

SHORT-TERM RENTAL ACCOMMODATION INCENTIVE SCHEME

972. Mr R.S. Love to the parliamentary secretary to the Minister for Commerce:

I refer to the Short-Term Rental Accommodation Incentive Scheme announced on 9 November 2023, and I ask:

- (a) What is the number of property owners that have taken up the scheme in Western Australia since the announcement; and
- (b) Please provide a breakdown of the number of property owners that have taken up the scheme in the:
  - (i) Greater Perth Region (including Mandurah);
  - (ii) Peel Region (excluding Mandurah);
  - (iii) Gascoyne Region;
  - (iv) Goldfields/Esperance Region;
  - (v) Great Southern Region;
  - (vi) Kimberley Region;
  - (vii) Mid West Region;
  - (viii) Pilbara Region;
  - (ix) South West Region; and
  - (x) Wheatbelt Region?

**Dr J. Krishnan replied:**

- (a) As at 12 March 2024, there are 168 applications. Of these 131 applications have been completed and submitted, with a further 37 in progress. Payments can be processed to eligible applicants once proof of a tenancy agreement has been provided. To date, 71 grants have been paid.
- (b)
  - (i) Greater Perth (inc Mandurah): 40
  - (ii) Peel (ex Mandurah): 3
  - (iii) Gascoyne: 1
  - (iv) Goldfields/Esperance: 9
  - (v) Great Southern: 3
  - (vi) Kimberley: 3
  - (vii) Mid West: 0
  - (viii) Pilbara: 0
  - (ix) South-West: 7
  - (x) Wheatbelt: 5