

INDIGENOUS IMPLEMENTATION BOARD

782. Hon SALLY TALBOT to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs:

Is the minister aware of the Indigenous Implementation Board's view that consultation on regional governance reform is a legitimate cost against royalties for regions?

- (1) Does the minister accept this view; and, if not, why not?
- (2) If the minister accepts this view, what is the minister doing to secure the funding?

Hon PETER COLLIER replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1) Consideration of royalties for regions funding proposals is a matter for the Minister for Regional Development.
- (2) Not applicable.