

CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE — SHOW CAUSE NOTICE

1703. Hon Nick Goiran to the Leader of the House representing the Minister for Health:

I refer to the show cause notice issued to the Child and Adolescent Health Service Board in February 2022, and I ask:

- (a) was the Minister briefed prior to the issuance of the show cause notice;
- (b) if yes to (a), who briefed the Minister and when did this occur;
- (c) will the Minister table the briefing notes and similar documents received which led to the notice being issued; and
- (d) if no to (c), will the Minister issue a notice to the Auditor General under *section 82 of the Financial Management Act 2006*?

**Hon Sue Ellery replied:**

- (a) Yes.
- (b) The Child and Adolescent Health Service advised the Minister of the incident on 24 January 2022, and provided face to face briefings on 31 January and 8 February 2022.
- (c) No.
- (d) The information sought by the member does not relate to the conduct or operation of an agency within the meaning of section 82 of the *Financial Management Act 2006* and, as such, no requirement to provide a notice arises.