

JARRAHWOOD, LEASES

80. Hon Barry House to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- (1) Why are DOLA leases at Jarrahwood restricted to 12 months?
 - (2) Will the Government consider longer leases, with appropriate conditions, committing lessees to local shire and health regulations etc. to encourage better care and maintenance of the properties and surrounding areas?
 - (3) If not, why not?

Hon G.T. GIFFARD replied:

- (1) In 1994 the lease terms were restricted to 12 months until the future of the settlement was determined by the Shire of Busselton, Jarrahwood Community Association and DOLA.
- (2) The Shire of Busselton, DOLA and the Jarrahwood Community Association have had lengthy negotiations over the long term future of the settlement and a number of options are currently under consideration including the extension of the term for the current leases.
- (3) As above.