

PUBLIC TRANSPORT — FINES

122. Mr R.S. LOVE to the Minister for Transport:

I have a supplementary question. The minister's own social media posts such as that one did not highlight that people needed to have that card. Will the minister commit to ensuring that everybody has these fines waived?

Ms R. SAFFIOTI replied:

As I said, if people have a particular circumstance, they can appeal to the PTA. I am so proud of our summer of free public transport. Millions of people got free public transport. When I move around the state —

Mr R.S. Love interjected.

The SPEAKER: Order, please!

Ms R. SAFFIOTI: When I move around the state, I see the people who are benefiting from our capped airfares. The Leader of the Opposition did nothing in this state when he was in government. He did nothing to help with the cost of living around the state. He let airfares get out of control for residents! We capped airfares and public transport fares. For a person who is opposed to every public transport initiative we undertake in the state, whether it is building a Metronet line to Ellenbrook, the Thornlie–Cockburn link —

Several members interjected.

The SPEAKER: Order, please!

Ms R. SAFFIOTI: — or building to Yanchep, he has some audacity to come in here and pretend he cares about Western Australian public transport users. He has never cared about public transport users in the state, so do not pretend to care today!

Several members interjected.

The SPEAKER: Order, please!

Members, that concludes question time.