

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF SPORT — GYMNASTICS PROGRAM

935. Mr P.J. RUNDLE to the Minister for Sport and Recreation:

I have a supplementary question. I thank the minister for that response.

Given that the former gymnasts were promised some action by Christmas this year, which is only three weeks away, will the minister and the board deliver on this promise?

Mr D.A. TEMPLEMAN replied:

The clear commitment that we made was that we would, essentially, restart a process that had faltered under the previous board. That has now been achieved. I assure the member that Dr Fong and the other members of the board who have specific skills in this area, including Mr Gary Dreiberger, who has extensive experience in restorative justice matters, are well placed to deliver. As I have said, we need to be very mindful that we are dealing with people whose mental health and wellbeing need to be considered. We will do that through a process that is consultative and understanding of that importance.