

GOVERNMENT VEHICLES, MS WOODS

1157. Hon. C.L. Edwardes to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs

I refer the Minister to *The West Australian* article of 29 September 2001 entitled 'State refuses to punish officer', and ask -

- (a) did the A/Director General receive legal advice internally or externally in respect to the action to be taken in respect to Ms Woods and the unauthorised use of a Q plate Government motor vehicle;
- (b) what were the recommendations of that legal advice;
- (c) did the A/Director General follow those recommendations;
- (d) are there other matters, which Ms Woods is or has, been investigated for;
- (e) if so, have those investigations been completed; and
- (f) if so, what are those matters and the outcome of those matters?

Mr CARPENTER replied:

- a) The A/Director General received internal legal written advice
- b) The advice outlined the requirements of the Public Sector Management Act (1994)
- c) Yes
- d) Yes
- e) Yes
- f) A matter of misplaced Departmental monies has been dealt with under the requirements of the Public Sector Management Act (1994)