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Hon Jim Scott; Hon Graham Giffard

SOUTH BEACH URBAN DEVELOPMENT, COCKBURN-FREMANTLE

- 628. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure Regarding the South Beach Urban Development in Cockburn/Fremantle -
- (1) Is the Minister aware that permission has been granted to landfill the area as part of the urban development?
- (2) To what level -
 - (a) AHD; and
 - (b) ASL,

is the landfill permitted?

- (3) What is the highest level of actual landfill on the site?
- (4) Has the landfill exceeded permitted height levels?
- (5) If so, by how much?
- (6) If yes to (4), what action will the Minister take to ensure that landfill levels are set at permitted levels? Hon GRAHAM GIFFARD replied:
- (1)-(6) No, as the processes involved do not require Ministerial approval. However, the Minister has been advised by the Western Australian Planning Commission, through Development Application No. 23-50015-1, granted approval for the majority of the site to be filled to 6 metres AHD.

The Minister was further advised that the level of 6 metres AHD was a 'works in progress' approval (meaning that the levels would be subject to ongoing change). The final landfill levels are still to be approved by the City of Cockburn.