

WATER TESTING, 900 ROCKINGHAM ROAD, HYDROCARBON CONTAMINATION

1726. Hon Jim Scott to the Minister for Local Government and Regional Development representing the Minister for the Environment

- (1) Has the DoE carried out any sampling tests of the household drinking water from 900 Rockingham Road in response to the resident's complaints about hydrocarbon contamination?
- (2) If yes, will the Minister table the results of the testing?

Hon TOM STEPHENS replied:

The Minister for the Environment has provided the following response:

- (1) Yes, the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) conducted sampling of the bore located at 900 Rockingham Road on 7 January 2004. The owner of the property advised the DEP that she was not using groundwater from this bore (No. MC-01) for drinking water.
- (2) I now seek leave to table the results of the analysis (Attachment 1). All sample results are below the relevant drinking water guidelines. [See paper No 2063.]