

QUESTIONS BOOKLET

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TUESDAY, 11 MAY 2021

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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Thursday, 29 April 2021

1. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

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- 7. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Emergency Services
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- 10. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Housing
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- 15. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
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- 20. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests
- 21. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Commerce
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- 27. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Heritage
- 28. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 29. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
- 30. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Defence Industry; Veterans Issues
- 31. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Energy; Corrective Services
- 32. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport; Planning; Ports
- 33. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services
- 34. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water; Forestry; Youth
- 35. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment; Climate Action
- 36. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Housing; Local Government

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- 37. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services; Fisheries; Innovation and ICT; Seniors and Ageing
- 38. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming; Small Business; Volunteering

Notice Given Wednesday, 5 May 2021

- 39. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Treasurer
- 40. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
- 41. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Education and Training
- 42. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Finance
- 43. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Lands
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- 46. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Commerce
- 47. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Emergency Services
- 48. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations
- 49. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Medical Research; Science
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- 52. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Heritage
- 53. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 54. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Police; Road Safety
- 55. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Defence Industry; Veterans Issues
- 56. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Energy; Corrective Services

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- 58. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services
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- 88. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming; Small Business; Volunteering

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89. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

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90. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health:

- (1) For the calendar year, from 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020, how many hospital admissions were there for conditions related to post-surgical abortion complications?
- (2) What were the top three most common reasons for the hospital admissions in (1)?
- (3) For the calendar year, from 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020, how many hospital admissions were there for conditions related to post-medical abortion complications?
- (4) What were the top three most common reasons for the hospital admissions in (3)?

91. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to section 334(7) of the *Health Act 1911*, which states "if at least 20 weeks of the woman's pregnancy have been completed when the abortion is performed, the performance of the abortion is not justified unless the abortion is performed in a facility approved by the Minister for the purposes of this section", and I ask:

- (a) are King Edward Memorial Hospital and Broome Hospital the only approved facilities in Western Australia for this purpose;
- (b) if no to (a), what other facility has been approved; and
- (c) further to (b), does the Minister for Health intend to approve any other facility?

92. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Supreme Court Amendment Rules (No.2) 2020, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the rules;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment rules being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment rules addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

93. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Magistrates Court Rules Amendment Rules 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the rules;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment rules being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;

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- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment rules addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

94. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Magistrates Court (Civil Proceedings) Amendment Rules (No.3) 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the rules;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment rules being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment rules addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

95. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Suitors' Fund Amendment Regulations 2020, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

96. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Spent Convictions Amendment Regulations 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

97. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Bail Amendment Regulations 2020, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;

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- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

98. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Attorney General Regulations Amendment (High Risk Serious Offenders) Regulations 2020, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

99. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Restraining Orders Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2020, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns;
- (f) if no to (e), why not; and
- (g) why was the date of 1 January 2021 selected for commencement?

100. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Working with Children (Criminal Record Checking) Amendment Regulations 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

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101. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Family Court Amendment Regulations 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

102. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Freedom of Information Amendment Regulations 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

103. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Children and Community Services Amendment Regulations 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

104. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Children and Community Services Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2020, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

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105. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Supreme Court Rules Amendment (Court of Appeal) Rules 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the rules;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment rules being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment rules addressed these concerns;
- (f) if no to (e), why not; and
- (g) why was the date of 3 May 2021 selected for commencement?

106. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the Children and Community Services Amendment Regulations 2021, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the regulations;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment regulations being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to (c), what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment regulations addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

107. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Child Protection:

I refer to the recent announcement that Mid-West-Gascoyne region is the first of two locations for the Aboriginal Family Led Decision Making pilot, and I ask:

- (a) has the other location for the pilot been decided;
- (b) when will this pilot project commence; and
- (c) how much money is being allocated to this pilot?

NIGEL PRATT

Clerk of the Legislative Council