifically Streamline WA and I ask:
- (a) What specific projects are DJTSI facilitating under 'Streamline WA' in the areas of mining, oil and gas;
 - (b) How much has been spent on each project respectively in each of the past three years; and
 - (c) How much is budgeted to be spend on each project in each of the next three years?

Answer:

- 3) (a-c) The funding provided by Streamline WA to Department of Jobs, Tourism, Science and Innovation (JTSI) commenced in Financial Year 2021-22 and was for a total of 8 FTE. These staff work across dozens of projects. Streamline WA has positive impacts on all industries JTSI supports through project facilitation and state agreements.

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