

MOORE RIVER DEVELOPMENT, APPROVAL OF OUTLINE DEVELOPMENT PLAN

561. Ms MacTIERNAN to the Minister for Planning:

- (1) Is the Minister aware that the revised outline development plan approved by the Planning Commission, for the controversial development on the south side of the Moore River estuary, overrules most of the changes made by the Shire of Gingin to the original outline development plan and that this revised approval was made by the Commission without any consultation with the Shire?
- (2) Is it Government policy that major planning approvals are made without full consultation with local authorities?
- (3) If not, will the Minister instruct the Planning Commission to revisit this approval?

Mr KIERATH replied:

- (1)-(2) No
- (3) No. I am satisfied that the Western Australian Planning Commission complied with the requirements of the Shire of Gingin Town Planning Scheme No 8 in granting approval to the Outline Development Plan.