



QUESTIONS BOOKLET

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

THURSDAY, 16 MAY 2024

Questions appear according to the date on which notice was delivered.

QUESTIONS AWAITING ANSWERS

Notice Given **Thursday, 18 April 2024**

- 2013. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Environment
- 2014. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 2015. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 2016. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 2017. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Community Services
- 2018. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs
- 2019. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education
- 2020. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education

Notice Given **Tuesday, 7 May 2024**

- 2021. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Environment
- 2022. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Emergency Services
- 2023. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 2024. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 2025. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Water
- 2026. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Environment
- 2027. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health
- 2028. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Energy
- 2029. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Environment
- 2030. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

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- 2031. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Energy
- 2032. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Environment
- 2033. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Transport
- 2034. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Housing

Notice Given **Wednesday, 8 May 2024**

- 2035. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Emergency Services
- 2036. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education
- 2037. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education
- 2038. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Early Childhood Education
- 2039. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education
- 2040. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Mental Health

Notice Given **Tuesday, 14 May 2024**

- 2041. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Energy
- 2042. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health
- 2043. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Energy; Environment; Climate Action
- 2044. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education
- 2045. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Emergency Services
- 2046. Hon Dr Brad Pettitt to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Water

Notice Given **Wednesday, 15 May 2024**

- 2047. Hon Tjorn Sibma to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Education
- 2048. Hon Steve Martin to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development

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QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

Notice Given **Thursday, 16 May 2024**

2049. Hon Wilson Tucker to the Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Police:

I refer to the Western Australia Police Firearms Licensing and Registration (L&R) system, and I ask:

- (a) for each year from 2012-13 to 2022-23, what was the average turnaround time for each firearm license category, including original issue, renewal, and additional firearms applications; and
- (b) to date, what has been the total allocation of funds for the development, implementation and maintenance of the L&R system?

2050. Hon Dr Brian Walker to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Mental Health:

- (1) Who is responsible for issuing/investigating/prosecuting fines under the *Mental Health Act 2014*, particularly in relation to s.253 (Duty not to ill-treat or willingly neglect), s.229 (Bodily restraint must be authorised), and s.213 (Seclusion must be authorised):
 - (a) in reference to (1), does the power rest with the Minister, or is it delegated to an agency?
- (2) How many fines have been issued in the past five years under s.253:
 - (a) if none, in reference to (2), when was the last such fine issued?
- (3) How many fines have been issued in the past five years under s.229:
 - (a) if none, in reference to (3), when was the last such fine issued?
- (4) How many fines have been issued in the past five years under s.213:
 - (a) if none, in reference to (4), when was the last such fine issued?

2051. Hon Dr Brian Walker to the Minister for Agriculture and Food representing the Minister for Local Government:

- (1) Does the Government still have a formal partnership with Local Government?
- (2) If no to (1), when did the former partnership cease?
- (3) If no to (1), why did the former partnership cease?
- (4) If yes to (1), how often do the partners formally meet?
- (5) If yes to (1), when did the partners last formally meet?
- (6) If yes to (1), where are the minutes of the meetings published?

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