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**Questions listed for this sitting: -**

**1140. Dr D.J. Honey to the Minister for International Education:**

I refer to international students enrolling in local institutions for 2024, and I ask:

- (a) How many foreign students enrolled in primary schools, by nationality;
- (b) How many foreign primary school students received any financial assistance, by the type of assistance;
- (c) How many foreign students enrolled in high schools, by nationality;
- (d) How many foreign high school students received any financial assistance, by the type of assistance;
- (e) How many foreign students enrolled in university studies, by nationality;
- (f) How many foreign university students received any financial assistance, by the type of assistance;
- (g) How many foreign students enrolled in TAFE, by nationality;
- (h) How many foreign TAFE students received any financial assistance, by the type of assistance;
- (i) What is the total sum spent by the WA government on foreign student assistance; and
- (j) What are the foreign student fees for primary and high schools?

**1141. Dr D.J. Honey to the Minister for Planning:**

I refer to the Planning Commission's Deputy Chair, and I ask:

- (a) Is the Deputy Chair required to declare a conflict of interest when dealing with matters that her company, CLE Town Planning and Design, has worked on, and if not, why not;
- (b) Has the Deputy Chair divested her interest in CLE or placed it in an arms length arrangement;
- (c) Does the Deputy Chair have any personal interest in property within the proposed health and education precinct; and
- (d) Has the Deputy Chair been involved in any job recruitment process pertaining to Planning Commission roles, and if so, please provide details?

**1142. Mr R.S. Love to the Minister for Police:**

I refer to the Premier of China's visit to Western Australia, and I ask:

- (a) Was the Chinese Premier provided a security detail by Western Australian Police Force;
- (b) What was the total police officer hours and cost associated with security services related to the Chinese Premier's visit; and
- (c) Will the State Government seek reimbursement of these costs from the Chinese Government or the Australian Government?

**1143. Mr R.S. Love to the Premier:**

I refer to the Chinese Premier's visit to Perth, and I ask:

- (a) Did the State Government have any decision-making power in relation to who the Chinese Premier met with while he was in Perth;
- (b) Why did the State Opposition not receive an invitation to any official event despite the Federal Opposition taking part in the Premier's visit while in Australia; and
- (c) Did the Premier or any member of the State Government choose to omit the State Opposition from any event involving the Chinese Premier:
  - (i) If yes, who?

**1144. Mr R.S. Love to the Minister representing the Minister for Small Business:**

I refer to the recent announcement that RSM will cease delivering the Small Business Development Corporation Business Local Service across the Pilbara, Midwest, Gascoyne, and Wheatbelt regions as of 30 June 2024, and I ask:

- (a) What immediate actions are being taken to ensure there is no disruption to services for small businesses in these regions; and
- (b) Has the tender for these services been reallocated to an alternative provider, and if so, which provider has been selected:
  - (i) Is the alternative provider regionally located:
    - (A) If no, what reasoning did the Government use to select a non-regional provider over a regional one for this tender; and
  - (ii) If no tender, will the Government ensure that the new tender is awarded to a regional provider to maintain local expertise and responsiveness to our regional communities?

**1145. Mr R.S. Love to the Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Tourism:**

I refer to the \$3.6 million allocated for the Metro Events Program in the State Budget, and I ask:

- (a) How many events are anticipated to be funded from this allocation; and
- (b) Please list any events that have already been identified for funding through this Program?

**1146. Mr R.S. Love to the Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Tourism:**

I refer to the \$12.2 million allocated for Destination Marketing, and I ask:

- (a) Will this funding be evenly distributed across Western Australia's five Regional Tourism Organisations (RTO):
  - (i) If no, how will the distribution of funds be determined and what criteria will be used to allocate resources to each RTO?

**1147. Mr R.S. Love to the Premier:**

I refer to the Governor of Western Australia Tribunal Determination No. 1 of 2018 by the Salaries and Allowances Act 1975 which was initiated as a result of a former Premier's request in accordance with Section 5A(1) of the Salaries and Allowances Act 1975, and the Federal Government's decision to increase the Governor-General's remuneration by 43% to \$709,000 annually, and I ask:

- (a) Will the Premier rule out making any similar requests to the Salaries and Allowances Tribunal under Section 5A(1) for the remainder of this term in Parliament?

**1148. Dr D.J. Honey to the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Denny Avenue rail crossing removal, and I ask:

- (a) What were the start and finish dates for the project;
- (b) What were the dates for the closure of the road crossing and opening of the underpass road;
- (c) What were the dates for the closure and re-opening of the rail line; and
- (d) What was the length of the new section of the rail line built?

