INQUIRIES, TERMS OF REFERENCE, BUDGETS, MEMBERSHIP AND REPORTS

1530.   Mr Graham to the Minister for the Environment and Heritage

Since 10 Feb 2001 -

(a)   how many inquiries chaired by Members of Parliament have been instigated in the Minister's areas of portfolio responsibility;

(b)   what are the terms of reference of each inquiry;

(c)   does each inquiry have its own budget;

(d)   if the answer to (c) is yes, how much is the budget for each inquiry;

(e)   if the answer to (c) is no, how are the costs of each inquiry being met, and what is the cost of each inquiry;

(f)   who is the chair of each inquiry;

(g)   are any other Members of Parliament involved with the inquiry;

(h)   if the answer to (g) is yes, which particular members are involved;

(i)   on what date is each inquiry required to report;

(j)   will the reports of each inquiry be made public;

(k)   if the answer to (j) is yes, how will each inquiry report be released to the public;

(l)   if the answer to (j) is no, what are the reasons for not releasing the reports of each inquiry?

Mrs ROBERTS replied:

Department of Transport

(a)   Nil.

(b)   N/A.

(c)   N/A

(d)   N/A.

(e)   N/A.

(f)   N/A.

(g)   N/A.

(h)   N/A.

(i)   N/A.

(j)   N/A.

(k)   N/A.

(l)   N/A.

Western Australia Fire Brigade Superannuation Board

(a)   None

(b)   N/A.

(c)   N/A

(d)   N/A.

(e)   N/A.

(f)   N/A.

(g)   N/A.

(h)   N/A.

(i)   N/A.

(j)   N/A.

(k)   N/A.

(l)   N/A.

Fire and Emergency Services

(a)   The Fire and Emergency Services Authority (FESA) was required to provide information only for two inquiries including the Bellevue Inquiry and the Emergency Services Legislation Inquiry.

FESA did not instigate the inquiries and is therefore not able to answer parts (b) to (l) of the question.

Western Australia Police Service

(a)   None

(b)-(l)   N/A