

WESTRAIL, TENDER NO 0100

19. Hon Bob Thomas to the Minister for Transport:

With regard to Westrail Tender 0100 for design, supply, construction, installation, testing, and commissioning of self restoring points between Menzies and Salmon Gums and alterations to existing self restoring points sites -

- (1) How many sets of self restoring points were needed for this tender?
- (2) At what railway sidings have they been located?
- (3) Were more than one set needed at each siding?
- (4) If so, which ones?
- (5) Which firm was awarded the contract?
- (6) In the past, would railway department staff members have handled this construction?
- (7) What was the cost of the total work done?

Hon M.J. CRIDDLE replied:

- (1) Eight.
- (2) The tender is still being evaluated. However, it is intended to locate the points at Menzies, Scotia, Kambalda, Higginsville, Norseman and Salmon Gums.
- (3)-(4) Two sets of points are required at Menzies and Scotia.
- (5) A contract has not yet been awarded.
- (6) No.
- (7) A contract has not yet been awarded.