

DRIVER'S LICENCE TESTS

825. Hon Ken Travers to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

- (1) Are driving schools given preference when booking driving tests?
- (2) If yes to (1), why?
- (3) Are driving schools able to book a block of driving test appointments?
- (4) Do driving schools need to provide the name of a student or learners permit number when booking driving tests?
- (5) If no to (4), what details does the driving school need to provide to book appointments?

Hon Jim Chown replied:

- (1) Yes.
- (2) The Department of Transport policy accommodates bookings for a number of driving schools with candidates who have disabilities or are required to undertake a practical driving assessment for medical fitness to hold requirements.
- (3)–(4) Yes.
- (5) Not applicable.