

PREMIER'S AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN PUBLIC SECTOR MANAGEMENT

2924. Mr T.R. Buswell to the Minister representing the Minister for Child Protection; Communities; Women's Interests; Seniors and Volunteering

I refer to applications by Government agencies and institutions for the most recent Premier's Awards, and I ask:

- (a) did any Government department within the Minister's portfolios apply for the awards;
- (b) if yes to (a), did any of the applications, successful or not, require external consulting advice for public relations, marketing or any other assistance in preparing submissions; and
- (c) if yes to (b), what were the costs associated with each of the submissions?

Mr D.A. TEMPLEMAN replied:

THE DEPARTMENT FOR CHILD PROTECTION

(a)-(c) The Department for Child Protection did not apply for an Award.

THE DEPARTMENT FOR COMMUNITIES

- (a) Department for Communities, Office for Seniors Interests and Carers.
- (b) A consultant, Mr John Altham, was engaged under public sector guidelines to edit the proposal.
- (c) \$900