

TRANSPORT — LORD STREET — BUS LANE

4142. Hon Amber-Jade Sanderson to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the \$49 million allocated to the new bus lane along Lord Street, and ask:

- (a) can the Minister confirm that this amount of money will fund three overpasses or underpasses, three bus stations and 400 car parking bays;
- (b) what is the funding allocated to the three bus stations;
- (c) what is the funding allocated to the overpasses; and
- (d) can the Minister confirm that properties along the desired route still require purchasing, and what funding is allocated for the purchase of these properties?

Hon Jim Chown replied:

- (a) This amount is the concept estimate for the project.
- (b) The concept estimate is \$7.2m.
- (c) The concept estimate is \$5m.
- (d) Part properties require purchasing at market rates.