

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 182

Wednesday, 11 March 2020

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- 2761. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Disability Services
- 2762. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
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- 2765. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection
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- 2771. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning
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- 2773. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Energy
- 2774. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations
- 2775. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade
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- 2783. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General
- 2784. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Commerce
- 2785. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering; Sport and Recreation
- 2786. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer; Minister for Finance; Aboriginal Affairs; Lands
- 2787. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Tourism; Racing and Gaming; Small Business; Defence Issues; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests
- 2788. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Industrial Relations
- 2789. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Energy
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- 2791. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing; Fisheries; Veterans Issues; Asian Engagement
- 2792. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services
- 2793. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water; Forestry; Innovation and ICT; Science; Youth

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- 2794. Hon Robin Chapple to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
- 2795. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment
- 2796. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment
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- 2798. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment
- 2799. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water
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- 2801. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water
- 2802. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Planning
- 2803. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection
- 2804. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Premier

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2805. Hon Jacqui Boyde to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer
 2806. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
 2807. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection

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2808. Hon Diane Evers to the Minister for Environment
 2809. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
 2810. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport
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2825. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Corrective Services
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 2827. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
 2828. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Attorney General
 2829. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum
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 2832. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Transport

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2833. Hon Nick Goiran to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

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2834. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

2835. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

2836. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum

2837. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Environment

2838. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Minister for Environment representing the Treasurer

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2840. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment

2841. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

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2849. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Disability Services

2850. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection

2851. Hon Jacqui Boydell to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Local Government

2852. Hon Jacqui Boydell to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health

2853. Hon Nick Goiran to the Minister for Education and Training

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*Notice Given**Wednesday, 11 March 2020***2854. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development:**

I refer to the Minister's visit to the Agricultural Region on 14 February 2020, and I ask:

- (a) please provide an unredacted copy of the Minister's itinerary and travel arrangements;
- (b) please provide all briefing notes and advice provided to the Minister in relation to meetings, functions and other commitments undertaken by the Minister;
- (c) who accompanied the Minister during the visit and at each meeting, function or other commitments undertaken by the Minister; and
- (d) on what date, at what time, and by what means, were the following local members of Parliament notified of the Minister's visit:
 - (i) Hon Martin Aldridge MLC;
 - (ii) Hon Colin de Grussa MLC;
 - (iii) Hon Laurie Graham MLC;
 - (iv) Hon Rick Mazza MLC;
 - (v) Hon Jim Chown MLC; and
 - (vi) Hon Darren West MLC;
 - (vii) Hon Mia Davies MLA?

2855. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:

I refer to the Minister's visit to the Agricultural Region on 5 March 2020, and I ask:

- (a) please provide an unredacted copy of the Minister's itinerary and travel arrangements;
- (b) please provide all briefing notes and advice provided to the Minister in relation to meetings, functions and other commitments undertaken by the Minister;
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 - (iv) Hon Rick Mazza MLC;
 - (v) Hon Darren West MLC; and
 - (vi) Hon Jim Chown MLC;
 - (vii) Mr Ian Blayney MLA?

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Notice Given *Wednesday, 11 March 2020*

2856. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:

I refer to the Minister's visit to the Agricultural Region on 27 February 2020, and I ask:

- (a) please provide an unredacted copy of the Minister's itinerary and travel arrangements;
- (b) please provide all briefing notes and advice, provided to the Minister, in relation to meetings, functions and other commitments undertaken by the Minister;
- (c) who accompanied the Minister during the visit, and at each meeting, function or other commitments undertaken by the Minister; and
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 - (v) Hon Jim Chown MLC; and
 - (vi) Hon Darren West MLC;
 - (vii) Mr Shane Love MLA?

2857. Hon Alison Xamon to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Child Protection:

I refer to the free confidential phone counselling service for young people, Kids Helpline, and I ask:

- (a) how much funding was provided by the Western Australian Government to Kids Helpline in 2019;
- (b) how many contacts from Western Australian children and young people were made to the Kids Helpline in 2019:
 - (i) by phone; and
 - (ii) by email;
 - (iii) by web chat;
- (c) how many of the phone contacts were not answered; and
- (d) how many of the email contacts were not answered;
- (e) how many of the web chat contacts were not answered?

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2858. Hon Jacqui Boyde to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health:

I refer to question without notice 1396, answered on 4 December 2019, and I ask:

- (a) have any full time employees at the Wheatbelt Mental Health Service (WMHS), changed since question without notice 1396 was answered;
- (b) if yes to (a), can the Minister please detail;
- (c) how much funding was attributed to the WMHS in 2017-18 and 2018-19; and
- (d) how many staff members at the WMHS are currently on leave;
- (e) is the Minister aware of any situations of confirmed or suspected suicide, in the Wheatbelt this year?

2859. Hon Colin de Grussa to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to a recent decision by the Perth Children's hospital to withdraw the provision of paediatric diabetic clinical services to the town of Esperance, and I ask:

- (a) when was the Minister made aware that this vital service had been withdrawn;
- (b) on what basis was the cost of providing this service for:
 - (i) the 2018-19 financial year;
 - (ii) the 2019-20 financial year, until the service was withdrawn; and
- (c) how will patients requiring paediatric diabetic clinical services, be provided continued access to this important service;
- (d) what is the estimated total annual cost of providing these services?

2860. Hon Dr Steve Thomas to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the Minister for Health's media release of 13 December 2019, entitled "New Albany radiation oncology service on track", referring to the new radiation unit to be built in the Cancer Centre of Albany Health Campus, and I ask:

- (a) is the new radiation oncology service "on track" to be "operational by early 2022", as described in the release;
- (b) has the State Government discussed or advised of any potential delays in the completion of the project, with the Federal Government, or any Federal Department;
- (c) if yes to (b), when did that discussion occur, and with whom; and
- (d) is there any potential delay to having the service operational by early 2022;
- (e) if yes to (d), why?

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*Notice Given**Wednesday, 11 March 2020***2861. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Housing; Fisheries; Veterans Issues; Asian Engagement:**

I refer to the Minister's visit to the Agricultural Region on 4 March 2020, and I ask:

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- (b) please provide all briefing notes, and advice provided to the Minister, in relation to meetings, functions and other commitments undertaken by the Minister;
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 - (iv) Hon Rick Mazza MLC;
 - (v) Hon Jim Chown MLC; and
 - (vi) Hon Darren West MLC;
 - (vii) Mr Peter Rundle MLA?

2862. Hon Martin Aldridge to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Energy:

I refer to the Minister's visit to the Agricultural Region on 5 March 2020, and I ask:

- (a) please provide an unredacted copy of the Minister's itinerary and travel arrangements;
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 - (v) Hon Jim Chown MLC;
 - (vi) Hon Darren West MLC; and
 - (vii) Mr Ian Blayney MLA?

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Clerk of the Legislative Council