

KALBARRI DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL — VACCINATION PROGRAM

849. Hon MATT BENSON-LIDHOLM to the minister representing the Minister for Education:

I refer to the year 7 school vaccination program at Kalbarri District High School, and in particular vaccinations given on Thursday, 16 September.

- (1) When were parents informed of vaccinations given on Thursday, 16 September?
- (2) Can the minister confirm that notification of vaccinations was not provided by correspondence, but rather through the general school newsletter?
- (3) When was the newsletter distributed and was it handed to students or sent to their homes as a mail-out or otherwise?
- (4) Did the newsletter give the date when the vaccinations would be given; and, if yes, what was that date?

Hon PETER COLLIER replied:

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

In relation to the year 7 school vaccination program at Kalbarri District High School, believed by the honourable member to have taken place on 16 September, I answer as follows —

- (1) The school has advised that no vaccinations were given to students on Thursday, 16 September 2010.
- (2)–(4) Not applicable, as vaccinations did not take place on 16 September.