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Hon Barry House; Hon Ljiljanna Ravlich

SCHOOLS, STUDENT TO COMPUTER RATIO

2040. Hon Barry House to the Minister for Education and Training

Will the Minister advise -

- (1) What is the target for the student to computer ratio in -
 - (a) public primary schools; and
 - (b) public secondary schools?
- (2) What is the current average student to computer ratio in -
 - (a) public primary schools; and
 - (b) public secondary schools?
- (3) Which public primary and secondary schools currently have -
 - (a) the highest student to computer ratio and what is that ratio; and
 - (b) the lowest student to computer ratio and what is that ratio?
- (4) What was the average student to computer ratio in public primary and secondary schools in the years -
 - (a) 1996-1997;
 - (b) 1997-1998;
 - (c) 1998-1999;
 - (d) 1999-2000;
 - (e) 2000-2001;
 - (f) 2001-2002;
 - (g) 2002-2003; and
 - (h) 2003-2004?

Hon LJILJANNA RAVLICH replied:

- (1) (a) A minimum of 10:1
 - (b) A minimum of 5:1
- (2) (a)-(b) Data has yet to be collected for 2005.
- (3) Northam Primary School 18.7:1. Melville Senior High School 10.1:1.
 - (b) Kalgoorlie School of the Air 1:1. John Willcock College 0.9:1.

(4)(a-h)

Year	Primary	Secondary
1997	18:1	10:1
1998	14:1	8:1
1999	10:1	6:1
2000	8:1	5:1
2001	7:1	4:1
2002	6:1	4:1
2003	Survey	Survey
	not conducted	not conducted
2004	6:1	4:1