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Questions listed for this sitting: -

6325. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Transport

I refer to the Freight and Logistics Council of WA, and I ask:

- (a) What are the criteria for appointing transport operator members to the Council;
- (b) Are there any Western Australian based transport operators represented on the Council; and
- (c) If no to (b) does the Minister have any plans to appoint a Western Australian based transport operator to the Council?

6326. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Transport

I refer to incidents involving road trains on WA roads, and I ask:

- (a) In 2019, and 2020 to date, how many incidents involving road trains on WA roads have there been;
- (b) What is the breakdown of the incidents in (a) by permit type; and
- (c) What is the breakdown of the incidents in (a) by incident type?

6327. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Commerce

I refer to incidents involving road trains on WA roads, and I ask:

- (a) How many transport operators have been investigated by WorkSafe for potential work safety issues related to this; and
- (b) How many transport operators have been issued with warnings by WorkSafe related to this?

6328. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Transport

I refer to incidents involving road trains on WA roads, and I ask:

- (a) How many transport operators have been investigated by WorkSafe for potential work safety issues related to this; and
- (b) How many transport operators have been issued with warnings by WorkSafe related to this?

6329. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister representing the Minister for Ports

I refer to Mangrove Cove Stage 2, and I ask:

- (a) What is the Bunbury Port's preferred future use of this area; and
- (b) Will future development of this area limit the Bunbury Port's future use or expansion in any way?

6330. Mr R.S. Love to the Minister for Transport; Planning

- (1) At what stage is the planning for improvements to the Jurien Bay Marina?
- (2) Has a groyne been considered to protect the marina:
 - (a) If so, is it designed;
 - (b) What is the estimated cost; and
 - (c) When will construction commence and finish?

6331. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Housing

I refer to Keystart and ask, for each of the past five years:

- (a) What is the total value of loans made by Keystart;
- (b) What is the average value of a Keystart loan;
- (c) How many clients have a Keystart loan, in total;
- (d) How many new clients signed up with Keystart for a loan;
- (e) How many clients have refinanced their loan with another lender; and
- (f) How many clients have paid off their mortgage in full?

6332. Mr D.C. Nalder to the Minister for Housing

- (1) What is the number and percentage of Keystart clients with defaulted accounts for each month from, and including, January 2020 to, and including, June 2020?
- (2) What is the number and percentage of Keystart clients with accounts over one month in arrears from, and including, January 2020 to, and including, June 2020?
- (3) What is the number of Keystart client homes repossessed for each month from, and including, January 2020 to, and including, June 2020?
- (4) What is the amount of interest earned on Keystart loans for each month from, and including, January 2020 to, and including, June 2020?

6333. Mr D.T. Redman to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services

I refer to the recently released Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES) code of conduct which is mandatory for DFES employees and volunteers, and ask:

- (a) Can the Minister confirm the process that must be followed for local regional volunteers to invite their local member into their DFES facility for a social (not official) occasion;
- (b) What is the consequence for a volunteer who invites a local member into their facility for a social occasion, but has not followed the protocol described above;
- (c) What protocols must be followed for those members of parliament who are volunteers for local emergency response organisations;
- (d) I note the Commissioner for Emergency Services recently said they encourage employees and volunteers of emergency service organisations to engage with their local member. Can the Minister describe what they are allowed to talk about, that is not in breach of the code of conduct;

- (e) Can the Minister confirm whether the following topics fall under the category of “Department business” and therefore cannot be discussed by DFES volunteers with their local member of parliament:
 - (i) Facility upgrades;
 - (ii) Safety issues with either facilities or operations of an emergency response;
 - (iii) Organisational culture within the workplace of an emergency response event;
 - (iv) Organisational structures involving interaction between career employees and volunteers;
 - (v) Bullying matters arising from interaction of career staff and volunteers;
 - (vi) Expense of Emergency Services Levy funds; and
 - (vii) Expense of government funds on emergency services; and
- (f) Has the Minister received communication from emergency service volunteer organisations on the matter of the gag order on communicating with MPs:
 - (i) If so, how many;
 - (ii) Can the Minister name the organisations who contacted his office; and
 - (iii) Were the organisations supportive or against the gag order on talking to MPs?

6334. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Police

- (1) How many roadside drug tests were conducted by WA Police in the South West Region in:
 - (a) 2018;
 - (b) 2019; and
 - (c) 2020 to date?
- (2) How many roadside drug tests were conducted by WA Police in the Margaret River Region in:
 - (a) 2018;
 - (b) 2019; and
 - (c) 2020 to date?

