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# GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, QANTAS CLUB OR OTHER AIRLINE MEMBERSHIP PROGRAMS

- 1984. Mrs C.L. Edwardes to the Minister for Consumer and Employment Protection; Indigenous Affairs; Minister Assisting the Minister for Public Sector Management
- (1) What are the full names and classifications of all officers who have Qantas Club memberships, or other Airline membership programs paid for by the taxpayer within your portfolio for the financial years 2001/2002 and/or 2002/2003?
- (2) What are the amounts paid for each of the officers for the financial years 2001/2002 and/or 2002/2003?
- (3) Will the Minister table the policy document in respect to the entitlement for an airline membership?
- (4) If not, why not?
- (5) Will the Minister provide the full names and classifications of all officers who have an entitlement to fly business class?

## Mr J.C. KOBELKE replied:

Department of Consumer and Employment Protection

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(1)	Brian Bradley	Group 3
	Patrick Walker	Group 1
	Nina Lyhne	Class 2
	Jeff Radisich	Class 1
	Albert Koenig	Class 1
	Kevan McGill	Level 9
	Brian Roche	Level 9
	Gary Newcombe	Level 9
	Barbara Macnish	Level 9
	Anne Driscoll	Level 9
	Gail McGowan	Level 9
	Geoff Wood	Level 8
	David Hillyard	Level 8
(2)		2001/02
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(2)		2001/02	2002/03		
` /	Brian Bradley	Free Membership	due to extensive travel commitmen	nts	
	Patrick Walker	Free Membership	Free Membership due to extensive travel commitments		
	Nina Lyhne	\$195.00	Nil		
	Jeff Radisich	\$195.00	\$195.00		
	Albert Koenig	\$325.00	Nil		
	Kevan McGill	\$220.00	Nil		
	Brian Roche	\$374.00	Nil		
	Gary Newcombe	\$512.00	Nil		
	Barbara Macnish	\$374.00	Nil		
	Anne Driscoll	\$512.00	Nil		
	Gail McGowan	\$325.00	Nil		
	Geoff Wood	\$220.00	Nil		
	David Hillyard	\$382.00	\$195.00		

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  - In particular, Part 9 stipulates that Chief Executive Officers are responsible for determining whether to meet the cost of Government officers joining or maintaining membership of airline lounge facilities, frequent flyer schemes or similar services, and suggests some considerations relevant to the CEO's decision.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) Part 4 of the Guidelines for Official Travel by Ministers and Government Officers states that Economy Class will be used for all official domestic and overseas travel, with the exceptions set out in 4.2.

## Department of Indigenous Affairs

(1) Richard Curry Group 2

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	Charles Vinci	Level 9	
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	Vanessa Davies	Level 9	
	Lyne Acacio	Level 8	
	Mary Cowley	Level 8	
	Richard May	Level 8	
(2)		2001/02	2002/03
	Richard Curry	\$185.00	\$336.00
	Charles Vinci	\$438.00	\$520.00
	Vanessa Davies	\$185.00	
	Lyne Acacio		\$347.00
	Mary Cowley		\$212.00
	Richard May		\$424.00

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### Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission

(1)	John Spurling Alex Watt John Ross Kelvin McCann Susan Bastian	Group 1 Level 8 Level 7 Level 6 Level 6	
(2)		2001/02	2002/03
	John Spurling	Nil	\$254.92
	Alex Watt	Nil	\$254.92
	John Rossi	Nil	\$254.92
	Kelvin McCann	Nil	\$254.92
	Susan Bastian	Nil	\$254.92

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## WorkCover WA

- (1) None.
- (2)-(5) Not Applicable.

Construction Industry Long Service Leave Payments Board

- (1) None.
- (2)-(5) Not Applicable.