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## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

# **QUESTIONS**

No. 13

Tuesday, September 24 2002

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- 91. Hon Norman Moore to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
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- 99. Hon George Cash to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Education
- 100. Hon George Cash to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 101. Hon George Cash to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 102. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
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- 106. Hon Murray Criddle to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
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- 110. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 111. Hon Dee Margetts to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 112. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 113. Hon Murray Criddle to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
- 114. Hon Peter Foss to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
- 115. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
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- 119. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 120. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

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- 121. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
- 122. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 123. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 124. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 125. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 126. Hon Bill Stretch to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
- 127. Hon Peter Foss to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 128. Hon Peter Foss to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 129. Hon Peter Foss to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Attorney General
- 130. Hon Christine Sharp to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries

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- 131. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 132. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 133. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 134. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 135. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 136. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development

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- 137. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 138. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 139. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 140. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 141. Hon Dee Margetts to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 142. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

## Notice Given Wednesday, September 18 2002

- 143. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
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- 145. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 146. Hon Peter Foss to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 147. Hon Dee Margetts to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

#### Notice Given Thursday, September 19 2002

- 148. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- 149. Hon Dee Margetts to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

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150. Hon Norman Moore to the Minister for Housing and Works representing the Deputy Premier

I refer the Minister to *Hansard* (page 270 August 20 2002) in which the Minister for Housing and Works stated in relation to Native Title, 'When this Government was elected it inherited more litigation from the previous Government than had any other Government in the history of this State,' and ask -

Does the Deputy Premier agree with this assertion and if so, will he provide details of the litigation?

151. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Attorney General Given the high rates of imprisonment and homelessness amongst indigenous youth and adults, I ask the Minister -

- (1) How many of the young indigenous people who appear before the Children's Court are homeless?
- (2) Has research been undertaken to determine the extent of homelessness amongst adult indigenous prisoners, indigenous juvenile detainees and their families?
- (3) If yes, what are the results?
- (4) How many indigenous prisoners face homelessness on release from prison?
- (5) How much has the Western Australian Government spent on prisons in the last 12 years, in comparison to the amount spent on housing homeless aboriginal youth and their families?
- What is the Government's policy to ensure that prisons and juvenile detention centres are not used as defacto substitute for housing indigenous people?
- 152. Hon Dee Margetts to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development

With regard to the proposal for an East West General Infrastructure Corridor (including gas pipelines) linking Mount Margaret to the Geraldton region -

- (1) Has any money been spent by Government agencies to date on land acquisitions associated with this corridor proposal?
- (2) If so, how much?
- (3) What total money has been expended on activities associated with the corridor proposal, for what purpose, and by which Government agencies?
- (4) What is the planned future expenditure on land acquisitions and other activities associated with this corridor proposal?
- (5) Has a cost benefit analysis been carried out in relation to the corridor proposal?

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- (6) If so, would the Minister table the results?
- (7) If no cost benefit analysis has been done, why not?

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