

TAXI INDUSTRY — REFORMS

**458. Hon SAMANTHA ROWE to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Transport**

I refer to the Minister for Transport's comments on the steps of Parliament house last week when addressing the taxi rally.

- (1) When does the minister plan to provide more details and his plan for the taxi industry?
- (2) Will the minister consider some form of compensation for existing plate owners?

**Hon JIM CHOWN replied:**

I thank the honourable member for some notice of this question.

- (1) An announcement outlining further detail on the on-demand transport reforms is imminent.
- (2) A transition assistance package will be available to plate owners to support and facilitate innovation in the industry. Assistance will also be available to those suffering financial hardship as a result of the reforms.