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746. Mr M.P. Whitely to the Minister for Mental Health

748. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer

749. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment

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751. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport

752. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Education

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756. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Police

757. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Education

758. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police

761. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police

762. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services

763. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment

- 764. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services
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- 766. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health
- 767. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health
- 768. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Education
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- 772. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Sport and Recreation
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- 776. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Training
- 777. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Education; Tourism
- 778. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts
- 779. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Regional Development
- 780. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Planning
- 781. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment
- 782. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment
- 783. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport
- 784. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport
- 786. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport
- 787. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy
- 788. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Premier
- 789. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Lands

Wednesday, 6 May 2009

- 791. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 792. Mr M.P. Murray to the Treasurer
- 794. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 796. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 797. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 798. Mr M.P. Murray to the Treasurer
- 799. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Corrective Services
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- 810. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 811. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 812. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Police
- 813. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 814. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport
- 815. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water
- 816. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Premier
- 817. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Health
- 818. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Housing and Works
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- 824. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for State Development
- 825. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning
- 827. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Housing and Works
- 828. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Youth
- 829. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Regional Development
- 830. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Health

Thursday, 7 May 2009

- 832. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 833. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 834. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Treasurer
- 835. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Premier; Minister for State Development
- 836. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs
- 837. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs
- 839. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Education; Tourism
- 840. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services
- 842. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety

- 845. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training
- 846. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services
- 848. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Water; Mental Health
- 851. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth
- 852. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 853. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 855. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 856. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Corrective Services

Tuesday, 12 May 2009

- 857. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 859. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Education

Wednesday, 13 May 2009

- 860. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy
- 861. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Education
- 862. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Health
- 863. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Health
- 864. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Health
- 865. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Premier
- 866. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Premier

Thursday, 14 May 2009

- 867. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport
- 868. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

Tuesday, 19 May 2009

- 869. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Police
- 870. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Housing and Works
- 871. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Health
- 872. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Mental Health
- 873. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Housing and Works
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- 879. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Education

- 880. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Regional Development
- 881. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Health
- 882. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police
- 883. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Education
- 884. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Health
- 885. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 886. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 887. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Local Government
- 888. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development
- 889. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs
- 890. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs
- 891. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Minister Assisting the Minister for Transport
- 892. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Education; Tourism
- 893. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services
- 894. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer; Minister for Commerce; Science and Innovation; Housing and Works
- 895. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety
- 896. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Health
- 897. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts
- 898. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training
- 899. Mr M. McGowan to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services
- 900. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests
- 901. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Water; Mental Health
- 902. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests
- 903. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Minister Assisting the Minister for Education
- 904. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth
- 905. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 906. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Health
- 907. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy
- 908. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Local Government
- 909. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport
- 910. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment
- 911. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Fisheries
- 912. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Water

- 913. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Housing and Works
- 914. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 915. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Local Government
- 916. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Housing and Works
- 917. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Premier; Minister for State Development
- 918. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Indigenous Affairs
- 919. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs
- 920. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development; Minister Assisting the Minister for Transport
- 921. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Education; Tourism
- 922. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister representing the Minister for Transport; Disability Services
- 923. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Treasurer; Minister for Commerce; Science and Innovation; Housing and Works
- 924. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety
- 925. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Health
- 926. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts
- 927. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training
- 928. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Attorney General; Minister for Corrective Services
- 929. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests
- 930. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Water; Mental Health
- 931. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests
- 932. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Minister Assisting the Minister for Education
- 933. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Youth
- 934. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning
- 935. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier

Wednesday, 20 May 2009

- 936. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Emergency Services

Thursday, 21 May 2009

- 937. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Planning
- 938. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Regional Development
- 939. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Education
- 940. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Education
- 941. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Education

942. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

943. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health

**Questions listed for this sitting: -**

944. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Housing and Works

I refer to the issue of wood heaters in Department of Housing properties and ask:

- (1) As of 20 May 2009, how many Department of Housing properties have wood heaters?
- (2) How many wood heaters are in Department of Housing properties per Department of Housing district?
- (3) Is there a process in train for the systematic replacement of wood heaters in Department of Housing properties?
- (4) If yes to Question 3, when is it likely this replacement strategy will be completed?

945. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Premier

I refer to the Public Sector Standards Commission report on the appointment of David Caporn to the Fire and Emergency Services Authority (FESA) and I ask:

- (1) Prior to this matter had the Commissioner received any complaints into recruitment practices at FESA; and
  - (a) if so, when were these received and what action was taken in response to the complaints?
- (2) In light of these allegations is a broader review of FESA recruitment and appointment and personnel practices warranted?

946. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

I refer to Division 13, Budget Paper 2, Volume 1, page 203, Major Policy Decisions; Election Commitments; Media, Marketing, Advertising and Consultant Savings, and ask:

- (1) How many websites are maintained by this agency?
- (2) What are their annual costs?
- (3) What are the principal functions of each of these sites?
- (4) Are these sites managed to national best practice standards in regard to security, privacy and accessibility?
- (5) What action will be taken to achieve website marketing savings?

947. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

I refer to Division 13, Budget Paper 2, Volume 1, page 207, Services and Key Efficiency Indicators, 1: Resources Regulation, Employees (Full Time Equivalents), and ask:

- (1) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?

- (3) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (4) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected the FTE numbers in this section?
- (5) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (6) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by the FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (7) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (8) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (9) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of, the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

948. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

With reference to Division 13, Budget Paper 2, Volume 1, page 208, Services and Key Efficiency Indicators, 2: Geoscience Information and Advice, Employees (Full Time Equivalents), I ask:

- (1) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (3) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (4) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (5) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (6) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (7) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?



- (8) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (9) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of, the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

949. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

With reference to Division 13, Budget Paper 2, Volume 1, page 208, Services and Key Efficiency Indicators, 3: Dangerous Goods Regulation, Employees (Full Time Equivalents), I ask:

- (1) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (3) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (4) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (5) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (6) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (7) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (8) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (9) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of, the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

950. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

I refer to Division 13, Budget Paper 2, Volume 1, page 210, *Cost of Services; Expenses; Accommodation*, and ask:

- (1) Is the Minister aware of an increase or change in floor area or location for office accommodation for agencies for which the Minister is responsible over the next five years?
- (2) What assumption does the Minister's agencies make in floor space per FTE in providing accommodation for their activities?
- (3) What criteria, including client service access, are used in arriving at that assumption?
- (4) Is the current provision consistent with, less than or in excess of that assumption?

- (5) What criteria, if any, are applied in determining the location of office accommodation for the Minister's agencies?
- (6) What will be the total cost, and per capita cost, for accommodation for the Minister's agencies across the four budgeted years?

951. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Housing and Works

I refer to Tender Number BMW0032109 – Office Outfit - Department of Child Protection and ask:

- (1) Is the Department of Child Protection currently accommodated in the Bunbury Tower; and
  - (a) if no, where is the Department currently located;
  - (b) if no, what was the annual leasing cost of accommodation for the Department for the 2008 calendar year; and
  - (c) if no, is there a the cost benefit of relocation and outfitting new accommodation in the Bunbury Tower?
- (2) What, if any, were the costs associated with any architectural or design specifications for the Bunbury Tower office outfit?
- (3) What is the anticipated monthly rental cost for accommodation in the Bunbury Tower?
- (4) Is no other office space or accommodation currently available that would necessitate the outfit not proceeding?

952. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Housing and Works

I refer to Tender Number BMW1267609 – Office Outfit of Ground Level and Level 2 of the Hyatt Centre and ask:

- (1) Which division or section of the Department of Education and Training is the abovementioned office outfit currently being tendered for?
- (2) Is the division or section currently located within the Hyatt Centre; and
  - (a) if no, where is this division or section currently located?
- (3) What were the costs associated with the architectural specifications for the Hyatt Centre office outfit?
- (4) Is no other office space or accommodation currently available that would necessitate the outfit not proceeding?

953. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Housing and Works

I refer to Tender Number BMW1782209 – Refurbishment and Office Outfit of Level 13 of Westralia Square and ask:

- (1) What were the costs associated with any architectural or design specifications for the Level 13 Westralia Square office outfit?
- (2) Which department/agency is the office being refurbished and outfitted for?
- (3) Is the refurbishment and outfit for a particular division within that agency/department?
- (4) Is no other office space or accommodation currently available that would necessitate the refurbishment and outfit not proceeding?

954. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

- (1) Is the Minister aware of an increase or change in floor area or location for office accommodation for agencies for which the Minister is responsible over the next five years?
- (2) What assumptions do agencies under control of the Minister make in floor space per FTE in providing accommodation for their activities?
- (3) What criteria, including client service access, are used in arriving at assumptions?
- (4) Is the current provision consistent with, less than, or in excess, of assumptions?
- (5) What criteria, if any, are applied in determining the location of office accommodation for agencies under control of the Minister?
- (6) What will the total cost, and per capita cost, be for accommodation for agencies under control of the Minister across the four budgeted years?

955. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

- (1) How many websites are maintained by the Department of Culture and the Arts and service agencies?
- (2) What are their annual costs?
- (3) What are the principal functions of each of these sites?
- (4) Are these sites managed to national best practice standards in regard to security, privacy and accessibility?
- (5) What action will be taken to achieve website marketing savings?

956. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Heritage

- (1) Is the Minister aware of an increase or change in floor area or location for office accommodation for agencies for which the Minister is responsible over the next five years?
- (2) What assumptions do agencies under control of the Minister make in floor space per FTE in providing accommodation for their activities?
- (3) What criteria, including client service access, are used in arriving at assumptions?
- (4) Is the current provision consistent with, less than, or in excess, of assumptions?
- (5) What criteria, if any, are applied in determining the location of office accommodation for agencies under control of the Minister?
- (6) What will the total cost, and per capita cost, be for accommodation for agencies under control of the Minister across the four budgeted years?

957. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Heritage

In relation to the Heritage Grants Program:

- (1) Can the Minister list any heritage grants he has approved, their applicant and their purpose, since becoming Minister?
- (2) Can the Minister list any heritage grant applications, their applicant and their purpose, which he has rejected?
- (3) Has the Minister or the Council received any representation from the member for Cottesloe for preservation of the Cottesloe Beach Pylon?

958. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Heritage

- (1) How many parking bays within the City of Perth, covered by the Perth Parking Levy applied by the State Government, are included in the Minister's agencies?
- (2) Has the State Government's decision to increase within the Transport Budget the Perth Parking Levy by \$16.4 million to \$27.1 million been factored into the Minister's agencies' parking costs?
- (3) What are the current fees paid under the levy or any cost-equivalents, for long-term, short-term and motorcycle parking bays, and what are the expected fees in all forward years of the Minister's budget?

959. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Heritage

- (1) How many websites are maintained by agencies under the Minister's control including the Heritage Council?
- (2) What are their annual costs?
- (3) What are the principal functions of each of these sites?
- (4) Are these sites managed to national best practice standards in regard to security, privacy and accessibility?
- (5) What action will be taken to achieve website marketing savings?

960. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

- (1) Is the Minister aware of an increase or change in floor area or location for office accommodation for agencies for which the Minister is responsible over the next five years?
- (2) What assumptions do agencies under control of the Minister make in floor space per FTE in providing accommodation for their activities?
- (3) What criteria, including client service access, are used in arriving at assumptions?
- (4) Is the current provision consistent with, less than, or in excess, of assumptions?
- (5) What criteria, if any, are applied in determining the location of office accommodation for agencies under control of the Minister?
- (6) What will the total cost, and per capita cost, be for accommodation for agencies under control of the Minister across the four budgeted years?

961. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

- (1) How many parking bays within the City of Perth, covered by the Perth Parking Levy applied by the State Government, are included in the Minister's agencies?
- (2) Has the State Government's decision to increase within the Transport Budget the Perth Parking Levy by \$16.4 million to \$27.1 million been factored into the Minister's agencies' parking costs?
- (3) What are the current fees paid under the levy or any cost-equivalents, for long-term, short-term and motorcycle parking bays, and what are the expected fees in all forward years of the Minister's budget?

962. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

- (1) How many websites are maintained by the Office of Multicultural Interests?
- (2) What are the annual costs?

- (3) What are the principal functions of each of these sites?
- (4) Are these sites managed to national best practice standards in regard to security, privacy and accessibility?
- (5) What action will be taken to achieve website marketing savings?

963. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to asset replacement under new works, on page 670 of the 2009–2010 Budget and ask:

- (1) Of the \$3 million for each listed year, how much of that was announced as part of the 2009 Ignite package?
- (2) Have any announced items from Ignite been removed or amended?
- (3) Can the Minister list the new works to be undertaken, apart from Ignite commitments, for each year?

964. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

- (1) Has the \$5 million announced under Labor's Ignite Arts Capital Fund been rebadged; and
  - (a) if yes, why?

965. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to the Income Statement, Cost of Services, Expenses, Grants and Subsidies on page 672 of the 2009–2010 Budget and ask:

- (1) Of the grants and subsidies listed in expenses, how much of this year's expenses, and out years' expenses, relate to announced projects in Labor's Ignite package?
- (2) Have any commitments been deleted or amended?

966. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 664 of the 2009–2010 Budget and that the Department has launched or delivered 22 new programs across a range of art forms and ask:

- (1) Can the Minister list the 22 new programs delivered in 2008–2009?
- (2) Can the Minister list the new programs budgeted for, and their respective funding partners for 2009–2010 and forward years?

967. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

- (1) Relating to arts patronage, can the Minister detail daily and weekly arts patronage figures for all Culture and the Arts funded agencies, venues and projects occurring in the Perth Cultural Centre, for 2008–2009, for 1995–1996, and anticipated patronage for 2012–2013?
- (2) Can the Minister provide the total global patronage figure for the Perth Cultural Centre that the Department of Culture and the Arts is basing advice on for enhancing the Perth Cultural Centre?

968. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

Relating to arts patronage, can the Minister detail daily and weekly arts patronage figures for all Culture and the Arts funded agencies, venues and projects occurring in the Perth CBD, not including the Perth Cultural Centre, for 2008–2009, for 1995–1996, and anticipated patronage for 2012–2013?

969. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

Relating to arts patronage, can the Minister detail daily and weekly arts patronage figures for all Culture and the Arts funded agencies, venues and projects occurring in metropolitan Perth, outside the Perth CBD and the Perth Cultural Centre, for 2008–2009, for 1995–1996, and anticipated patronage for 2012–2013?

970. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

Relating to arts patronage, can the Minister detail daily and weekly arts patronage figures for all Culture and the Arts funded agencies, venues and projects occurring in regional Western Australia, for 2008–2009, for 1995–1996, and anticipated patronage for 2012–2013?

971. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

Can the Minister provide a register, including valuation and location, of all land and buildings included in your portfolio?

972. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) Is the \$8 million of savings each year, referenced on page 561 of the 2009–2010 budget paper No.2 Vol. 2, from the imminent hoon legislation implementation based on achieving additional revenue or through reduction in costs to police, and:
  - (a) if all or parts of the savings are based on increased revenue, then who will be responsible for paying these new or additional charges and what will be the basis for such fees or charges; and
  - (b) if all or parts of the savings are based on a reduction in costs to Western Australia Police, then what is the basis for this increased efficiency or withdrawal of functions from the police?

973. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) What programs or services are to be reduced or cease with the budget of the Office of Crime Prevention being reduced from the 2008–2009 estimated actual of \$11.15 million to \$7.93 million in 2009–2010?
- (2) What are all the programs and services delivered by the Office of Crime Prevention?
- (3) For each program and service listed in Question 2, what is the estimated expenditure for the 2008–2009 year and the budget target for the 2009–2010 year?

974. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) What is the anticipated start date for collection of money from the *External Integrity Checks for Government Regulatory Bodies* noted on page 562 of 2009–2010 Budget Paper No. 2?
- (2) Which agencies or classes of people will be liable to pay these new or additional charges?
- (3) What is the anticipated number of charging episodes and the rates for such charges or fees?

975. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

What are the number of sworn police officers, by their broad rank structure, serving in Western Australia police for each month from January 2001 to June 2009?

976. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Sport and Recreation

- (1) Who has been contracted to undertake the “Structural Assessment” of Subiaco Oval?
- (2) What are the specific outcomes required under this contract or contracts?
- (3) What are the costs of such contract(s)?
- (4) When will the work be completed?

977. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

- (1) For each of the financial years 1999–2000 to 2008–2009, for the Integrated Water Supply Scheme what is the volume of:
  - (a) total water usage;
  - (b) groundwater draw;
  - (c) surface water draw;
  - (d) seawater desalination production; and
  - (e) Harvey Water trade?

978. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Sport and Recreation

- (1) Who is undertaking the review of costs for the use of local facilities or venues, which Western Australian teams have to meet to compete in national competitions?
- (2) Has this review been completed; and
  - (a) if so, then what are the key recommendations of the review; and
  - (b) if not, when is its anticipated date for its completion?

979. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Sport and Recreation

- (1) How much money is provided, or anticipated to be, to the Sports Wager Fund managed by the Department of Sport and Recreation in each of the years:
  - (a) 2004–2005;
  - (b) 2005–2006;
  - (c) 2006–2007;
  - (d) 2007–2008;
  - (e) 2008–2009; and
  - (f) 2009–2010?

980. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Sport and Recreation

- (1) For all of the sporting facilities promised support by Liberal and National party leaders and spokespersons during the 2008 State Election Campaign:
  - (a) what is the title or description of the project;
  - (b) what is the cost of the project;
  - (c) how much is allocated or applied for towards this cost from the Community Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund; and
  - (d) what, if any, funds have been identified or sought from other sources?

981. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

Can the Minister list the major decision stages and administrative arrangements which need to be put in place for the purchase and commissioning of the new speed and red light cameras from the \$30 million allocated in the 2009–2010 budget and the target dates for their achievement?

982. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Road Safety

- (1) In relation to *Controlled Grants and Subsidies* given on page 93 of 2009–2010 State Budget Paper No. 2 for the Office of Road Safety, is it correct that the funding committed across years 2008–2009 to 2011–2012 is \$41.6 million?
- (2) Is it correct that the funding committed in relation to *Controlled Grants and Subsidies* for the Office of Road Safety, in the 2008–2009 State Budget across years 2008–2009 to 2011–2012, was \$59 million?
- (3) To what purposes has the missing \$17.4 million been reallocated and where can this be found in the Budget Papers?

983. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

- (1) Has the Water Corporation concluded the purchase of the land required for the East Rockingham Wastewater Treatment Plant; and:
  - (a) if so, what planning or environment approvals are required for this project and what are the indicative timelines for these approval processes; and
  - (b) if not, what are the reasons for the delay in acquiring the required land for this important East Rockingham Wastewater Treatment Plant?

984. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water

For the estimated expenditure in 2009–2010 of the Water Corporation on page 822 of State Budget Paper No. 2, what are the individual projects and the costings for each that accumulate to these global amounts:

- (a) Wastewater Program - Country Wastewater Treatment and Conveyance: \$20.281 million;
- (b) Wastewater Program — Metropolitan Wastewater Treatment and Conveyance: \$41.194 million;
- (c) Wastewater Program – Country Water Sources and Distribution: \$143.419 million;
- (d) Water Programs – Metropolitan Water Sources and Distribution: \$52.851 million?

985. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Local Government

Can the Minister provide:

- (a) how many local governments met the deadline for submission of reform checklists as part of the reform process;
- (b) which local governments did not meet the deadline; and
- (c) which local governments have still not submitted their checklists?



986. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Local Government

I refer to Budget Paper 2, Volume 3, page 829, dot point one in respect of the *Local Government Reform Funding Program*, and ask:

- (a) which local governments have received \$10,000 for costs associated with their reform submissions;
- (b) which local governments have applied for \$10,000 but not yet received the money;
- (c) which local governments have had their applications for \$10,000 rejected by the Department; and
- (d) which local governments have not applied for costs associated with their reform submissions?

987. Mr P. Papalia to the Minister for Local Government

I refer to page 829 of the 2009–2010 State Budget and the significant issues paragraph that refers to the introduction of new capacity building programs and ask:

- (1) Are the capacity building programs referred to in this paragraph, the same process of structural reform initiated by the Minister with his announcement on 5 February 2009 at Exmouth; and
  - (a) if not, can the Minister give detail of what programs this refers to?
- (2) How many FTE equivalents have been dedicated to these programs?
- (3) What is the direct cost within the Department of managing these programs?

988. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Mental Health

I refer to page 171 of the 2009–2010 Budget Papers and the *Specialised Mental Health Employees (FTE)* section and ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 2,655?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?

- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of, the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

989. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Mental Health

I refer to page 178 of the 2009–2010 Budget Papers and the *Drug and Alcohol Employees (FTE)* section:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 231?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section;
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of, the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

990. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy

Allocated in 2008–2009 budget to Western Power was \$3.63 million to purchase land for a new substation in Thornlie. This allocation is not evident in the Budget Papers, Volume 3, page 693, *Asset Investment Program; Transmission* nor in *Works in Progress; Transmission*, page 694. Therefore, I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister advise whether Western Power have been allocated \$3.63 million in this Budget or forward estimates to purchase land for a new substation in Thornlie?
- (2) Has Western Power purchased the land required for a new substation in Thornlie for 2020?

991. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Police

Will the resources and support for the successful Eyes on the Street program continue despite the uncertainty surrounding the initiatives of the Office of Crime Prevention?

992. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Police

- (1) Will the Western Australia Police be liaising with the Western Australian education agencies to educate young people about the consequences of a single violent act?
- (2) What programs occur in Western Australian schools to warn against physical violence?

993. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

- (1) Will the State Government continue to fund the Ethnic Communities Council of Western Australia (ECCWA) on the basis that has been used by previous governments, both Labor and Coalition?
- (2) Does the introduction of the Ethnic Organisations Fund herald a change in funding arrangements for other peak bodies, including the Western Australian Council of Social Service and the Women's Council for Domestic and Family Violence Service; and
  - (a) if not, why is the ECCWA being singled out in this way?
- (3) Has the Minister's Multicultural Advisory Council been consulted on this matter; and
  - (a) if so, what were their views?

994. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister representing the Minister for Disability Services

- (1) In the forward estimates 2011–2012, the Government has made a commitment to accommodation support with an increase of \$9.730 million to \$19.290 million. What percentage of this funding has been given by the Commonwealth?
  - (a) What percentage of funding will be distributed to the local area of Gosnells, Huntingdale and Thornlie?
- (2) In the Budget Papers for the Disability Services Commission, in the section titled, *Major Policy Decision - Election Commitments - Early Intervention*, there is mention of an extra 100 early childhood intervention places. What is the target disability for these intervention places?
- (3) In the Budget Papers for the Disability Services Commission, page 462, in the section titled *Individual and Family Support*, the number of employees (full time equivalents) for 2009–2010 Budget Target is quoted as 256. How many of the 256 FTE will be allocated to respite care?
- (4) In the Budget Papers for the Disability Services Commission, page 462, in the section titled *Services and Key Efficiency Indicators*, the number of employees (full time equivalents) is quoted as 2008–2009: 1088 FTE and 2009–2010: 1212 FTE. Will the increase of FTEs be employed by the Disability Services Commission or tendered to the private sector?
- (5) In the Budget Papers for the Disability Services Commission, page 464, in the section titled *New Works*, I refer to Community Disability Housing Program, 2009–2010, where the DSC expects to spend \$9.43 million. How many units will the Disability Services Commission build?

995. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Education

What criteria were used to identify the projects in the \$50 million School Capital Improvement Program?

996. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Education

Given the increase identified by teachers in the number of children from non-English-speaking backgrounds entering the Western Australian education system with little or no English, what additional resources and facilities are planned by the Government to accelerate these children's skills in English?

997. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Premier

I refer to page 88 of the 2009–2010 Budget Papers and the *Management of State Matters, Employees (FTE)* section:

- (1) Will the Premier outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (2) Will the Premier outline the budget assumption behind the full savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (3) Can the Premier provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 Budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (4) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (5) Can the Premier outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (6) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (7) Can the Premier outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on Public Service equity targets within this section?
- (8) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (9) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Premier's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

998. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Premier

I refer to page 89 of the 2009–2010 Budget Papers and the *Management of Policy, Employees (FTE)* section:

- (1) Will the Premier outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (2) Will the Premier outline the budget assumption behind the full savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?

- (3) Can the Premier provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (4) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (5) Can the Premier outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (6) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (7) Can the Premier outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (8) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised.
- (9) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Premier's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

999. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Premier

I refer to page 87 of the 2009–2010 Budget Papers and the *Support for Premier as Head of Government, Employees (FTE)* section:

- (1) Will the Premier outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (2) Will the Premier outline the budget assumption behind the full savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (3) Can the Premier provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (4) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (5) Can the Premier outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (6) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (7) Can the Premier outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (8) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?

- (9) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Premier's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1000. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister representing the Minister for Community Services

- (1) What is the timetable for implementation of the new Child Care Regulations?
- (2) Can the Minister provide details of the Economic Audit Committee recommendation of *Rationalisation of Structure* for the Department of Communities?
- (3) How will this impact on the Department's ability to implement the new regulations and compliance in Child Care services?
- (4) Can the Minister provide details of 'staffing efficiencies' identified in the 3% efficiency dividend?
- (5) What will be the impact of the implementation of staffing efficiencies on the implementation of regulations and compliance in child care services?
- (6) What will be the impact of the overall efficiency dividend on the implementation of regulations and compliance in child care services?

1001. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Agriculture and Food

I refer to the proposed trip by the Minister to North America to study Genetically Modified (GM) issues and I ask:

- (a) Will the Minister's study on GMOs include meeting with critics as well as supporters of the GM debate?
- (b) Under what areas of reference will the study tour focus on?
- (c) Which parliamentary members, staff members and agriculture staff members will accompany the Minister on this tour?
- (d) Why is the Minister going on this study trip, when the decision to grow GM canola has already been made?

1002. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police

- (1) When a vehicle is impounded under the "Hoon" legislation, is it currently the practice to require payment of all the private contractor's costs for towing and storage of the impounded vehicle prior to the release of that vehicle; and
  - (a) if no, then why is the vehicle released without the payment of all such costs, as was provided for in the legislation?
  - (b) if yes, then what costs, arising from an impoundment, are met by Western Australia Police as a part of the impounding and storage process extra to the required prosecution and court costs?

1003. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *New Works* and I ask:

- (1) Given \$10 million will be spent over three years to upgrade the cosmetic appearance of the ageing Art Gallery of Western Australia, why is there no commitment to building a \$ million roof-top display area to increase exhibition space and increase patronage?
- (2) Can the Minister confirm the costing for a third-floor gallery addition?

