

SCOTT SHORTLAND — TRIBUTE

Statement

HON SOPHIA MOERMOND (South West) [6.34 pm]: Today I was informed of the sudden passing of Scott Shortland. Most members will not know him. He is not particularly famous here, but he was big in the legalise cannabis community of Western Australia. He was a valued part of our movement and a passionate advocate for the legalisation of cannabis. He gave his time freely as a volunteer. He volunteered at our events and was part of the executive committee as an assistant secretary. He also cared for his mum, whom he loved very much, as she has ongoing health issues. I would like to personally extend my condolences to her. This must be such a difficult time for her. Children simply are not meant to die before their parents. My condolences also to all who cared for and loved him, particularly his brother, who speaks very highly of him.

You will be greatly missed. Rest in peace, Scott.