

PORT KENNEDY DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT ACT, CHANGES, TABLING OF PAPERS

2021. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure
- (1) Will the Minister table the submission regarding proposed changes to the *Port Kennedy Development Act* that it has recently received?
 - (2) Will the Minister table supporting documentation for the need for such changes?
 - (3) What is the current timeline for progressing assessment of proposed changes and progression through Parliament?
 - (4) Can the Minister give details of the public consultation that has occurred so far (public notices in what newspapers, etc) and what further consultation is proposed?
 - (5) Apart from the Department of Planning and Infrastructure, what other authorities are involved in assessment of proposed changes (Federal/State/Local Government) and how long will this take?

Hon KEN TRAVERS replied:

- 1-2. The Government has received a revised development plan for Port Kennedy, titled “kennedy bay – revised development plan”. It was submitted by project developer Western Australia Beach and Golf Resort Pty Ltd (WABGR) and its project manager Mirvac Fini, following their independent review of the approved development proposals for Port Kennedy.

The State Government is in the process of assessing the appropriateness of the changes outlined in the tabled document and has not yet formed its position on the merit of the proposed changes. Accordingly, to table the revised development plan document, at this stage, would be premature, as it may be construed that the revised development plan has Government support.
3. No firm time frames have been established for the Government’s assessment of revised development plan for Port Kennedy.
4. WABGR has carried out its own consultation program to date. Your question on the extent of consultation that has occurred so far should be directed to WABGR. Notwithstanding the consultation carried out by WABGR, any revised development plan will undergo a separate State Government initiated consultation process.
5. Government authorities, other than DPI, involved in assessing modifications to the Port Kennedy project include:
 - City of Rockingham;
 - Department of Conservation and Land Management
 - Department of Environment / Water and Rivers Commission;
 - Water Corporation;
 - Department of Fisheries;
 - Public Transport Authority;
 - Western Australian Tourist Commission;
 - Conservation Commission of WA;
 - Marine Parks and Reserves Authority; and
 - Western Australian Nation Parks and Reserves Association.