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ABORIGINAL HOUSING — KIMBERLEY

145. Hon SHELLEY EATON to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Housing and Works:

- (1) Has the government completed the audit of Aboriginal housing needs in the Kimberley?
- (2) If yes to (1), will the government table a copy of the audit report?
- (3) What steps will the government take to resolve Aboriginal housing needs in the Kimberley?
- (4) What targets will be set for maximum occupancy rates for all Aboriginal communities to ensure adequate housing in this region?

Hon BARRY HOUSE replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question.

- (1) The physical audit is complete.
- (2) No report is being developed; audit information is being entered into a database.
- (3) The government is in bilateral discussions with the commonwealth government to develop an implementation plan as part of the remote Indigenous housing national partnership agreement.
- (4) This is part of the above implementation plan being developed.