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Wednesday, 10 August 2011

- 5944. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police
- 5945. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development
- 5946. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Tourism
- 5947. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs
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- 5975. Mr J.J.M. Bowler to the Premier
- 5976. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Police

- 5977. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 5978. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Planning
- 5979. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Police
- 5980. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Police
- 5982. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Heritage
- 5983. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Transport
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- 5989. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Environment; Water
- 5990. Mr J.R. Quigley to the Attorney General

Thursday, 11 August 2011

- 5991. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport
- 5992. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police
- 5993. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Transport
- 5994. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Transport

Tuesday, 16 August 2011

- 5995. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Police
- 5996. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Tourism

Wednesday, 17 August 2011

- 5997. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Transport
- 5998. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Transport
- 5999. Mr M. McGowan to the State Development
- 6000. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Regional Development
- 6001. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Education
- 6002. Ms J.M. Freeman to the Minister for Education
- 6003. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Water
- 6004. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Environment; Water
- 6005. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
- 6006. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Housing

Thursday, 18 August 2011

- 6007. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 6008. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister representing the Minister for Finance

- 6009. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 6010. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Transport
- 6011. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister representing the Minister for Community Services
- 6012. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6013. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6014. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
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- 6018. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health
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- 6026. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Water
- 6027. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Water
- 6028. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Water

Tuesday, 30 August 2011

- 6029. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Planning
- 6030. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Education
- 6031. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Corrective Services
- 6032. Mr T.G. Stephens to the Minister for Regional Development
- 6033. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Minister for Environment; Water
- 6034. Mr A.J. Waddell to the Minister for Transport
- 6035. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Heritage
- 6036. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6037. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6038. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6039. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6041. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Attorney General
- 6042. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister representing the Minister for Commerce
- 6043. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Transport
- 6044. Mr E.S. Ripper to the Minister for Regional Development
- 6045. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Police
- 6046. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Health

Wednesday, 31 August 2011

- 6047. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Education
- 6048. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Corrective Services

- 6049. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Planning
- 6050. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6051. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6052. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6053. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6054. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 6055. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Planning
- 6056. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6057. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Health
- 6058. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education

Thursday, 1 September 2011

- 6059. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education

Tuesday, 6 September 2011

- 6060. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 6061. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Education
- 6062. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Tourism
- 6063. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 6064. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 6065. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 6066. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Transport
- 6067. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Health
- 6068. Mr P.B. Watson to the Treasurer
- 6069. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Tourism

Wednesday, 7 September 2011

- 6070. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy
- 6071. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Water
- 6072. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Transport
- 6073. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Treasurer
- 6074. Mr A.J. Waddell to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 6075. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier
- 6076. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Premier
- 6077. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 6078. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Education
- 6079. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Heritage
- 6080. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum



6081. Mr M. McGowan to the State Development  
6082. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police  
6083. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Police

**Questions listed for this sitting: -**

6084. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Health
6085. Mr J.C. Kobelke to the Minister for Emergency Services
- (1) In relation to delegations under Sections 15(1) and 16(1) of the *Fire and Emergency Services Authority of Western Australia Act 1998* of powers and duties contained in the *Bush Fires Act 1954*, since 1 January 2002, what was the date of each instrument of delegation, the relevant section of the Act for which the powers and duties were delegated and any conditions or limitations placed on any such delegation; and
- (a) will the Minister table copies of each instrument of delegation covered by (1)?
6086. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- In relation to the proposed genetically modified (GM) cotton in the Ord River Irrigation area, I ask:
- (a) can the Minister advise of the percentage, by volume, of the GM cotton harvest that will go to:
- (i) lint for fabric manufacture;
- (ii) oil for cooking oil;
- (iii) oil for bio-diesel; and
- (iv) cotton meal for livestock consumption?
6087. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police
- (1) How many persons were issued infringements for speeding through 40 kilometre per hour school zones in the following calendar years:
- (a) 2008;
- (b) 2009;
- (c) 2010; and
- (d) 2011 to date?
6088. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police
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6090. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police
- (1) Can the Minister advise whether all police station firearm safes are compliant with current requirements for storage of firearms; and
- (a) if not, how many are non-compliant and what remedial measures are being taken?
6091. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Transport

I refer to proposals for changes to regulations governing the tow truck industry, and ask:

- (a) what are the new areas likely to be addressed in the new regulations;
- (b) at what stage are these proposals;
- (c) are consultations with stakeholders occurring;
- (d) if so, will the Minister list names of stakeholders consulted; and
- (e) what is the time frame for their introduction?

