

CORONAVIRUS — INTRASTATE TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS

223. Ms M.J. DAVIES to the Minister for Police:

I have a supplementary question. I thank the minister. That certainly clarifies some of the information that our offices have been receiving. Is a frequently asked questions information document being contemplated by WA police or government to be published to assist in clarifying some of the things we are regularly being asked?

Mrs M.H. ROBERTS replied:

I will effectively take that request on notice. I am very mindful of police and government capacity at the moment. If it is within our capacity to do that without taking people off the front line and potentially more urgent or important tasks, we will certainly do that. In normal circumstances, I would not hesitate; I would say, “Sure, we can do that.” I know the pressures that police officers and other police staff are currently under. Although the member’s suggestion makes sense, and, yes, we would like to do it, it will be a matter of practicality and priorities for the Western Australia Police Force.