

WOOROLOO PRISON FARM — SEX OFFENDERS

531. Hon PETER COLLIER to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Corrective Services:

It is my turn!

- (1) Has it been accepted practice that the minimum security Wooroloo Prison Farm does not hold sex offenders?
- (2) Has Wooroloo Prison Farm recently been requested to receive sex offenders by the Adult Male Prisons Directorate?
- (3) If yes to (2), why has there been a shift in the policy to place sex offenders in Wooroloo Prison Farm?

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question. The following answer has been provided to me by the Minister for Corrective Services.

- (1)–(3) The Department of Justice will not be placing prisoners serving sentences for sexual offences at Wooroloo Prison Farm.