

MINISTER FOR SENIORS AND AGEING — PORTFOLIOS — COMPUTER NETWORK SECURITY

556. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering; Sport and Recreation:

In respect of the Minister's portfolio responsibilities for departments, agencies or publicly owned corporations:

- (a) how much money was spent on anti-virus, network security, firewall or anti-malware software in the last financial year;
- (b) from 17 March 2017 to 19 May 2017, have there been any reported instances of:
  - (i) Viruses:
    - (A) if so, what systems were affected, for how long and was there any downtime (in hours) for each system;
  - (ii) Malware:
    - (A) if so, what systems were affected, for how long and was there any downtime (in hours) for each system;
  - (iii) Cyber-attack:
    - (A) if so, what systems were affected, for how long and was there any downtime (in hours) for each system; and
    - (B) was this attack reported to the WA or Australian Federal Police? If not, why not;
  - (iv) DNS attack:
    - (A) if so, what systems or websites were affected, for how long and was there any downtime (in hours) for each system; and
    - (B) was this attack reported to the WA or Australian Federal Police? If not, why not; and
  - (v) Infected websites:
    - (A) if so, what websites were infected / hacked, for how long and was there any downtime (in hours) for each system; and
- (c) From 17 March 2017 to 19 May 2017 have any network files been illegally accessed by external individuals or organisations:
  - (i) if so, what files were illegally accessed and when;
  - (ii) if so, were the WA Police or Australian Federal Police informed of this illegal access; and
  - (iii) if not, why not?

**Mr M.P. Murray replied:**

Department of Sport and Recreation

- (a) Please refer to clause (a) of Legislative Assembly Question on Notice 549.
- (b) Reported instances  
4 viruses detected.
  - (A) No downtime.  
No Malware detected.
  - (A) Not applicable.  
No Cyber Attacks detected.
  - (A) Not applicable.  
No DNS Attacks detected.
  - (A) Not applicable.  
No Infected websites detected.
  - (A) Not applicable.
- (c) No detected instances.
  - (i)–(iii) Not applicable.

Department of Local Government and Communities

- (a) Please refer to clause (a) of Legislative Assembly Question on Notice 549.
- (b) Reported instances
  - No viruses detected.
    - (A) Not applicable.  
No Malware detected.
    - (A) Not applicable.  
No Cyber Attacks detected.
    - (A) Not applicable.  
No DNS Attacks detected.
    - (A) Not applicable.  
No Infected websites detected.
    - (A) Not applicable.
- (c) No detected instances.
  - (i)–(iii) Not applicable.