

OCEAN BEACH, DENMARK — BOAT-LAUNCHING FACILITIES

200. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the minister representing the Minister for Regional Development:

- (1) Has the Great Southern Development Commission or any other government funding body received any submissions or applications, or other notification from any source, regarding the need for new boat-launching facilities to replace the existing over-beach arrangement at Ocean Beach in Denmark?
- (2) If yes to (1), who made the approach to GSDC or other funding body?
- (3) What is the projected cost of such a facility?
- (4) What is the time line for establishing the facility?
- (5) Where would such a facility be located?

Hon DONNA FARAGHER replied:

On behalf of the Minister for Housing representing the Minister for Regional Development, I thank the member for some notice of the question. The minister has provided the following response.

- (1) The Department of Transport's recreational boating facilities scheme grant program has received an application for an Ocean Beach alternative launch and retrieval facility study.
- (2) The Shire of Denmark made the approach.
- (3)–(5) The application received by the Department of Transport from the Shire of Denmark is for a study only to determine the need for new boat-launching facilities at Ocean Beach. Other details such as cost, time lines and location are yet to be considered.