

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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### QUESTIONS

**No. 123**

**Wednesday, 21 March 2007**

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Questions appear according to the date on which notice was delivered.  
When a question has been answered it is removed from the postponed list.

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### POSTPONED QUESTIONS

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***Notice Given***                      ***Wednesday, 25 October 2006***

4283. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Women's Interests (*SO 138(d) response - November 23 2006*)
4287. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services (*SO 138(d) response - November 23 2006*)
4300. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Communities (*SO 138(d) response - November 23 2006*)

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

4350. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works (*SO 138(d) response - December 7 2006*)
4352. Hon Donna Faragher to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Heritage (*SO 138(d) response - December 7 2006*)

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

4380. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
4382. Hon Bruce Donaldson to the Minister for Fisheries

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***Notice Given***                      ***Thursday, 16 November 2006***

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

***Notice Given***                      ***Tuesday, 21 November 2006***

4387. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
4388. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Forestry
4389. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
4390. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training
4391. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development
4392. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Fisheries
4393. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
4394. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
4395. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
4396. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for State Development
4397. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal Affairs
4398. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
4399. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
4400. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
4401. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science and Innovation
4402. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources and Assisting the Minister for State Development
4403. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management
4404. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs
4405. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
4406. Hon Helen Morton to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Peel and the South West
4407. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Treasurer
4408. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment

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- 4409. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4410. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for Women's Interests
- 4411. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 4412. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance and Great Southern
- 4413. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4414. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4415. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4416. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Attorney General
- 4417. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Health
- 4418. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4419. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 4420. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4421. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4422. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4423. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4424. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4425. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Communities
- 4426. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4427. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Youth
- 4428. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4429. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

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- 4430. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 4431. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Tourism
- 4432. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4433. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4434. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests

***Notice Given Tuesday, 5 December 2006***

- 4438. Hon Bruce Donaldson to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4439. Hon Bruce Donaldson to the Minister for Education and Training representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4440. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources

***Notice Given Wednesday, 6 December 2006***

- 4442. Hon Helen Morton to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4443. Hon Simon O'Brien to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

***Notice Given Tuesday, 20 March 2007***

- 4446. Hon Norman Moore to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4447. Hon Giz Watson to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4448. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4449. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 4450. Hon Nigel Hallett to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 4451. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4452. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4452. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4453. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

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- 4453. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 4454. Hon Giz Watson to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
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- 4457. Hon Giz to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4457. Hon Giz to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4458. Hon Peter to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4458. Hon Peter to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4459. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
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- 4460. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
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- 4461. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
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- 4463. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4463. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4464. Hon George Cash to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4465. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4465. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4466. Hon Paul Llewellyn to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4467. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 4467. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 4468. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 4468. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 4469. Hon Ken Baston to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4470. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 4471. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Forestry
- 4472. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 4473. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Great Southern
- 4474. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government
- 4475. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4476. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship
- 4477. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4478. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4479. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance
- 4480. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Youth
- 4481. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development
- 4482. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Fisheries
- 4483. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 4484. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection
- 4485. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Communities
- 4486. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Women's Interests

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- 4487. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4488. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4489. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 4490. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade
- 4491. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 4492. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
- 4493. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4494. Hon Peter Collier to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 4495. Hon Peter Collier to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 4496. Hon Peter Collier to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 4497. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4497. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4498. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4498. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4499. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4500. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 4501. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 4501. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 4502. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 4502. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 4503. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4503. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4504. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 4504. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Employment Protection

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- 4505. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4505. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4506. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 4506. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
- 4507. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4507. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4508. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4508. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4509. Hon Peter Collier to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4510. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4510. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4511. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Tourism
- 4511. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Tourism
- 4512. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4512. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4513. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4513. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4514. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4514. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4515. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 4516. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy



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- 4517. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources
- 4518. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- 4519. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4519. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4520. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
- 4521. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 4522. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4522. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4523. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Climate Change
- 4523. Hon Peter Collier to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Climate Change
- 4524. Hon Peter Collier to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Peel
- 4525. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 4526. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Forestry
- 4527. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
- 4528. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Great Southern
- 4529. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government
- 4530. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4531. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship
- 4532. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4533. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4534. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance
- 4535. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Youth
- 4536. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development
- 4537. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Fisheries
- 4538. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 4539. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection
- 4540. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Communities

