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PFAS CONTAMINATION — FORRESTFIELD-AIRPORT LINK

502. Hon TJORN SIBMA to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Transport:

Hold onto your hats, members; this might trigger some people!

I refer to the total volume of perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substances-contaminated soil — Several members interjected.

Hon TJORN SIBMA: The mantle has been passed!

I refer to the total volume of PFAS-contaminated soil in the construction of tunnels for the Forrestfield-Airport Link.

- (1) Where is this contaminated soil presently located?
- (2) What does the government intend to do with this contaminated soil?

Several members interjected.

The PRESIDENT: Order!

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

Indeed, by interjection, Hon Dr Steve Thomas just answered the member's question!

- (1) The location is 77 Abernethy Road, Forrestfield.
- (2) The soil continues to be used as backfill on transport projects, as previously announced.