<u>Section 82 Notice – Financial Management Act 2006</u>

Pursuant to section 82(1)(a) of the *Financial Management Act 2006*, I give notice to both houses that I am unable to provide an answer to Legislative Council Question on Notice 35 section (3).

Notice is also being provided to the Auditor General, as required by section 82(1)(b) of the *Financial Management Act 2006*.

The question refers to tabling of the business cases prepared for each Water for Food project.

I am unable to provide the business cases requested as the current Government does not have access to the Business Cases. They are Cabinet-in-Confidence documents of the previous Government. They formed part of submissions to Cabinet and therefore are Cabinet in Confidence.

Hon Dave Kelly MLA MINISTER FOR WATER

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL Question On Notice

Thursday, 25 May 2017

35. Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Water

- (1) Has a business case been prepared for each Water for Food project?
- (2) If yes to (1), will the Minister please table the business cases for each Water for Food project?
- (3) If no to (2), why not?

Answer

- (1) Yes
- (2) No
- (3) The current Government does not have access to the Business Cases, as they are Cabinet-in-Confidence documents of the previous Government.

