

SKELETON WEED LEVY, DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS

Hon MURRAY CRIDDLE to the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries:

As there has been a significant rise in the predicted grain harvest, will the minister give an assurance that the moneys raised from the skeleton weed levy will be distributed in accordance with the Plant Pests and Diseases (Eradication Funds) Act 1974?

Hon KIM CHANCE replied:

That question was on notice, but I do not have a copy with me. I have been involved in this matter and I can answer, yes; I can give that undertaking.