

TOX-FREE WASTE INCINERATOR, KWINANA

583. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Racing and Gaming representing the Minister for Consumer and Employment Protection

In relation to the TOX-FREE waste incinerator in Kwinana -

- (1) Has TOX-FREE ever been inspected by WorkSafe?
- (2) If yes, has the operation been issued with any infringement notices?
- (3) If so, what was the nature of the infringement notices?

Hon N.D. GRIFFITHS replied:

- (1) Yes
- (2) Yes
- (3) Eight improvement notices for:
  - (a) No operator's manual for a forklift;
  - (b) Bench grinder with no guard;
  - (c) Unsecured compressed gas bottle;
  - (d) No lock-out/tag-out system in use;
  - (e) An incomplete register of hazardous substances;
  - (f) No written reports of risk assessments for the use of hazardous substances;
  - (g) Training provided to employees on the use of hazardous substances was incomplete; and
  - (h) No written records of training provided on the use of hazardous substances.

One prohibition notice for:

- (a) Portable electrical power board sitting on a wet surface.