

RAIL LINES — ARMADALE — DISRUPTION

2796. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the train disruption to the Armadale rail line on Tuesday, 3 March 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

Hon Jim Chown replied:

- (a) 9.20pm
- (b) There was no technical issues responsible for the delay as a train struck a person on the rail line before Challis station.
- (c) Full services resumed from 5.05am on Wednesday 4 March 2015.
- (d) Trains continued to operate between Perth and Gosnells and 15 train services were cancelled between Gosnells and Armadale (and return).