

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, RIGHT OF ENTRY TO PRIVATE PROPERTY,  
STATUTES

2044. Mr M.G. House to the Minister for Tourism; Small Business; Sport and Recreation; Peel and the South West

- (1) Will the Minister provide the details of the statutes under his ministerial portfolio that allow officers of the department, agencies or persons appointed by them to enter private property -
  - (a) with a warrant; and
  - (b) without a warrant?
- (2) Will the Minister detail the circumstances under which such entry may be exercised?
- (3) Will the Minister advise whether there is a difference with regard to such entry between -
  - (a) a private residential property; and
  - (b) other private property?

Mr R.C. KUCERA replied:

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN TOURISM COMMISSION; SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION; DEPARTMENT OF SPORT & RECREATION; WA SPORTS CENTRE TRUST; WESTERN AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF SPORT; PEEL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; SOUTH WEST DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

1. None
2. Not applicable.
3. Not applicable.

ROTTNEST ISLAND AUTHORITY

1.
  - (a) Nil.
  - (b) Rottnest Island Authority Act 1987, Part 29(b) Rangers without a warrant.
2. Rottnest Island Authority Act 1987, Part 29 (1) states:  
'A ranger, who finds a person committing an offence to which this section applies or who on reasonable grounds suspects that such an offence has been committed or is about to be committed by a person may:
  - (a) require the person to give him the person's name and address; and
  - (b) enter any premises and stop, detain, and search any vessel or vehicle if a person in the premises or in or on the vessel or vehicle is, or is suspected by him on reasonable grounds of being, the offender'.
3. No difference specified in the Rottnest Island Authority Act 1987. There is no private residential property on Rottnest Island.