

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, RELOCATION OF OFFICES TO ROCKINGHAM

444. Mr McGOWAN to the Minister for Works; Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:

I refer to Government offices, instrumentalities and agencies under the control of the Minister and ask -

- (a) which Government offices in Perth are planned for re-location;
- (b) when do the relevant leases expire in relation to these offices;
- (c) has the Government considered re-locating any of these offices into the Rockingham City centre precinct;
- (d) if not, why not;
- (e) will the Government discuss this matter with the Rockingham City Council; and
- (f) if not, why not?

Mr JOHNSON replied:

DEPARTMENT OF CONTRACT AND MANAGEMENT SERVICES

- (a) None.
- (b) The CAMS Perth office lease (Memorandum of Understanding) expires 1 July 2001.
- (c) No.
- (d) It is important that CAMS central office be situated close to major consultancy groups and other Public Sector agencies.
- (e) No.
- (f) As per (d)

OFFICE OF CITIZENSHIP AND MULTICULTURAL INTERESTS

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Lease expires 19 February 2003 with the option of two further terms of two years each.
- (c) No.
- (d) Services offered by OCMI can be delivered more efficiently and effectively from the Perth CBD.
- (e) No.
- (f) As per (d)

STATE SUPPLY COMMISSION

- (a) Not applicable to this Agency.
- (b) The current office rental lease expires on 30 June 2003.
- (c) No.
- (d) It is important for the Commission to be situated close to the majority of the other public sector agencies in the metropolitan area.
- (e) No.
- (f) As per (d)