

AGRICULTURE, REPORT ON REVIEW OF AGWEST RESEARCH SUPPORT UNITS

342. Hon M G House to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture

- (1) Will the Minister make public the Report on *Review of Agwest Research Support Units*?
- (2) Does the Minister intend to close the Mt Barker Research Station, or any other research station?
- (3) What action does the Minister intend to take with regard to this report?

Mr LOGAN replied:

1. No. The report is an internal Departmental document which is still under deliberation.

2 and 3.

It is my intention to take the outcomes of this review through a consultation process with both the Pastoralists and Graziers Association and the Western Australian Farmers Federation, as well as seeking input from local stakeholders, as part of the Department's consideration of this review.