

RAILWAYS, GREENWOOD STATION AND CLARKSON EXTENSION

1595. Hon. C.L. Edwardes to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

I refer the Minister to her media statement of 2 May 2001, and ask -

- (a) have the tenders been called for the Greenwood Train Station and, if not, when will they be called;
- (b) what is the forecast completion date of the Greenwood Train Station; and
- (c) what is the forecast completion date of the Clarkson rail extension?

Ms MacTIERNAN replied:

- (a)-(c) Tenders for the construction of the Greenwood Station are expected to be called in February 2003, with completion of the station expected in mid 2004. The completion of the Clarkson rail extension is expected at the same time. The revised dates coincide with the land development at Clarkson and the delivery schedule of the new railcars. In the meantime, other major infrastructure contracts for this project have advanced, including earthworks, the Burns Beach Road Bridge and the contract for railway works including alterations to facilitate the construction at Greenwood has been let.