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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 181

Thursday, 20 October 2011

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4568. Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health (*SO 138(d) response - September 28 2011*)

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4692. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education
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4721. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Local Government
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4798. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health
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- 4810. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Energy
- 4811. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4812. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education
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- 4817. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

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- 4818. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Finance
- 4819. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
- 4820. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4821. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4822. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
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- 4824. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4825. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4826. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4827. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
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- 4836. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4837. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police
- 4838. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
- 4839. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
- 4840. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
- 4841. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
- 4842. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
- 4843. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
- 4844. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning
- 4845. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning
- 4846. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
- 4847. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
- 4848. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Planning

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- 4849. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 4850. Hon Alison Xamon to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 4851. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
- 4852. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water

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QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

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4853. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Corrective Services
I refer to Tabled paper 3898 'Prison Population and Reported Crime in Western Australia: 5 Year Snapshot' tabled by the Attorney General on 21 September 2011 in the other place, and I ask -

- (1) Will the Minister please table offender recidivism figures for the same period?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?

4854. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Energy

I refer to Synergy's review into the application of rebates and concessions to customer accounts which was delivered to the Minister in April, and ask -

- (1) Will the Minister table this review?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) What were the recommended actions arising from the report and what has not been completed to date?
- (4) How many Synergy customers, by type of rebate, have been affected by this problem?
- (5) Have all eligible Synergy customers now had rebates correctly applied, and is the Minister confident all anomalies have been found?

4855. Hon Kate Doust to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
For the financial year 2010-11 to date -

- (1) What is the total amount of fines registered with the Fines Enforcement Registry?
- (2) What is the total amount outstanding or unpaid?
- (3) How much has been collected?
- (4) How much has been written off?
- (5) How many individual fines were outstanding?
- (6) How many individuals had outstanding fines?
- (7) How many individuals had fines written off?
- (8) What were the ten highest amounts specific individuals owe?

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4856. Hon Ken Travers to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

I refer to the Government's proposed new stadium at Burswood, and ask -

- (1) How was the indicative cost of \$700 million determined and will the Premier table a copy of any of the reports or studies used to determine this cost?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) Has any comparative analysis been undertaken into the cost of building the new stadium at any alternative sites?
- (4) If yes to (3), will the Leader of the House table it?
- (5) Will the Stadium have retractable seating?
- (6) What is the indicative cost for -
 - (a) a walk bridge over the Swan River;
 - (b) rail upgrades;
 - (c) road upgrades; and
 - (d) a new bus interchange?
- (7) Where will the 3000 plus vehicles, estimated by the Major Stadium Taskforce, park?
- (8) What traffic modelling has the Government undertaken and did it allow for the future closure of Riverside Drive?

4857. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Science and Innovation

With reference to the Climate Commission report entitled 'The Critical Decade - Western Australia Climate Change Impacts' (August 2011), I ask -

- (1) What resources and strategies are in place to ensure that the scientific and technical research required to support coastal planning to adapt to climate change impacts is available to local governments?
- (2) What strategies and programs were in place to support science research and development relating to climate change in Western Australia in -
 - (a) 2008-09;
 - (b) 2009-10; and
 - (c) 2010-11?
- (3) What was the actual expenditure on those strategies and programs in those years?
- (4) What strategies and programs are in place to support science research and development relating to climate change in Western Australia in -
 - (a) 2011-12; and
 - (b) 2012-13?

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- (5) How much funding has been allocated for these strategies and programs in those years?
- (6) What education programs will be provided for the broader community on the findings of the Climate Commission report?

4858. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Tourism

With reference to the Climate Commission report entitled 'The Critical Decade - Western Australia Climate Change Impacts' (August 2011), and in particular to findings in relation to Ningaloo Reef on page 12 of the report, I ask -

- (1) Will the Minister ensure that a climate change action strategy is developed for Ningaloo Marine Park as has been done for the Great Barrier Reef?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) If yes to (1), what is the anticipated time frame for delivery of such a strategy?
- (4) What actions does the Minister intend to take to respond to the Climate Commission's findings on the impacts of climate change on the Ningaloo Reef?
- (5) How will the Minister ensure that strategies are in place to protect -
 - (a) reef health; and
 - (b) the viability of the marine tourism industry?
- (6) What assistance and guidance will be provided to the tourism industry to enable it to adapt and respond to climate-related risks?

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