

MINISTERIAL OFFICES, GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES — REVIEWS, INQUIRIES,
COMMITTEES AND TASKFORCES

148. Hon Sally Talbot to the Minister for Environment representing the Minister for Tourism

In relation to all Agencies, including the Ministerial office, that fall under the Minister's responsibility, will the Minister provide information on the following, —

- (1) Since 23 September 2008, what, —
 - (a) reviews;
 - (b) inquiries;
 - (c) committees; and
 - (d) taskforces,have been established?
- (2) What was the start date and also the expected completion date for each, —
 - (a) review;
 - (b) inquiry;
 - (c) committee; and
 - (d) taskforce?
- (3) Who chairs each, —
 - (a) review;
 - (b) inquiry;
 - (c) committee; and
 - (d) taskforce?
- (4) What is the estimated budget for each, —
 - (a) review;
 - (b) inquiry;
 - (c) committee; and
 - (d) taskforce?

Hon DONNA FARAGHER replied:

Ministerial Office

(1) (a)-(d) None

(2)-(4) Not applicable

Tourism WA

- (1) (a)
 - (i) Review of Tourist Accommodation Development in Western Australia.
 - (ii) Review of the Western Australian Indigenous Tourism Operators Committee (WAITOC)
 - (iii) Review of the Regional Tourism Organisations (RTO).
- (b) None
- (c) Tourism Industry Roundtable
- (d) None
- (2) (a)
 - (i) Commenced 12 February 2009; due to be completed end of August 2009.
 - (ii) Commenced 20 February 2009; due to be completed end of April 2009.
 - (iii) Commenced 9 February 2009; due to be completed end of June 2009.
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Commenced 10 February 2009; ongoing during the current economic downturn.
- (d) Not applicable

- (3) (a)
 - (i) Patricia Ridsdale
 - (ii) Not applicable (No Chair; a Steering Committee will oversee the project with representation from Tourism WA (2 staff) and the Office of Aboriginal Economic Development (1 staff).
 - (iii) Stephanie Buckland.
 - (b) Not applicable
 - (c) Stephanie Buckland
 - (d) Not applicable
- (4) (a)
 - (i) \$150 000 has been budgeted for work to be undertaken by external consultants to be sourced through a tender process.
 - (ii) \$43 934 is the quotation received from the successful external consultant which tendered to conduct the review.
 - (iii) \$110 000 has been budgeted for work to be undertaken by external consultants to be sourced through a tender process.
 - (b) Not applicable
 - (c) Nil
 - (d) Not applicable

Rottnest Island Authority

- (1) (a)-(d) None
- (2)-(4) Not applicable