

LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

4324. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Local Government:

Has the Minister or his department staff instructed local governments to display their Tender Register on their website as recommended by the Auditor General in her report into council procurement, and if yes:

- (a) when were the instructions sent;
- (b) to which local governments were the instructions sent;
- (c) will the Minister table the correspondence sent to local governments regarding the instructions; and
- (d) did any local governments send responses to the department regarding the instructions:
  - (i) if yes, which local governments and when; and
  - (ii) what were the breakdowns of the local government responses?

**Mr D.A. Templeman replied:**

- (a) No. Instructions have not been sent. The Auditor General's report makes no recommendation in regard to Tender Registers, but refers to an action plan.
- (b)–(d) Not applicable.