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COMMUNITY SPORTING AND RECREATION FACILITIES FUND

738. Hon MATT BENSON-LIDHOLM to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Sport and Recreation:

I refer to the community sporting and recreation facilities fund.

- (1) Can the minister confirm that the current eligible funding round for the fund is the 2013–14 funding round?
- (2) If no to (1), can the minister please advise what the current finding round is and the cut-off date for that round?
- Once applicants are approved for this funding round, from which financial year will their funds be drawn?
- (4) Why does the amount allocated to the community sporting and recreation facilities fund drop from \$27.34 million in 2011–12 to \$8.491 million in 2015–16?
- Does the minister expect the fund to be increased in 2015–16 to meet the levels of previous years; and, if so, by how much and where will the funds come from?

Hon NORMAN MOORE replied:

I thank the member for some notice of this question.

- (1) Yes. The current eligible funding round for the CSRFF is the 2013–14 funding round.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) From 2013–14, 2014–15 and 2015–16; funds are allocated over a triennium.
- (4) This reflects the current budget appropriation and cash flow.
- (5) The state government is committed to retaining the CSRFF program at its current level, which is twice what it used to be before we became the government.