1004. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 671 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Income* and I ask:

- (1) What properties are being sold off to recoup \$3.3 million?
- (2) Is the Rechabites Hall included as an arts asset or an East Perth Redevelopment Authority asset?

1005. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 662 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, where there are capital reductions between Item 158 through to 162 and I ask:

- (a) can the Minister explain and detail each capital reduction for each Item inclusive of Item 158 to 162?

1006. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 672 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Grants and Subsidies* that are listed as expenses and I ask:

- (1) How much of this financial year's expenses relate to the Contemporary Dance Strategy \$1.6 million Program announced in Labor's Ignite package?
  - (a) Have any commitments been deleted or amended?
- (2) How much of the future year's expenses relate to the Contemporary Dance Strategy \$1.6 million Program announced in Labor's Ignite package?
- (3) Has the Government allocated any new money to contemporary dance?

1007. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 672 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Grants and Subsidies* that are listed as expenses and I ask:

- (1) How much of this financial year's expenses relate to the Designer Fashion Grants \$1.6 million Program and the Western Australian Fashion \$650,000 announced in Labor's Ignite Package?
- (2) How much of the future year's expenses relate to the Designer Fashion Grants \$1.6 million Program and the Western Australian Fashion \$650,000 announced in Labor's Ignite Package?
- (3) Has the Government allocated any new money to designer fashion?

1008. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *New Works* and I ask:

Given the absence of any funding for Heritage and Maintenance in 2011–2012 and subsequent years, after spending \$1.7 million in 2009–2010, how will this impact on all heritage arts buildings after 2011?

1009. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Heritage

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *New Works* and I ask:

- (1) Does the Minister know how many heritage-listed buildings there are in Western Australia; and
  - (a) if not why not; and
  - (b) if so, how many?

- (2) How does the Minister determine a figure of \$1.7 million for heritage maintenance and on what basis does the Minister make this decision?

1010. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 672 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Costs of Services* that are listed as expenses and I ask:

- (1) How much of this financial year's expenses relate to the Large Scale International Arts Events \$3.5 million program announced in Labor's Ignite package; and
- (a) have any commitments been deleted or amended?
- (2) How much of the future year's expenses relate to the Large Scale International Arts Events \$3.5 million program announced in Labor's Ignite package?
- (3) Have the Government allocated any new money to Large Scale International Events; and
- (a) if not, why not?

1011. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Art Gallery of Western Australia Legacy Fund* and I ask:

- (a) given \$10 million has been expended this year on new acquisitions due to Labor's Ignite package, how much in matching funds have been received so far?

1012. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *New Works* and *Heritage Works* and I ask:

- (1) Given the Minister's recent press release where the Minister states that His Majesty's Theatre façade will be fixed in the coming financial year, please provide a full list of all venues to be maintained or enhanced for:
- (a) 2009–2010;
- (b) 2010–2011;
- (c) 2011–2012; and
- (d) 2012–2013?

1013. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 663 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, and the point *Major Policy Decisions* under *Economic Audit* and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister identify and detail which funding arrangements will be put in place to achieve the \$1.15 million savings in 2012–2013?

1014. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 672 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Costs of Services* that are listed as expenses and I ask:

- (1) How much of this financial year's expenses relate to the Major Production Fund \$5 million announced in Labor's Ignite package; and
- (a) have any commitments been deleted or amended?



- (2) How much of the future year's expenses relate to the Major Production Fund \$5 million announced in Labor's Ignite package?

1015. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 672 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *Grants and Subsidies* that are listed as expenses and I ask:

- (1) How much of this financial year's expenses relate to the Primetime National Production Fund \$3.2 million Program announced in Labor's Ignite Package; and
  - (a) have any commitments been deleted or amended?
- (2) How much of the future year's expenses relate to the Primetime National Production Fund \$3.2 million Program announced in Labor's Ignite package?
- (3) Has the Government allocated any new money to film in Western Australia?

1016. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, under *New Works* and I ask:

- (1) Is the Minister aware of any specific funding proposals for the Perth Institute of Contemporary Arts (PICA)?
- (2) Will the Minister direct his Cultural Centre committee to consider a \$19.1 million expansion proposal for PICA?

1017. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 670 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, and the point *Works in Progress* under *Welcome Wall* and I ask:

- (1) How much funding has been expended by the State toward the opening of Stage 3?
- (2) How much funding has already been contributed by relatives?

1018. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

I refer to page 672 of the 2009–2010 State Budget, where funding for arts and film organizations and projects has been cut by 25 per cent from \$48.2 million in 2008–2009, to just \$36.6 million in 2009–2010 and I ask:

- (1) Which organizations that have received funding triennially that does not expire this year, will not be funded next budget year?
- (2) Which triennially-funded organisations will not be funded in the coming four years when they are up for renewal?