6335. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

- (1) How many Senior Executive Service (SES) staff have been employed by the Department of Communities for each of the past four financial years?
- (2) How many new SES positions have been created at the Department of Communities, in the past three years, and please provide details of:
 - (a) the job title and business unit of each new position; and
 - (b) the pay scale?
- (3) How many SES positions have ceased at the Department of Communities, in each of the past four financial years, and please provide details of:
 - (a) the reason for the cessation of the position;
 - (b) the job title and business unit of each position; and
 - (c) the pay scale?

6336. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the relocation of the Department of Communities to Fremantle, and ask:

- (a) How many staff are employed by the Department for each of the last four financial years;
- (b) How many staff have roles where their primary workplace is the Kings Square offices;

- (c) How many staff have roles where they are required to work at the Kings Square offices from time to time;
- (d) How many hot desk work spaces are available;
- (e) How many staff have an assigned, private office:
 - (i) Please provide their job title and business unit;
- (f) How many private offices are available for “hot desk” staff to use;
- (g) How many meeting rooms are available and what is the capacity of each meeting room;
- (h) What was the cost of the refit including furniture of the new building; and
- (i) What other locations are staff working from and how many staff are at each of these locations?

6337. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the Department of Communities and ask, for each of the past four years:

- (a) What was the budgeted cost for staff salaries;
- (b) What was the actual cost of staff salaries; and
- (c) What was the percentage growth (or decline) in salary expenditure?

6338. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Forestry

- (1) In the Forest Products Commission’s contracts for the sale of softwood logs, is there a clause requiring that trees to produce softwood logs be replanted in some or all areas where softwood trees are harvested?
- (2) If yes to (1):
 - (a) what does the clause specify;
 - (b) what species of softwood trees are required to be planted or replanted;
 - (c) does this mean that softwood plantations are now being planted or replanted in:
 - (i) the South West Region; and
 - (ii) the Margaret River Region; and
 - (d) has the Minister received any advice regarding the bushfire risk associated with (c)? If yes, what was the advice and when was it received?

6339. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Forestry

Since March 2017, how many hectares of trees to produce softwood logs have been planted to replace some or all areas where softwood trees are harvested in:

- (a) the Shire of Augusta Margaret River; and
- (b) the South West Region?

6340. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the media statement of 4 December 2019, titled “Record funding boost to help homeless find Common Ground”, and ask:

- (a) how much of the \$34.5 million set aside for Housing First initiatives has been spent to date;
- (b) please provide a breakdown of that expenditure; and
- (c) how many people have been housed since 4 December 2019, as a result of the additional Housing First funding?

6341. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to your media statement of 15 July 2020, titled “WA’s first Common Ground finds a home in central Perth”, and ask:

- (a) how much were the acquisition costs of the land in Perth, where the Common Ground will be located;
- (b) who was the previous owner of the land and if it was the State Government, which Department held the land;
- (c) has any consultation been undertaken with neighbouring residents regarding the facility:
 - (i) if no to (c), why not; and
 - (ii) has a consultation strategy been developed in respect of the facility and if yes, will you table a copy of the same;
- (d) when will construction begin on the Perth facility and what is the expected completion date;
- (e) what percentage of occupants in the Perth Common Ground will be homeless; and
- (f) what percentage of occupants in the Perth Common Ground will be low-income tenants?

6342. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to your media statement of 15 July 2020, titled “WA’s first Common Ground finds a home in central Perth”, and ask:

- (a) Can you please provide a breakdown of the \$2.3 million in Lotterywest grants including details of:
 - (i) the recipient;
 - (ii) the value of the grant; and
 - (iii) the purpose of the grant?

6343. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to your media statement of 15 July 2020, titled “WA’s first Common Ground finds a home in central Perth”, and ask:

- (a) Can you please provide a breakdown of the \$6.8 million expenditure on specialist homelessness services, including details of:
 - (i) the organisations which have received funding;
 - (ii) the value of funding to each organisation;
 - (iii) the purposes of the funding; and
 - (iv) whether the funding is ongoing, or a one-off grant?

6344. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to your media statement of 15 July 2020, titled “WA’s first Common Ground finds a home in central Perth”, and ask:

- (a) please provide the addresses of the alternative sites which were considered for the Perth Common Ground facility and subsequently ruled out;
- (b) please provide the reasons why each alternative site was considered less suitable than the Hill/Wellington St location; and
- (c) please provide the addresses of the sites which have been identified as options for the second Common Ground facility?

6345. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Transport

I refer to the recent decision to erect a barbed-wire fence underneath the Lord Street overpass in Perth, and ask:

- (a) how many complaints of antisocial behaviour had been made in the year preceding the decision:
 - (i) please provide details of the complaint including its nature and date of the incident;
- (b) were you aware this location had been used frequently as a shelter for homeless people; and
- (c) did you notify the Minister for Community Services, prior to the fence being erected:
 - (i) if yes to (c) on what date or dates was this matter discussed with the Minister for Community Services and what was the form of communication (i.e. phone, email, letter)?

