Extract from Hansard

[ASSEMBLY — Tuesday, 8 May 2018] p2236b-2237a Mr Zak Kirkup; Mr Mick Murray

MINISTER FOR SENIORS AND AGEING — PORTFOLIOS — WIRELESS NETWORKS

2668. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering; Sport and Recreation:

Does any department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control maintain any wireless network that monitors a third-party's WiFi MAC (Media Access Control) or bluetooth address and if so:

- (a) Where is the wireless network located and who is being monitored;
- (b) What company supplies the software and/or hardware to monitor the addresses, what was the upfront and ongoing annual cost;
- (c) Why was the decision made to monitor the addresses;
- (d) What information is harvested as part of this monitoring, how is it stored and how long is it retained; and
- (e) Are the third-party's aware of the monitoring and do they have any way to opt-out?

Mr M.P. Murray replied:

Sport and Recreation (WA)

(a)–(e) Please refer to Legislative Assembly Question on Notice no. 2670.

Department of Communities:

(a)–(e) Please refer to Legislative Assembly Question on Notice no. 2663.

<u>VenuesWest:</u>

(a) HBF Stadium, 100 Stephenson Av, Mt Claremont

WA Athletics Stadium, Stephenson Av, Mt Claremont

Bendat Basketball Stadium, Stephenson Av, Mt Claremont

HBF Arena, Kennedya Drive, Joondalup

SpeedDome, Eddie Barron Dr, Middle Swan

- (b) Ruckus Wireless: \$8,500 P/A annual software maintenance
- (c) Basic connectivity requirement, location awareness and troubleshooting.
- (d) The following information is collected:

Start time

End time

Client MAC

Client IP Address

Client IPv6 Address

Core Type

MVNO Name

AP MAC

SSID

Bytes from Client

Bytes to Client

Packets from Client

Packets to Client

Dropped Packets from Client

Dropped Packets to Client

Information is stored on the server running the software. It is stored for three days, at which point the data is over-ridden.

(e) All users of the service must accept terms and conditions that notify the 3rd party that there is monitoring in place. Should they opt out, they cannot access the service.