

SPORT AND RECREATION, NORTH WEST, SAFETY STANDARDS IN OUTDOOR RECREATIONAL
INDUSTRY

1447. Mr L. Graham to the Minister for Sport and Recreation

I refer to the announcement made in December 2002 that the Government would fund the peak body for the State's outdoor recreation industry by providing Outdoors WA with a total of \$60,000 to help implement recommendations from the report to increase safety standards in the outdoor recreational industry, and ask –

- (a) how much of the proposed \$60,000 is to be spent on programs in the North West of the State;
- (b) in which towns and communities will the funds be spent;
- (c) who will be responsible for administering the funds; and
- (d) when will the programs commence operation in each town referred to above?

Mr A.J. CARPENTER replied:

- (a) Funds are to support Outdoors WA and implementation of National Registration and Accreditation Schemes
- (b) Funds are for State-wide use
- (c) Outdoors WA
- (d) Implementation commencing in 2003