**1149. Dr D.J. Honey to the Minister for Education:**

- (1) Which ATAR subjects attracted a bonus percentage in 2017?
- (2) Which of those ATAR subjects have already had their bonus status removed and when did this occur - by subject?
- (3) Which ATAR subjects still attract a bonus percentage?
- (4) Will the ATAR bonus percentage be removed from any of the remaining subjects, and if so, when?
- (5) By year since 2017, by number of students and percentage of total ATAR subject students, how many students are/were enrolled in Chemistry, Physics, Maths Methods and Maths Specialist?

**1150. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health; Mental Health:**

I refer to the report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business dated 7 December 2023, and I ask:

- (a) With reference to the Child and Adolescent Health service:
  - (i) What is the total value of everything received in kind for the purpose of travel where the source of funds is stated as industry; and
  - (ii) Please provide the name of the company(s) that financed each of these trips as well as a full itemised breakdown of costs for each of the following trips where the source of funds is stated as industry:
    - (A) Pfizer Meningococcal Vaccination educational program in Italy, dated 15-20 October 2023;
    - (B) Present at world orphan drug congress and international rare disease research consortium functional analysis task force in Spain, dated 27 October-6 November 2023;
    - (C) Attend world society of paediatric infectious diseases conference in South Africa, dated 11-19 November 2023;
    - (D) Achondroplasia masterclass in Germany, dated 23-28 November 2023 where D METHA is named as the person attending;
    - (E) Achondroplasia masterclass in Germany, dated 23-28 November 2023 where K LANGDEN is named as the person attending;
    - (F) Meningococcal clinical and expert policy group live meeting in Ireland, dated 3-8 December 2023.; and
    - (G) Nursing study tour in Vietnam and Cambodia, dated 8-19 October 2023?

**1151. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health; Mental Health:**

I refer to the report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business dated 7 December 2023, and I ask:

- (a) With reference to the East Metropolitan Health Service:

- (i) What is the total value of everything received in kind for the purpose of travel where the source of funds is stated as industry; and
- (ii) Please provide the name of the company(s) that financed each of these trips as well as a full itemised breakdown of costs for each of the following trips where the source of funds is stated as industry:
  - (A) Conduction system and leadless pacemaker training in Hong Kong, dated 3-6 October 2023;
  - (B) Asia Pacific SeQuent Please NEO product training in Malaysia, dated 6-9 October 2023;
  - (C) Volunteer for Australian Doctors for Africa in Ethiopia, dated 20 October-5 November 2023;
  - (D) In person investigator engagement meeting in the United Kingdom, dated 3-8 November 2023;
  - (E) Masterclass in vaccinology conference in Taiwan, dated 5-7 November 2023;
  - (F) Autumn respiratory seminar in Hong Kong, dated 11-13 November 2023;
  - (G) Global inflammatory bowel disease homecoming meeting in South Korea dated 13-18 November 2023;
  - (H) Asia Pacific Respiriology Society meeting in Singapore, dated 15-19 November 2023; and
  - (I) Annual American Society of Hematology meeting and tour of kite manufacturing centre?

**1152. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business dated 7 December 2023, and I ask:

- (a) With reference to the North Metropolitan Health Service:
  - (i) What is the total value of everything received in kind for the purpose of travel where the source of funds is stated as industry; and
  - (ii) Please provide the name of the company(s) that financed each of these trips as well as a full itemised breakdown of costs for each of the following trips where the source of funds is stated as industry:
    - (A) European Society of medical oncology conference in Spain, dated 18-25 October 2023;
    - (B) Brainlab headquarters visitation, stryker spine great debate, stryker spine minimally invasive spine course and functional neurosurgery course in Germany, Australia, United Kingdom and Switzerland, dated 4-17 November 2023; and
    - (C) The Asia Australasian federation of interventional and therapeutic neuroradiology conference in Hong Kong, dated 12-16 October 2023?

**1153. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business dated 7 December 2023, and I ask:

- (a) With reference to PathWest:
  - (i) What is the total value of everything received in kind for the purpose of travel where the source of funds is stated as industry; and

- (ii) Please provide the name of the company(s) that financed each of these trips as well as a full itemised breakdown of costs for each of the following trips where the source of funds is stated as industry:
  - (A) Interviews and attend association of forensic quality assurance managers conference in the USA, dated 2-23 October 2023;
  - (B) Merck global respiratory syncytial virus viral diversity meeting in the USA, dated 8-12 October 2023;
  - (C) Attend Asia pacific association of allergy, asthma and clinical immunology conference in Singapore, dated 22-27 October 2023;
  - (D) Attend Asia Pacific influenza conference and Asia Pacific alliance for the control of influenza meeting in Singapore, dated 30 October-4 November 2023;
  - (E) Attend Tsukuba medical laboratory of education and research, support overseas trainee project, in cooperation with international federation of biomedical laboratory science in Japan, dated 12-19 November 2023; and
  - (F) Attend advent forum - connecting the dots in Spain, dated 29 November-2 December 2023?

