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**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

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**QUESTIONS**

**No. 217**

**Thursday, 21 June 2012**

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**POSTPONED QUESTIONS**

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*Notice Given*                      **Wednesday, 2 May 2012**

5545. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport  
(SO107(2) response – 14 June 2012)

*Notice Given*                      **Wednesday, 16 May 2012**

5602. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

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*Notice Given*                      **Thursday, 17 May 2012**

5605. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State  
Development

5608. Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm to the Minister for Finance representing the Treasurer

*Notice Given*                      **Tuesday, 22 May 2012**

5610. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Treasurer

5611. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Youth

5613. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Disability Services

5615. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

5616. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

*Notice Given*                      **Wednesday, 23 May 2012**

5618. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water

5619. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water

5620. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water

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5622. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
5623. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
5624. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
5625. Hon Helen Bullock to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
5626. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
5627. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
5628. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands
5629. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
5630. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
5631. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Child Protection
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5645. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Commerce
5646. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education
5647. Hon Linda Savage to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Corrective Services
5648. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
5649. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Forestry
5650. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Police
5651. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Energy
5652. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
5653. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Water
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5660. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
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5662. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development
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5695. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health
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5697. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Energy representing the Minister for Education
5698. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
5699. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
5700. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport
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5705. Hon Sue Ellery to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Housing
5706. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Forestry
5707. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment
5708. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
5709. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
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**Notice Given** *Thursday, 14 June 2012*

5729. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum  
 5730. Hon Robin Chapple to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

**Notice Given** *Tuesday, 19 June 2012*

5731. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment  
 5732. Hon Sally Talbot to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Lands  
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 5735. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment  
 5736. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Health  
 5737. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs  
 5738. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment

**Notice Given** *Wednesday, 20 June 2012*

5739. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport  
 5740. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Mental Health representing the Minister for Environment  
 5741. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Heritage  
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## QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

*Notice Given**Thursday, 21 June 2012***5747. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development**

In relation to the Memorandum of Understanding between the State Government and the Miners Hall of Fame in Kalgoorlie, I ask —

- (1) When was this Memorandum signed and when does it come into effect?
- (2) Who signed this Memorandum?
- (3) Are there any financial implications for the State Government under the Memorandum?
- (4) If yes to (3), will the Minister provide details of these costs?
- (5) Will the Minister table a copy of the Memorandum and if not, why not?

**5748. Hon Ljiljana Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health**

I refer to the accessibility of community mental health staff and support services in Western Australia, and ask if the Minister will indicate —

- (1) The waiting times for access to community mental health staff by —
  - (a) community mental health centre in Western Australia; and
  - (b) professional group at each centre?
- (2) The waiting times for access to community mental health support services by —
  - (a) agency; and
  - (b) service type provided by each agency?

**5749. Hon Ljiljana Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health**

At each of the following hospitals, how many patients with a mental diagnosis have returned to the hospital within 72 hours after discharge over the past three years —

- (a) Royal Perth Hospital;
- (b) Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital;
- (c) Armadale Health Service;
- (d) Swan Health Service;
- (e) Joondalup Health Campus;
- (f) Fremantle Hospital;
- (g) Kalgoorlie Regional Hospital;
- (h) Geraldton Regional Hospital;
- (i) Derby Regional Hospital;
- (j) Broome Regional Hospital;
- (k) Bunbury Regional Hospital;
- (l) Albany Regional Hospital;
- (m) Port Hedland Regional Hospital; and
- (n) Northam Regional Hospital?

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**5750. Hon Ljiljana Ravlich to the Minister for Mental Health**

I refer to WA Health Operational Directive OD 0242/09 Matters to be reported to the Chief Psychiatrist, and ask —

- (1) How many misconduct matters have been reported to Corruption and Crime Commission (CCC) in the following financial years —
  - (a) 2009-10;
  - (b) 2010-11; and
  - (c) 2011-12?
- (2) How many matters of serious misconduct have been investigated by the Chief Psychiatrist under the under section 7B(3) of the *Corruption and Crime Commission Act 2003* in the following years —
  - (a) 2009-10;
  - (b) 2010-11; and
  - (c) 2011-12?
- (3) On how many occasions has the CCC exercised its power to prevent the Chief Psychiatrist from investigating an incident of alleged misconduct in the following years —
  - (a) 2009-10;
  - (b) 2010-11; and
  - (c) 2011-12?

**5751. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Tourism**

With regard to the utilities on Rottneest Island and their management by the Rottneest Island Authority (RIA), I ask —

- (1) Have there been any breaches or non-compliance notices received during the financial year 2011-2012 for any of the island's utilities, including waste management?
- (2) If breaches have occurred, could the Minister please advise —
  - (a) the number and type of utilities that have been subject to non-compliance notices; and
  - (b) whether any breaches or non-compliance notices are currently being addressed by the RIA?

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**5752. Hon Lynn MacLaren to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Tourism**

I refer to question on notice No. 7971 asked in the Legislative Assembly on 15 May 2012, regarding the estimated profit to the Rottnest Island Authority (RIA) from the upgraded golf course during the first three years of its operation, the Minister for Tourism said, in part, that a net profit is not expected during the first three years and that ‘based on current assumptions, the break-even point occurs in year seven of the proposed ten-year lease period’, and ask —

- (1) Will the Minister advise how the RIA can justify such a business case in a context of decreasing numbers of tourists to Western Australia in general and to Rottnest in particular, especially in the winter months?
- (2) Does the Minister agree that infrastructure on the Island, including roads and paths, are in urgent need of repair and are being ignored in favour of highly speculative projects?
- (3) If no to (2), why not?

**MALCOLM PEACOCK**  
Clerk of the Legislative Council