6092. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police

6093. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police

- (1) Have police made representations to the Director of Liquor Licensing about limiting the sale of energy drinks at licensed premises?
- (2) What is the nature of those representations?
- (3) By whom were such representations made?
- (4) What evidence is relied upon concerning the effects of energy drinks and their nexus to anti-social behaviour?
- (5) Out of the total number of persons currently prohibited from attending licensed premises what number were consuming energy drinks at the time they committed the offences for which the prohibition order was made?

6094. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police

6095. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Health

- (1) What are the current arrangements for licensing a tattoo parlour?
- (2) Do such arrangements include character checks?
- (3) Are there any proposals to change the current regulatory regime?

6096. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Racing and Gaming

- (1) Have police made representations to the Director of Liquor Licensing about limiting the sale of energy drinks?
- (2) What is the nature of those representations?
- (3) By whom were these representations made?
- (4) What evidence is relied upon on the effects of energy drinks and their nexus to anti-social behaviour?
- (5) Where limitations to sale of energy drinks are in place, what methods of evaluation are undertaken to assess the impact of these restrictions on behaviour of patrons at licensed premises?

6097. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Racing and Gaming

- (1) How many venues currently have restrictions imposed upon them for the sale of energy drinks?
- (2) What is the rationale for restricting the sale of energy drinks?
- (3) What is the research, if any, is relied is upon to impose restrictions on the sale of energy drinks?
- (4) Will the Minister list the premises which currently have a condition on their licence restrictions on the sale of energy drinks which was not included in their original licence?

- (5) Out of the total number of persons currently prohibited from attending licensed premises what number were consuming energy drinks at the time they committed the offences for which the prohibition order was made?

6098. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Police

- (1) Has an assessment been made of the suitability of police transport of prisoners over longer distances and in remote Western Australia?
- (2) If found unsuitable what plans are there to upgrade the kinds of vehicles and/or replacement of the fleet?
- (3) What is the time frame for any action deemed necessary?

6099. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Water

- (1) What is the current backlog for maintenance of fire hydrants?
- (2) What time frame is required to reduce that backlog?

6100. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection

- (1) How many positions are currently vacant in the Department for Child Protection the Gascoyne region?
- (2) How long have they been vacant?
- (3) What measures are being taken to fill these vacancies?

6101. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Road Safety

- (1) What data is collected by police on hospitalisation of cyclists involved in crashes on the roads?
- (2) How is cyclist hazard and near miss data collected and analysed?

6102. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Road Safety

- (1) Given that single vehicle crashes no longer have to be reported to police, how can accurate data be collected in relation to potential areas of concern on the road network?

6103. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services

I refer to the recent fire on 1 September 2011 at the Atama furniture factory at Malaga, and I ask:

- (a) did the nature of the construction of the factory pose special risks for fire lighters; and
  - (i) if so, did it require them to take additional measures; and
- (b) given what occurred at that fire will building inspection standards be modified or augmented?

6104. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Regional Development

In relation to Royalties for the Regions funding since the election of the Barnett Government, I ask:

- (a) what is the total amount of funding that has been delivered to original Western Australian music projects, concerts and festivals; and
  - (i) will the Minister please list these projects and events;

- (b) what is the total amount of founding that has been delivered to interstate, franchise or overseas origin Western Australian music projects, concerts and festivals; and
  - (i) will the Minister please list these projects and events?

6105. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Culture and the Arts

- (1) How many, and which, film projects in Western Australia have been funded by Royalties for Regions since the election of the Barnett Government in 2008 and which regional or metropolitan areas if any, have benefitted from the funding?

