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Hon Sophia Moermond; Hon Matthew Swinbourn

'ENOUGH IS ENOUGH': SEXUAL HARASSMENT AGAINST WOMEN IN THE FIFO MINING INDUSTRY

430. Hon SOPHIA MOERMOND to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Mines and Petroleum:

I refer to the 'Enough is enough': Sexual harassment against women in the FIFO industry report.

- (1) How many of the recommendations in the report relevant to the minister's portfolio have been implemented?
- (2) When is the next update on the report due to be presented in Parliament?

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question. The following answer has been provided to me by the Minister for Mines and Petroleum.

- (1) Of the 24 recommendations made in 'Enough is enough': Sexual harassment against women in the FIFO industry, three are relevant to the minister's mines and petroleum portfolio. Of the three recommendations, one has been completed. The remaining two recommendations are being implemented.
- (2) The initial response to the 'Enough is enough' report was tabled in Parliament in September 2022 and a progress report was tabled on 29 November 2022. As written in the introduction of the progress report, all future progress will be reported in the Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety's annual report.