**1154. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business dated 7 December 2023, and I ask:

- (a) With reference to the WA Country Health Service:
  - (i) What is the total value of everything received in kind for the purpose of travel where the source of funds is stated as industry; and
  - (ii) Please provide the name of the company(s) that financed each of these trips as well as a full itemised breakdown of costs for each of the following trips where the source of funds is stated as industry:
    - (A) Attend world congress on rheumatic heart disease in the UAE, dated 31 October-16 November 2023?

**1155. Mr R.S. Love to the Premier:**

I refer to public sector leave entitlements and in relation to employees employed by the Department of Premier and Cabinet (DPC), and I ask:

- (a) How many hours of 'Blood/Plasma Donors Leave' has been taken by DPC employees in the last financial year:
  - (i) What was the total cost of the leave taken;
- (b) How many hours of 'Cultural/Ceremonial Leave for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders' has been taken by DPC employees in the last financial year:
  - (i) What was the total cost of the leave taken;
- (c) How many hours of 'Examination Leave' has been taken by DPC employees in the last financial year:
  - (i) What was the total cost of the leave taken; and
- (d) How many hours of 'International Sporting Events Leave' has been taken by DPC employees in the last financial year:
  - (i) What was the total cost of the leave taken?

**1156. Mr R.S. Love to the Minister for Education:**

I refer to the government's commitment to provide a free and secular education to WA students, and I ask:

- (a) Please detail what steps are being undertaken by school communities to meet the demand from Muslim students regarding prayer rooms, particularly during Ramadan; and
- (b) If such provision is or will be made for these students, will the Minister support the provision of prayer rooms for Christians who also attend these schools or any other school should the need arise?

**1157. Mr R.S. Love to the Minister for Police:**

I refer to the implementation of double demerits during specified times of the year, a system that has been in place for many years now, and I ask:

- (a) Could the Minister inform who makes the decision when, and for how long, double demerits will be in place; and
- (b) Could the Minister provide empirical data that statistically supports the notion that road trauma and deaths, as well as serious road offences, are reduced during these periods, given traffic volumes are far greater during holiday periods?

**1158. Mr R.S. Love to the Minister for Road Safety:**

I refer to the implementation of double demerits during specified times of the year, a system that has been in place for many years now, and I ask:

- (a) Could the Minister inform who makes the decision when, and for how long, double demerits will be in place; and
- (b) Could the Minister provide empirical data that statistically supports the notion that road trauma and deaths, as well as serious road offences, are reduced during these periods, given traffic volumes are far greater during holiday periods?

**1159. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Water:**

I refer to 'Supplement to Regulation 29 and Schedule 9 - Wastewater system loading rates', and I ask:

- (a) What are the different hydraulic loading rates between a 3 bedroom standard residential dwelling as defined by the regulation as well as:
  - (i) a 5 bedroom standard residential dwelling;
  - (ii) a 'motel' as defined by the regulation; and
  - (iii) 'caravan parks' as defined by the regulation?

**1160. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to 'Supplement to Regulation 29 and Schedule 9 - Wastewater system loading rates', and I ask:

- (a) What are the different hydraulic loading rates between a 3 bedroom standard residential dwelling as defined by the regulation as well as:
  - (i) a 5 bedroom standard residential dwelling;
  - (ii) a 'motel' as defined by the regulation; and
  - (iii) 'caravan parks' as defined by the regulation?

**1161. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Planning:**

I refer to 'Supplement to Regulation 29 and Schedule 9 - Wastewater system loading rates', and I ask:

- (a) What are the different hydraulic loading rates between a 3 bedroom standard residential dwelling as defined by the regulation as well as:



- (i) a 5 bedroom standard residential dwelling;
- (ii) a 'motel' as defined by the regulation; and
- (iii) 'caravan parks' as defined by the regulation?

