

TRANSPORT — PRESTON RIVER REALIGNMENT

3472. Hon Adele Farina to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the investigation of the realignment of the Preston River to facilitate future Bunbury Port expansion, and I ask:

- (a) has the investigation been completed;
- (b) if yes to (a), has the report been released and, if not, will the Minister table the report;
- (c) if no to (a), when will the investigation be completed and what is causing the project to be delayed;
- (d) what has been the cost of the investigation to date; and
- (e) what is the expected total cost of the investigation?

**Hon Jim Chown replied:**

- (a) No
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Investigation is due for completion in 2016. Delays have been caused by late responses from various Stakeholders.
- (d) \$2 877 337.31
- (e) \$3 300 000.00