

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

QUESTIONS

No. 115

Thursday, 16 November 2006

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

Notice Given **Wednesday, 23 August 2006**

- 4102. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Agriculture and Food (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4103. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Forestry (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4104. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4105. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4106. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4107. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Fisheries (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4108. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4109. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Premier (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4110. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4111. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)

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- 4112. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal Affairs (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4114. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4115. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4116. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science and Innovation (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4118. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4119. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4121. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Treasurer (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4122. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4126. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4127. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4128. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4129. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4130. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4132. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4133. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Government Enterprises (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4134. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4135. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4137. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Land Information (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
- 4140. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)

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4141. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4142. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Youth (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4143. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4144. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4146. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4147. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4148. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)
4150. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Women's Interests (*SO 138(d) response - September 21 2006*)

Notice Given Tuesday, 17 October 2006

4199. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment (*SO 138(d) response - November 15 2006*)
4201. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - November 15 2006*)
4202. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (*SO 138(d) response - November 15 2006*)

Notice Given Wednesday, 18 October 2006

4205. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

Notice Given Wednesday, 25 October 2006

4211. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment
4212. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
4213. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Forestry
4214. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
4215. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training
4216. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development
4217. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Fisheries
4218. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne

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- 4219. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4220. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4221. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
- 4222. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal Affairs
- 4223. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4224. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 4225. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 4226. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science and Innovation
- 4227. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources and Assisting the Minister for State Development
- 4228. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4229. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs
- 4230. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Peel and the South West
- 4231. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Treasurer
- 4232. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4233. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4234. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Women's Interests
- 4235. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 4236. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance and Great Southern
- 4237. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4238. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4239. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety

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- 4240. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 4241. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
- 4242. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4243. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 4244. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4245. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4246. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4247. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4248. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4249. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Small Business
- 4250. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Education and Training
- 4251. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development
- 4252. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4253. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Youth
- 4254. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4255. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4256. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 4257. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 4258. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4259. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4260. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests
- 4261. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Agriculture and Food

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- 4262. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Forestry
- 4263. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 4264. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training
- 4265. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development
- 4266. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Fisheries
- 4267. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 4268. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4269. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4270. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
- 4271. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal Affairs
- 4272. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4273. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 4274. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 4275. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science and Innovation
- 4276. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources and Assisting the Minister for State Development
- 4277. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4278. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs
- 4279. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Peel and the South West
- 4280. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Treasurer
- 4281. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4282. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4283. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Women's Interests
- 4284. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Employment Protection

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- 4285. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance and Great Southern
- 4286. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4287. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4288. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4289. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 4290. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
- 4291. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4292. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 4293. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4294. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4295. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4296. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4297. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4298. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Small Business
- 4299. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Education and Training
- 4300. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development
- 4301. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4302. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Youth
- 4303. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4304. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4305. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

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- 4306. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 4307. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4308. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4309. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

Notice Given ***Thursday, 26 October 2006***

- 4310. Hon Simon O'Brien to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

Notice Given ***Tuesday, 31 October 2006***

- 4312. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4313. Hon Anthony Fels to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4314. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment

Notice Given ***Wednesday, 1 November 2006***

- 4315. Hon Robyn McSweeney to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development
- 4316. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training
- 4317. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 4318. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Forestry
- 4319. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 4320. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training
- 4321. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development
- 4322. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Fisheries
- 4323. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 4324. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4325. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4326. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
- 4327. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal Affairs

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- 4328. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4329. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 4330. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 4331. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science and Innovation
- 4332. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources and Assisting the Minister for State Development
- 4333. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4334. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs
- 4335. Hon Donna Faragher to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Peel and the South West
- 4336. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Treasurer
- 4337. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4338. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4339. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Women's Interests
- 4340. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 4341. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance and Great Southern
- 4342. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4343. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4344. Hon Donna Faragher to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4345. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 4346. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
- 4347. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4348. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier

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- 4349. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4350. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4351. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4352. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4353. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4354. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Small Business
- 4355. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Education and Training
- 4356. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development
- 4357. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4358. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Youth
- 4359. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4360. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4361. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 4362. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 4363. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4364. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4365. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

Notice Given Thursday, 2 November 2006

- 4366. Hon Murray Criddle to the Minister for Education and Training
- 4367. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4368. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services

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4369. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment

Notice Given ***Tuesday, 14 November 2006***

4370. Hon Anthony Fels to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Community Development
4371. Hon George Cash to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
4372. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
4373. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
4374. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
4375. Hon Peter Collier to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
4376. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
4377. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
4378. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services

Notice Given ***Wednesday, 15 November 2006***

4379. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
4380. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
4381. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
4381. Hon Giz Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
4382. Hon Bruce Donaldson to the Minister for Fisheries
4383. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment

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QUESTIONS ASKED TODAY

*Notice given**Thursday, 16 November 2006*

4384. Hon Simon O'Brien to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy

- (1) What representations has the Government received from Local Government, Parliamentary representatives or other groups, concerning plans to install an electricity sub-station at the designated school site near the corner of Safety Bay Road and Warnbro Sound Drive?
- (2) Will the Government allow the project to proceed on this site?

4385. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

From 1 May 2006 until 18 September 2006, there have been eight items of correspondence between the Member for Dawesville and the Minister regarding the quality of protective fencing and the Australian standards used for fence construction on the Perth to Mandurah Railway -

- (a) 1 May 2006 - Letter from the Member for Dawesville to the Minister;
- (b) 4 May 2006 - Letter acknowledged by Ministers Office (Reference 2-13279);
- (c) 28 June 2006 - Reply received from Minister's Office;
- (d) 7 July 2006 - Letter from member for Dawesville asking for details of the standard used;
- (e) 11 July 2006 - Letter acknowledged by Minister's Office (Reference 2-15439);
- (f) 5 September 2006 - Reply received from Minister's Office attaching a draft copy of the Public transport Authority's specifications;
- (g) 11 September 2006 - Letter from Member for Dawesville to Minister regarding anomalies in standards used for fence construction; and
- (h) 18 September 2006 - Letter acknowledged by Minister's office (reference 02-021195),

Minister, could you please advise -

- (1) Why the minister is using 1983 standards rather than the 2003 standards?
- (2) Why the Minister is saying that posts will be to a certain AS(1450) and yet requiring a wall thickness that is not to that standard?
- (3) Who designed and agreed to the current standards being used?
- (4) Did Smorgen Cyclone play any part in developing the standards being used?
- (5) Why have the contractors been allowed variations to the standards the Minister has set?

MALCOLM PEACOCK

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council