

INNOVATION COMMERCIALISATION ASSISTANCE SCHEMES

407. Hon BARRY HOUSE to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Innovation:

I refer to the government's innovation commercialisation assistance schemes as referred to in question 622 on 24 August 2006.

- (1) Which of these schemes are designed to assist small or new companies in commercialising their innovations?
- (2) How does each of these schemes assist these companies?
- (3) How many companies have been assisted by each of these schemes over the last 12 months?
- (4) How much financial assistance has been provided to these companies over the last 12 months?
- (5) Which companies have been assisted by these schemes?

Hon KIM CHANCE replied:

I thank Hon Barry House for providing some notice of the question, but providing the information in the time required has not been possible and I request the honourable member to place the question on notice.