

NICHOLSON ROAD AND THORNLIE ROAD RAILWAY STATION PRECINCTS

84. Hon DERRICK TOMLINSON to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure:

- (1) Did the minister commission Hames Sharley to undertake a study of transit oriented development within the proposed Nicholson Road and Thornlie Road railway station precincts?
- (2) Was a draft final report presented to the Department for Planning and Infrastructure in May of this year?
- (3) Did the department present Hames Sharley with comments upon that draft report?
- (4) Was a final report presented to the department?
- (5) Will the minister table a copy of the draft report and the final report?

Hon GRAHAM GIFFARD replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question.

- (1) Yes. The Western Australian Planning Commission commissioned the report to investigate land use and transport integration around the future railway station at Thornlie and a possible future station at Nicholson Road.
- (2) No. A first draft report was presented.
- (3) Yes. Comments on the first draft report were provided by the consultative steering committee members comprising representatives of the Department for Planning and Infrastructure, Perth Urban Rail Development, Main Roads WA and the Cities of Canning and Gosnells. Further comments by the consultative steering committee members on the second draft report will be sought shortly.
- (4) No.
- (5) The report will be referred to the Western Australian Planning Commission for its consideration prior to referral to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure. It is usual practice for the report to be made available to the public in due course.