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Hon Barry House; Hon Graham Giffard

MARGARET RIVER SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, BUSSELL HIGHWAY PEDESTRIAN UNDERPASS

1112. Hon BARRY HOUSE to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Education and Training:

- (1) Has an approach been received from the Margaret River Senior High School, and other educational institutions in the area, pursuing a pedestrian underpass under Bussell Highway to significantly improve safety at this site?
- (2) What is the required criteria for an underpass to be provided?
- (3) Have discussions occurred with Main Roads in the interests of a collaborative approach to this issue?
- (4) Has this proposed underpass been costed?

Hon GRAHAM GIFFARD replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question. The answer was provided in the following terms -

- (1) A submission from the Margaret River Senior High School was received in September 2004, which is being investigated by the Department of Education and Training.
- (2) This is not a responsibility of the Department of Education and Training and should be directed to the minister's colleague, the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure.
- (3) No discussions have been held with Main Roads.
- (4) No.