

WATTELUP PRIMARY SCHOOL, STUDENT NUMBERS

1054. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Education and Training

- (1) Has the Education Department made an assessment of future student numbers at Wattleup Primary School?
- (2) Does the Minister, or the Department, have any plans or proposals to close the Wattleup Primary School?

Hon GRAHAM GIFFARD replied:

1. No. Although the future student enrolments for all government primary and secondary schools are estimated each year, the combined impact on Wattleup Primary School of the proposed closure of Hope Valley Primary School at the end of 2003, and the opening of the new South Atwell Primary School in 2004, is yet to be assessed.
2. No. However, the Department of Education and Training is aware of the potential long term impact of the Fremantle Rockingham Industrial Area Regional Strategy (FRIARS) report and this will be assessed over time.