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- 4541. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Women's Interests
- 4542. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4543. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4544. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 4545. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade
- 4546. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 4547. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
- 4548. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4549. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 4550. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 4551. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 4552. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4552. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
- 4553. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4553. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4554. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4555. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 4556. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 4556. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
- 4557. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 4557. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health
- 4558. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4558. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Electoral Affairs
- 4559. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Employment Protection

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- 4559. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Employment Protection
- 4560. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4560. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Housing and Works
- 4561. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Indigenous Affairs
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- 4562. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4562. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Heritage
- 4563. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4563. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Land Information
- 4564. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4565. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4565. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Disability Services
- 4566. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Tourism
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- 4567. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4567. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- 4568. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4568. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4569. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training

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- 4569. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4570. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 4571. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 4572. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources
- 4573. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
- 4574. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4574. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Corrective Services
- 4575. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Small Business
- 4576. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 4577. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4577. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment
- 4578. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Climate Change
- 4578. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Climate Change
- 4579. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Peel
- 4580. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 4581. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Forestry
- 4582. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Mid West and Wheatbelt
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- 4584. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government
- 4585. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Racing and Gaming
- 4586. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Multicultural Interests and Citizenship
- 4587. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Government Enterprises
- 4588. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- 4589. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance
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- 4591. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development

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- 4592. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Fisheries
- 4593. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne
- 4594. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection
- 4595. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Communities
- 4596. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Women's Interests
- 4597. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Seniors and Volunteering
- 4598. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Premier
- 4599. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Federal-State Relations
- 4600. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Trade
- 4601. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation
- 4602. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Science
- 4603. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Public Sector Management
- 4604. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Deputy Premier
- 4605. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Treasurer
- 4606. Hon Ray Halligan to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for State Development
- 4607. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services
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- 4608. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4608. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Community Safety
- 4609. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Water Resources
- 4610. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 4611. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Attorney General
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- 4623. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Consumer Protection

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- 4623. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Consumer Protection
- 4624. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4624. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Local Government representing the Minister for Education and Training
- 4625. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for South West
- 4626. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Energy
- 4627. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Resources
- 4628. Hon Ray Halligan to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Industry and Enterprise
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- 4642. Hon Ray Halligan to the Minister for Government Enterprises

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4690. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

- (1) How many hostel places for people with a mental illness received a Government subsidy as at January 2006?
- (2) How many hostel places for people with a mental illness has the State Government withdrawn subsidy funding from, since January 2006?
- (3) How many of the hostel places, which have not received a Government subsidy since January 2006, continue to operate?
- (4) How many of the hostel places which received a Government subsidy as at January 2006 have since closed?
- (5) How many new hostel places or community supported residential places have been established and receive a state Government subsidy, since January 2006 until 20 March 2007?

4691. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection representing the Minister for Health

Further to question number 4436, answered on Thursday 23 November 2006, can you please advise, of the 14 patients in an emergency department or emergency department observation ward at midnight on Monday 20 November 2006, I ask -

- (1) At which hospitals were the 14 patients at midnight on 20 November 2006?
- (2) How long has each patient been at the hospitals (on this occasion) up until midnight on 20 November 2006?
- (3) How many were admitted to a psychiatric unit?
- (4) Of those admitted to a psychiatric unit, how many were admitted to a secure ward?
- (5) How many were discharged home?
- (6) How many were discharged with a community treatment order?

4692. Hon Helen Morton to the Minister for Child Protection

The Federal Government develops international adoption policies between Australia and overseas countries and the State Government administers the process. It has been brought to my attention that the international adoption process in Western Australia is experiencing some delays in the assessment procedure and is lagging behind other states. Can the Minister please advise -

- (1) How many people in Western Australia are currently waiting to be assessed for international adoption?
- (2) From which countries are people waiting to adopt?
- (3) Why do people have to pay upfront?

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- (4) Why is the waiting time for assessment so long?
- (5) Why cannot medical assessments be carried out first?
- (6) How is the overall adoption payment allocated, that is, how much goes to the -
  - (a) State Government;
  - (b) country of adoption; and
  - (c) orphanage?
- (7) How many international adoptions have been processed per annum in Western Australia over the last five years?
- (8) How many international adoptions have been processed per annum in the other states and territories of Australia over the last five years?

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