

AIR QUALITY COORDINATING COMMITTEE

77. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the minister representing the Minister for Environment:

- (1) How many times did the Air Quality Coordinating Committee meet in 2008–09, 2009–10 and since July 2010?
- (2) Who are the current members of the Air Quality Coordinating Committee, how long has each of them served and what are their terms of office?
- (3) When did the committee last report on the implementation of the Perth Air Quality Management Plan and review progress towards achieving the aims of the plan?
- (4) About what issues has the committee provided advice to the government since September 2008?

Hon HELEN MORTON replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of this question.

- (1) The Air Quality Coordinating Committee met once in 2008–09, twice in 2009–10 and has not met since July 2010.
- (2) I table the attached information, and seek leave to have it incorporated into *Hansard*.

Leave granted. [See paper 3063.]

The following material was incorporated —

Air Quality Coordinating Committee

Membership

The committee is ongoing and there is no set term of office for members.

Agency	Name	Date appointed
Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC)	Stuart Cowie (Chair)	15 Dec 2009
Royal Automobile Club WA (RAC)	Matthew Brown	31 Oct 2010
Department of Health (DOH)	Jim Dodds	14 March 2005
	Proxy - Mirella Goetzmann	
Kwinana Industries Council (KIC)	Gavin Scally	19 Feb 2009
Department of Planning (DoP)	Ashley Wilson	15 Dec 2009
	Proxy - Zoe Hendry	
Conservation Council WA (CCWA)	Philip Jennings	14 March 2005
Department of Commerce (DoC) (Building Commission)	Angela Heymans	19 Feb 2009
Pollution Action Network (PAN)	Sue Graham-Taylor	14 March 2005
City of Canning/WALGA	Beverly Olsen	19 Feb 2009
Department of Transport (DoT)	Luke O'Donoghue	15 Dec 2009
	Proxy - Honor Putland	
Office of Energy (OOE)	Stephanie Doeltsch	15 Dec 2009

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- (3) The “Implementing the Perth Air Quality Management Plan — Progress Report to June 2006” was published on 15 November 2007. The progress report 2006–09 has been finalised and is currently being prepared for publication. The progress report 2009–10 is currently being compiled by the committee.
 - (4) The committee continues to assess and report against the Perth Air Quality Management Plan implementation strategy. The implementation strategy, which was released in June 2002, was developed to provide a framework for how the 126 actions would be carried out by the state government agencies and other involved organisations. The committee has most recently contributed to the development of the progress report 2006–09 and the compilation of progress report 2009–10. In compiling these reports, the committee has considered and provided advice regarding a broad range of issues, including air monitoring and research, bushfire prevention and other burning, community education information, domestic activities, health research, industrial emissions, land use and transport planning, and transport emissions.

