

FREMANTLE AREA — SECONDARY EDUCATION

1835. Ms S.F. McGurk to the Minister representing the Minister for Education:

- (1) Has the Department for Education prepared any briefings, reports or reviews to the Minister for Education regarding the current and future structure and/or performance of secondary education in the wider Fremantle area since 2008?
- (2) Can the Minister provide details and copies of these briefings, reports or reviews?
- (3) Has the Minister asked the Department of Education to prepare a public consultation program on the future of education in Fremantle and, if not, why not?
- (4) Can the Minister outline his plans for offering a full range of Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) courses at all secondary schools in the Fremantle area and, if not, why not?
- (5) Can the Minister outline his plans for consulting the community about secondary education options in Fremantle and, if not, why not?

**Mr J.H.D. Day replied:**

- (1) Yes.
- (2) [See paper 1441.]

These documents were provided to the Standing Committee on Estimates and Financial Operations on Thursday, 24 September 2013. Please note the majority of documents regarding this matter are considered to be Cabinet in Confidence and have, therefore, not been included.

- (3) Yes.
- (4) No. The community consultation will assist in deciding the future approach.
- (5) An announcement in relation to the consultation process will be made in the near future.