

BOOK PURCHASE PROGRAM, EXPENDITURE

2443. Hon Murray Criddle to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Culture and the Arts
- (1) What was the actual expenditure on the Book Purchase Program for -
 - (a) 2001-02;
 - (b) 2002-03; and
 - (c) 2003-04?
 - (2) What is the estimated expenditure on the Book Purchase Program for 2004-05?
 - (3) Of the estimated expenditure of the Book Purchase Program for 2004-05, what allocation will be made to metropolitan libraries?
 - (4) What allocation will be made to country libraries?
 - (5) In the Capital Works Program for 2004-05, page 990 under 'New Works', line item 'Library, Additional Public Library Resources', the allocation is \$10.3 million, with an estimated expenditure of \$2.4 million for the next financial year. Could you give a breakdown of this line item?

Hon SUE ELLERY replied:

- (1)
 - (a) \$8 005 669
 - (b) \$8 967 524
 - (c) \$9 450 673
- (2) \$10 750 706
- (3) \$6 767 118
- (4) \$3 983 588
- (5)

2004-05	\$ 2.4
2005-06	\$ 2.6
2006-07	\$ 2.6
2007-08	\$ 2.7