**1162. Ms L. Mettam to the Premier; Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade; Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
- (b) Has any member of the Minister's staff been present at any meetings or consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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- (c) Has any staff member employed in any departmental capacity, including any agency that falls under the Minister's responsibility, been present at any meetings or consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1163. Ms L. Mettam to the Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Tourism:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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**1164. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance; Commerce; Women's Interests:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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**1165. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Emergency Services; Innovation and the Digital Economy; Science; Medical Research; Minister assisting the Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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**1166. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Culture and the Arts; Sport and Recreation; International Education; Heritage:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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**1167. Ms L. Mettam to the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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**1168. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Police; Corrective Services; Racing and Gaming; Defence Industry; Veterans Issues:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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**1169. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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**1170. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development; Water; Industrial Relations:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:

- (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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- (c) Has any staff member employed in any departmental capacity, including any agency that falls under the Minister's responsibility, been present at any meetings or consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1171. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health; Mental Health:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
- (b) Has any member of the Minister's staff been present at any meetings or consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1172. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Planning; Lands; Housing; Homelessness:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
- (b) Has any member of the Minister's staff been present at any meetings or consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:

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**1173. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Regional Development; Disability Services; Fisheries; Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1174. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Energy; Environment; Climate Action:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
- (b) Has any member of the Minister's staff been present at any meetings or consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
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- (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1175. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Early Childhood Education; Child Protection; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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**1176. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Ports; Road Safety; Minister assisting the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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- (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1177. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Local Government; Youth; Minister Assisting the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?

**1178. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Small Business:**

I refer to the Minister's office and each of the departments, agencies, and Government Trading Enterprises within the Minister's portfolios, and ask:

- (a) Has the Minister been present at any meetings, consultations or functions with any organisers, executives or any employee of the CFMEU in Western Australia:
  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function;
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  - (i) if yes, please provide an itemised breakdown of all meeting agendas, meeting notes, number and position title of attendees, dates, times and locations of each individual meeting, consultation or function?



**1179. Ms L. Mettam to the Premier; Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade; Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
  - (i) if yes, please provide the exact total number of days of sick leave taken by the Minister and any of their Ministerial staff members during the prescribed time period;
  - (ii) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff members taken sick leave more than once in the prescribed period of time; and
  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1180. Ms L. Mettam to the Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Tourism:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
  - (i) if yes, please provide the exact total number of days of sick leave taken by the Minister and any of their Ministerial staff members during the prescribed time period;
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1181. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance; Commerce; Women's Interests:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1182. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Emergency Services; Innovation and the Digital Economy; Science; Medical Research; Minister assisting the Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:

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- (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1183. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Culture and the Arts; Sport and Recreation; International Education; Heritage:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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**1184. Ms L. Mettam to the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1185. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Police; Corrective Services; Racing and Gaming; Defence Industry; Veterans Issues:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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**1186. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

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**1187. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development; Water; Industrial Relations:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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**1188. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health; Mental Health:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1189. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Planning; Lands; Housing; Homelessness:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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**1190. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Regional Development; Disability Services; Fisheries; Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1191. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Energy; Environment; Climate Action:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1192. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Early Childhood Education; Child Protection; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
  - (i) if yes, please provide the exact total number of days of sick leave taken by the Minister and any of their Ministerial staff members during the prescribed time period;
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**1193. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Ports; Road Safety; Minister assisting the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1194. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Local Government; Youth; Minister Assisting the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1195. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Small Business:**

I refer to sick leave taken by the Minister and their Ministerial staff in the last 12 months beginning 24 July 2023, and I ask:

- (a) Has the Minister or any of their Ministerial staff member taken any sick leave in the prescribed period of time:
  - (i) if yes, please provide the exact total number of days of sick leave taken by the Minister and any of their Ministerial staff members during the prescribed time period;
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  - (iii) if yes, please provide a breakdown by date of each individual period of time the Minister and/or a Ministerial staff member took sick leave?

**1196. Ms L. Mettam to the Premier; Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade; Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):

- (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
- (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
- (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
- (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1197. Ms L. Mettam to the Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Tourism:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
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  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1198. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance; Commerce; Women's Interests:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

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  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1199. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Emergency Services; Innovation and the Digital Economy; Science; Medical Research; Minister assisting the Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
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- (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1200. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Culture and the Arts; Sport and Recreation; International Education; Heritage:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
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**1201. Ms L. Mettam to the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
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**1202. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Police; Corrective Services; Racing and Gaming; Defence Industry; Veterans Issues:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
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  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1203. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
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  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
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  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1204. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development; Water; Industrial Relations:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1205. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health; Mental Health:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
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  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
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  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1206. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Planning; Lands; Housing; Homelessness:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;



- (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
- (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1207. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Regional Development; Disability Services; Fisheries; Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1208. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Energy; Environment; Climate Action:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1209. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Early Childhood Education; Child Protection; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1210. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Ports; Road Safety; Minister assisting the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1211. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Local Government; Youth; Minister Assisting the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1212. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Small Business:**

I refer to workers compensation claims made since 19 March 2021, and I ask:

- (a) Have any ministerial staff (including placements or secondees) from the Minister's office made any claims for workers compensation in the prescribed time period during the course of their employment in the Minister's office; and
- (b) if yes to (a):
  - (i) how many ministerial staff members have made claims for workers compensation;
  - (ii) what was the nature of the claim;
  - (iii) has the claim been finalised; and
  - (iv) was any lump sum paid to the employee as a result of this claim (if yes provide details)?