6346. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the recent decision by the Public Transport Authority to erect a barbed-wire fence underneath the Lord Street overpass in Perth, and ask:

- (a) did the Minister for Transport make you aware of this decision, prior to the fence being erected:
 - (i) if yes to (a) on what date or dates was this matter discussed with the Minister for Transport and what was the form of communication (i.e. phone, email, letter);
- (b) were you or the Department of Communities made aware of the complaints of antisocial behaviour:
 - (i) if yes to (b) on what date or dates were the Department or yourself first notified; and
 - (ii) if yes to (b) did the Department of Communities engage in any outreach with the homeless individuals using the overpass for shelter and please provide details of the same; and
- (c) was the Department of Communities afforded any opportunities to engage in outreach with the homeless individuals, prior to the fence being erected:
 - (i) if yes to (c), please provide details of the same?

6347. Mr D.T. Redman to the Minister for Energy

I refer to the recently announced \$66.3m toward “renewable energy technologies” as a boost to the WA recovery, and ask:

- (a) Can the Minister outline the source of the funds: in particular, whether it is Royalties for Regions, consolidated funds or funds from a government trading enterprise (GTE) (eg Horizon/Western Power balance sheet);
- (b) Can the Minister identify, what if any of the \$66.3m of funded initiatives were budgeted in the 2019-2020 state budget (including GTE internal budgets) to be expended over the forward estimates 2019-2020 to 2022-2023;
- (c) If there were initiatives budgeted, can the Minister describe the procurement process (including key dates) where projects were tendered to the private sector;
- (d) With reference to the 50 stand-alone power systems (SPS) and Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS), can the Minister outline when the contracts were/are being let;

- (e) If the contracts for the SPS and the BESS have been awarded: who has won the contract/s, when were they issued the advice they were successful, and what is the nature of the battery technology being used;
- (f) If all/some of the project funds were budgeted in the 2019-2020 state budget, can the Minister outline the forward estimate projections of expenditure of the \$66.3m; and
- (g) Other than the remote community expenditure, can the Minister outline the allocation of the regional components of the remaining funds?

6348. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Housing

I refer to your media statement of 28 July 2020 regarding the Forrestdale affordable housing project, and ask:

- (a) how many of the 178 lots released under the first four stages, will be retained by the Department of Communities for:
 - (i) social housing; and
 - (ii) affordable housing;
- (b) how many of the approximately 554 lots in total, will be retained by the Department of Communities for:
 - (i) social housing; and
 - (ii) affordable housing;
- (c) what is the estimated completion date for the first four stages of the project;
- (d) what is the estimated completion date for the entire project;
- (e) what is the approximate lot size of blocks available for:
 - (i) approximately \$155,000; and
 - (ii) approximately \$321,000;
- (f) please provide a breakdown of housing diversity in the south-eastern metropolitan corridor;
- (g) what housing diversity is lacking in the south-eastern metropolitan corridor; and
- (h) what additional housing diversity will this project provide?

6349. Mr S.K. L'Estrange to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services

(1) What was the average of adult out of cell hours during 2019-20 at the following facilities:

- (a) Acacia Prison;
- (b) Albany Regional Prison;
- (c) Bandyup Women's Prison;
- (d) Broome Regional Prison;
- (e) Bunbury Regional Prison;
- (f) Casuarina Prison;
- (g) Eastern Goldfields Regional Prison;
- (h) Greenough Regional Prison;
- (i) Hakea Prison;
- (j) Karnet Prison Farm;
- (k) Melaleuca Remand and Reintegration Facility;
- (l) Pardelup Prison Farm;
- (m) Roebourne Regional Prison;
- (n) West Kimberley Regional Prison; and

- (o) Wooroloo Regional Prison?
- (2) How many lock downs occurred at the facilities listed in (1) during 2019-20?
- (3) In relation to (2), how much time did lock downs total for each facility during 2019-20?

6350. Mr S.K. L'Estrange to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services

What was the total capacity and total offender population in each prison facility in Western Australia as at 1 March 2020 and 1 August 2020, and what proportion was on remand at those dates?

6351. Mr S.K. L'Estrange to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services

- (1) As at 1 August 2020, by prison, how many prisoners were awaiting completion of their Individual Management Plan?
- (2) As at 1 August 2020, what was the longest time a prisoner had been waiting on the completion of their Individual Management Plan?
- (3) As at 1 August 2020, what is the average time a prisoner has to wait for the completion of their Individual Management Plan?
- (4) As at 1 August 2020, by prison, how many prisoners had been waiting longer than the 28-day timeframe set out in Adult Custodial Rule 18 and 785 for their Individual Management Plan?

