

WARREN DISTRICT HOSPITAL, DOWNGRADING OF AFTER-HOURS MEDICAL SERVICES

246. Mr P.D. OMODEI to the Minister for Health:

As a supplementary question, is the Minister for Health aware that, last weekend, St John Ambulance and the police delivered accident victims to the Bunbury Regional Hospital and other local hospitals because there were no doctors at Manjimup? What will the minister do about that?

Mr R.C. KUCERA replied:

I am aware of that. I compliment and thank the wonderful people from St John Ambulance volunteers programs for their work. If the member for Warren-Blackwood cannot understand the fairly detailed and principled answer I just gave to his question, he is doing his electors a disservice.