**1213. Ms L. Mettam to the Premier; Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade; Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:

- (i) if yes:
  - (A) How many complaints have been made;
  - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
  - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1214. Ms L. Mettam to the Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Tourism:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1215. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance; Commerce; Women's Interests:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1216. Ms L. Mettam to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Emergency Services; Innovation and the Digital Economy; Science; Medical Research; Minister assisting the Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1217. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Culture and the Arts; Sport and Recreation; International Education; Heritage:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;

- (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
- (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1218. Ms L. Mettam to the Attorney General; Minister for Electoral Affairs:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1219. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Police; Corrective Services; Racing and Gaming; Defence Industry; Veterans Issues:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1220. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1221. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Training and Workforce Development; Water; Industrial Relations:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1222. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health; Mental Health:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1223. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Planning; Lands; Housing; Homelessness:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1224. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Regional Development; Disability Services; Fisheries; Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1225. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Energy; Environment; Climate Action:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1226. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Early Childhood Education; Child Protection; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:

- (i) if yes:
  - (A) How many complaints have been made;
  - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
  - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1227. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Ports; Road Safety; Minister assisting the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1228. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Local Government; Youth; Minister Assisting the Minister for Training and Workforce Development:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1229. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Forestry; Small Business:**

I refer to formal allegations of bullying made by Ministerial staff members in the period beginning 18 March 2021 to present, and I ask:

- (a) Have any formal bullying complaints been made by ministerial staff:
  - (i) if yes:
    - (A) How many complaints have been made;
    - (B) What was the position title of the person who made the complaint, and against; and
    - (C) What was the nature of the complaint?

**1230. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the Minister's press release published 29/7/2024 titled "Cook Government reaches final agreement for Murdoch Medihotel", and I ask:

- (a) What is the total value of the operating contracts with Hesperia and Aegis, inclusive of all financial obligations;
- (b) Under the contract with Aegis, what are the annual capital and operating costs to the state, together with any other financial obligations;

- (c) Are there any minimum payments under the contract, regardless of the services delivered; and, if so, what are the minimum payment obligations to the state under the contract;
- (d) What is the total length of the contract with Aegis;
- (e) What is the projected total operating cost of the facility over its first 12 months of operation:
  - (i) What is the projected operating cost per bed in the facility at each of the following intervals after opening:
    - (A) 3 months;
    - (B) 6 months; and
    - (C) 12 months;
- (f) Will the minister table the contract and/or business case with Aegis; and, if not, why not;
- (g) How many total beds are expected to be in this Medihotel; and
- (h) What are the projected occupancy rates of this facility after its completion in the following time frames:
  - (i) 1 month after opening;
  - (ii) 6 months after opening; and
  - (iii) 12 months after opening?

**1231. Ms L. Mettam to the Premier:**

I refer to the Premier and Minister's comments in a press release on 9/5/2024 titled "Record \$3.2 billion investment in WA's health and mental health" specifically "Since 2021, more than 700 beds have been added across the system. A further 550 beds are in the pipeline, which is on top of the additional beds being added as part of the new Women and Babies Hospital", and I ask:

- (a) Were the 80 beds at the Murdoch Medihotel classified as part of the "700 beds have been added across the system" figure;
- (b) Were the 80 beds at the Murdoch Medihotel classified as part of the "further 550 beds are in the pipeline"; and
- (c) Are the beds at the Murdoch Medihotel classified as part of the "additional beds being added as part of the new Women and Babies Hospital"?

**1232. Ms L. Mettam to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the Premier and Minister's comments in a press release on 9/5/2024 titled "Record \$3.2 billion investment in WA's health and mental health" specifically "Since 2021, more than 700 beds have been added across the system. A further 550 beds are in the pipeline, which is on top of the additional beds being added as part of the new Women and Babies Hospital", and I ask:

- (a) Were the 80 beds at the Murdoch Medihotel classified as part of the "700 beds have been added across the system" figure;
- (b) Were the 80 beds at the Murdoch Medihotel classified as part of the "further 550 beds are in the pipeline"; and
- (c) Are the beds at the Murdoch Medihotel classified as part of the "additional beds being added as part of the new Women and Babies Hospital"?

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**LIZ KERR**

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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