

DERBY — NEW POLICE STATION

**68. Hon SHELLEY ARCHER to the minister representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services:**

I refer to the building and construction of a new police station in Derby.

- (1) Will the minister confirm that a new police station will be built in Derby as planned?
- (2) If a new station is not to be built, how will the minister ensure that an adequate facility is provided for staff and the community of Derby?

**Hon JON FORD replied:**

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question. The Minister for Police and Emergency Services has supplied the following answer —

- (1) In light of a poor construction tender outcome, Western Australia Police, in conjunction with the Department of Housing and Works, is currently reviewing the options for addressing the accommodation issues at Derby Police Station.
- (2) WA Police is committed to ensuring that an adequate facility is provided for police and the community of Derby.