6352. Mr S.K. L'Estrange to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services

- (1) What were the prisoner on prisoner assault and serious assault rates for 2019-20?
- (2) How many prisoner on prisoner assaults and serious assaults occurred in WA prisons in 2019-20?
- (3) What were the prisoner on officer assault and serious assault rates for 2019-20?
- (4) How many assaults and serious assaults on prison staff occurred in WA prisons in 2019-20?

6353. Mr D.T. Redman to the Minister representing the Minister for Education and Training

I refer to government contracts for the provision of specific services into state government schools in the electorate of Warren-Blackwood, and ask:

- (a) In each school in the Warren-Blackwood electorate, who has the contract for:
 - (i) Checking and maintaining RCDs;
 - (ii) Provision of maintenance and servicing of fire equipment;
 - (iii) Provision of termite control/management;
 - (iv) Servicing and maintenance of air conditioners and exhaust fans, including winter shutdown services; and
 - (v) Servicing and maintenance of water coolers and drinking fountains;
- (b) If these services are not contracted, then who provides the services and what is the process for determining who provides the service;
- (c) How regularly are the services tendered for supply, and how wide is the school catchment for each contract; and
- (d) What provision is made for local suppliers to secure the delivery of these services?

6354. Mr D.T. Redman to the Minister for Finance

I refer to government contracts for the provision of specific services into state government schools in the electorate of Warren-Blackwood, and ask:

- (a) In each school in the Warren-Blackwood electorate, who has the contract for:
 - (i) Checking and maintaining RCDs;

- (ii) Provision of maintenance and servicing of fire equipment;
- (iii) Provision of termite control/management;
- (iv) Servicing and maintenance of air conditioners and exhaust fans, including winter shutdown services; and
- (v) Servicing and maintenance of water coolers and drinking fountains;
- (b) If these services are not contracted, then who provides the services and what is the process for determining who provides the service;
- (c) How regularly are the services tendered for supply, and how wide is the school catchment for each contract; and
- (d) What provision is made for local suppliers to secure the delivery of these services?

6355. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Police

I refer to the City of Mandurah's two-year trial of a homelessness assertive outreach service, and ask:

- (a) when will the trial commence;
- (b) what is the model of operation and what sort of outreach services will be delivered;
- (c) who will deliver the service;
- (d) how much funding is being provided by:
 - (i) the WA Police; and
 - (ii) the City of Mandurah; and
- (e) will additional staff be employed to staff the service?

6356. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the City of Mandurah's two-year trial of a homelessness assertive outreach service, and ask:

- (a) has the Department of Communities had any input into this program, and if yes, please provide details;
- (b) is the Department of Communities providing any funding to support the program, and if so, how much;
- (c) why are the WA Police involved in this project;
- (d) what is the expected cost of the program over the trial period;
- (e) what sort of outreach services will be delivered;
- (f) how many beds are available in Mandurah/Peel region for people experiencing homelessness; and
- (g) will any additional homelessness beds be provided to support this program?

6357. Mr S.K. L'Estrange to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services

- (1) As at 1 August 2020, by prison, how many Indigenous prisoners were awaiting completion of their Individual Management Plan?
- (2) As at 1 August 2020, what was the longest time an Indigenous prisoner had been waiting on the completion of their Individual Management Plan?
- (3) As at 1 August 2020, what is the average time an Indigenous prisoner has to wait for the completion of their Individual Management Plan?
- (4) As at 1 August 2020, by prison, how many Indigenous prisoners had been waiting for longer than the 28-day timeframe set out in Adult Custodial Rule 18 and 785 for their Individual Management Plan?

6358. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the Hardship Utility Grant Scheme (HUGS), and ask:

- (a) How much was the state government expenditure for HUGS in the 2019-20 year;
- (b) How many recipients received funding in 2019-20 via:
 - (i) Water Corporation;
 - (ii) Synergy;
 - (iii) Horizon Power; and
 - (iv) Alinta Energy; and
- (c) What was the total spent in 2019-20 on HUGS grants for:
 - (i) Water Corporation bills;
 - (ii) Synergy bills;
 - (iii) Horizon Power bills; and
 - (iv) Alinta Energy bills?

6359. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Community Services

I refer to the Hardship Utility Grant Scheme (HUGS), and ask:

- (a) How many recipients applied for funding in each of the past four financial years; and
- (b) How many recipients received funding in each of the past four financial years?

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KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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