Extract from Hansard

[ASSEMBLY - Thursday, 30 October 2003] p12821c-12821c Mr Mick Murray

BOTTLED GAS PRICES

Petition

Mr M.P. Murray presented the following petition bearing the signatures of 611 persons -

To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

We, the undersigned, object to the price paid in country areas for bottled gas when the price paid for gas in areas where gas is available 'on-line' is substantially lower. This causes quite a significant financial disadvantage, particularly as the South West is colder than in more northerly areas, and for pensioners and people on low incomes.

Now we ask that the Legislative Assembly investigate the reasons for the high price of bottled gas compared to on-line gas and the difference between the prices in the country and the city.

[See petition No 284.]