1019. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 368 of Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2, Service 1 Regulation, *Funding*, and *Policy Advice Full-time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–10 budget target of 58?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?

- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised.
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1020. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 379 of Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2 and the Curriculum Council Service 1 *Curriculum Implementation and Maintenance Full-Time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) How many FTEs have been transferred from Service 1: Curriculum Implementation and Maintenance to Service 2: Course Development and Approval?
- (2) Why have these transfers taken place?

1021. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 379 of Budget Paper 2, Volume 2 and the Curriculum Council Service 2 *Course Development and Approval Full-Time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 70?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?

- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1022. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 380 of Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2 and the Curriculum Council Service 3 *Student Assessment and Certification Full Time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) Please provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 70?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised.
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1023. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 351 of Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2 and the *Primary Education Full-time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 19,084?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised.
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1024. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 351 of Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2 and the *Secondary Education Full-time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 11,993?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) The actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) The actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–10 budgets in this section; and

- (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1025. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 352 of Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2 and the *Vocational Education and Training Services Full-time Employees (FTE)* and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 688?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1026. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education

I refer to page 386 Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2, Service 1 Establishment, Operation and Maintenance of Residential Colleges Full-time Employees (FTE) and I ask:

- (1) Can the Minister provide an employee category breakdown of the 2009–2010 budget target of 116?
- (2) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full cost impact of adding an FTE in this section?
- (3) Will the Minister outline the budget assumption behind the full or savings impact of removing an FTE in this section?
- (4) Can the Minister provide the following information:
  - (a) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in the section in 2008–2009;
  - (b) the actual headcount derived from the approved FTE complement resulting from the 2009–2010 budgets in this section; and
  - (c) the projected headcount derived from the approved FTE complement in this section across the forward estimates?
- (5) Has the public service FTE cap announced by the Treasurer affected FTE numbers in this section?
- (6) Can the Minister outline policy changes or changes in service delivery that are being adopted, and how they take account of the public service FTE cap?
- (7) Which outcomes, services and performance indicators are affected by FTE constraints, and in what way?
- (8) Can the Minister outline the projected impact of FTE reductions on public service equity targets within this section?
- (9) What measures will be put in place to ensure that equity targets are not compromised?
- (10) In offering voluntary redundancies for this section, has the Minister's agency taken account of, or been required to take account of the financial impact to the public sector as a whole of redundancies, resignations or retirements of public servants covered by earlier defined benefit superannuation compared to those receiving market-linked superannuation?

1027. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health

I refer to a letter sent to the Minister on 4 May regarding the quality of food at Shenton Park Rehabilitation Centre and ask:

- (1) What formal training is required by staff preparing food for patients at the Centre?
- (2) If no formal training is required, is it intended to be introduced in the near future?
- (3) Do the meals prepared meet national nutritional guidelines in terms of the recommended daily intake of fruit and vegetables and suggested portions?
- (4) Are low Glycemic Index (GI) and meals suitable for diabetics and overweight patients provided as an available option at every meal?
- (5) Do the meals sometimes include junk food such as pies and pizza?
- (6) Does the Minister accept that nutritional meals are an important part of recovery process from major surgery?
- (7) What safety measures are in place to ensure the risk of food contamination is minimised?

- (8) How many (if any) complaints have been received regarding food at the Centre in the last 12 months?
- (9) What steps (if any) have been taken to address these complaints and improve the quality of food at the Centre?

1028. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Planning

- (1) Is the Minister supportive of the required one per cent contribution toward public art devised under the Percent for Art scheme?
- (2) Does the same contribution for public art apply to private residential or private commercial properties being developed by a Government statutory body such as the East Perth Redevelopment Authority?
  - (a) if so, can contribution costs toward the Percent for Art scheme be passed onto clients or developers; and
  - (b) if so, does this entitle the statutory body to withhold development approval until the payment is made?
- (3) What other agencies or Departments under the Minister levy a Percent for Art on private sector developments?
- (4) Has the Minister become aware or authorised any exemptions under Percent for Art requirements?
- (5) Has the Minister taken any advice or briefings from registered lobbyists or lawyers on Percent for Art obligations; and
  - (a) if yes, from whom, when and over what issue?
- (6) Has the Minister been lobbied or received correspondence from any other ministerial or government parliamentary colleagues on Percent for Art proposals or issues; and
  - (a) if yes, from whom, when and over what issue?

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**PETER J. McHUGH**

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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