

METROPOLITAN REGION SCHEME AMENDMENTS, OPPOSITION

377. Hon Jim Scott to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure

- (1) In the period from, and including, 1993 to 2000, how many Metropolitan Region Scheme Amendments passed by Parliament, with or without modification, were opposed by a majority of public submissions?
- (2) Will the Minister detail the MRS Amendments, MRS description and number, that were opposed by a majority of public submissions but were passed by Parliament with or without modification during this period?

Hon GRAHAM GIFFARD replied:

- (1) In the period from and including 1993 to 2000, a total of 42 amendments to the Metropolitan Region Scheme (MRS) had passage through Parliament and became effective in the MRS. Of those, 39 amendments were modified as a result of the public submission process before being placed before Parliament. There were 29 for which more than half of the public submissions opposed the amendment.
- (2) The tabled paper identifies information on those amendments and submissions. [See paper No 950.]