

TAXI PLATES

**808. Hon SAMANTHA ROWE to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to changes in the taxi industry and the government's promised assistance for taxi plate owners.

- (1) When will assistance or compensation be offered to taxi plate owners?
- (2) What amount will be offered for each taxi plate?
- (3) Is the minister concerned with the significant hardship being faced by members of the taxi industry and, in particular, with some plate owners losing their family home?
- (4) How many taxi plates have been handed back to the state government in 2016 and what was the nature of those plates?

**Hon JIM CHOWN replied:**

I signed off on this but I actually cannot find it at this stage, so it is obviously not in the folder. Hopefully, if I get it, I will respond later in the session.