

RAIL LINES — FREMANTLE — DISRUPTION

2797. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the train disruption to the Fremantle rail line on Wednesday, 4 March 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what time did the delays first occur;
- (b) what were the technical issues responsible;
- (c) when did services resume; and
- (d) how many services were affected?

Hon Jim Chown replied:

- (a) 5.59am
- (b) There was a loose connection between the power supply and line side control system which caused an intermittent failure.
- (c) 7.30am
- (d) 18 train services were affected as they operated part of their journey only (Perth to North Fremantle return).