

PUBLIC SECTOR REVIEW TASKFORCE, RELATIONSHIP WITH EDUCATION REVIEW TASKFORCE

102. Mrs EDWARDES to the Minister for Public Sector Management:

- (1) I refer the Minister to his Media Statement of 11 March 2001 in respect to the appointment of a Public Sector Review Taskforce (PSRT) and ask what will be the working relationship between the PSRT and the Taskforce established by the Minister for Education in his media statement of 29 April 2001?
- (2) Will the recommendations of the Taskforce relating to the organisation structures of the Education Department be referred to the PSRT?
- (3) If not, why not?
- (4) If so, will this meet the reporting requirements of the PSRT

Dr GALLOP replied:

- (1)-(4) The Machinery of Government Taskforce is charged with making recommendations with respect to the overall disposition of public sector structures. The Education review taskforce on the other hand is focussing at the detailed level on services and resources for public education in Western Australia. These are therefore separate but complementary reviews, which will result in discrete reports. To the extent of any potential overlap of issues addressed, liaison will naturally be maintained between the review groups to ensure a coordinated approach.