6106. Mr J.N. Hyde to the Minister for Regional Development

- (1) How many, and which, film projects in Western Australia have been funded by Royalties for Regions since the election of the Barnett Government in 2008, and which regional or metropolitan areas if any, have benefitted from the funding?

6107. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Regional Development

- (1) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Gascoyne Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (2) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Goldfields Esperance Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (3) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Great Southern Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (4) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Kimberly Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (5) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Mid-West Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (6) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Peel Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (7) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Pilbara Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (8) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the South West Development Commission since 30 June 2008?
- (9) Will the Minister please provide the names of board members appointed and re-appointed to the Wheatbelt Development Commission since 30 June 2008?

6108. Mr P.B. Watson to the Premier; Minister for State Development

Will the Premier advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Premier's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6109. Mr P.B. Watson to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Tourism

Will the Deputy Premier advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Deputy Premier's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6110. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Fisheries; Electoral Affairs

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6111. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6112. Mr P.B. Watson to the Treasurer; Attorney General

Will the Treasurer advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Treasurer's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6113. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Education

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6114. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister representing the Minister for Finance; Commerce; Small Business

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6115. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Police; Emergency Services; Road Safety

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6116. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6117. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts; Science and Innovation

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6118. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister representing the Minister for Energy; Training and Workforce Development; Indigenous Affairs

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6119. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Transport; Housing

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6120. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests; Youth

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and

(c) 30 June 2010?

6121. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6122. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Corrective Services

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6123. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister for Environment; Water

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6124. Mr P.B. Watson to the Minister representing the Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services

Will the Minister advise how many Full Time Equivalent (FTE) staff were employed in Albany for each department and agency within the Minister's portfolio at the following dates:

- (a) 30 June 2008;
- (b) 30 June 2009; and
- (c) 30 June 2010?

6125. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Tourism

I refer to Tourism Western Australia's sponsorship of the My Kind of Place – Australia episode that featured Western Australia and aired in New Zealand on Friday, 27 August 2011 on New Zealand's TV1, and I ask:

- (a) will the Minister please itemise the funding Tourism Western Australia provided for this television special;
- (b) what were the expected financial outcomes from the campaign;
- (c) what was the expected increase of New Zealand tourists to Western Australia; and
- (d) what cost analysis has been done to show the economic benefit of this campaign?

6126. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Tourism

I refer to the Minister's statement in Parliament on Thursday, 1 September 2011 regarding the \$2.5 million marketing campaign by Tourism Western Australia and China Southern Airlines to promote direct flights to Perth, and I ask:

- (a) could the Minister please itemise the funding Tourism Western Australia and China Southern Airlines has spent on this marketing campaign;
- (b) what are the expected financial outcomes from the marketing campaign to the Western Australian economy; and
- (c) what is the expected increase in numbers of Chinese tourists to Western Australia as a direct result of this marketing campaign?

6127. Mrs M.H. Roberts to the Minister for Tourism

I refer to the Minister's Answer to the Question Without Notice in Parliament on Thursday, 1 September 2011 regarding regional event funding, and I ask:

- (a) could the Minister please itemise the events and funding amounts Tourism Western Australia is providing in the:
  - (i) Mid West;
  - (ii) South West;
  - (iii) Great Southern;
  - (iv) Pilbara;
  - (v) Wheat belt;
  - (vi) Peel;
  - (vii) Goldfields-Esperance
  - (viii) Gascoyne; and
  - (ix) Kimberley?

6128. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Emergency Services

I refer the Minister to the Fire and Emergency Services Authorities' (FESA) internal occupational health and safety practices, and I ask:

- (a) what internal occupational health and safety processes are currently in place;
- (b) can the Minister advise as to how many senior FESA officers are on the Occupational Health and Safety Committee;
- (c) is there a policy for an ideal ratio of senior FESA officers required on the Occupational Health and Safety Committee; and
  - (i) if not; why not;
- (d) how many safety breaches are currently being processed;
- (e) can the Minister advise how many occupational health and safety breaches occurred for the following calendar years:
  - (i) 2009–2010;
  - (ii) 2010–2011; and
  - (iii) 2011 to date?



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