

COCKBURN SOUND, LICENCES TO DISCHARGE SUBSTANCES

1711. Hon J.A. SCOTT to the Attorney General representing the Minister for the Environment:

Further to question on notice 770 tabled on March 14 2000 –

- (1) Given that licences to discharge substances into Cockburn Sound expired on either September 30 1999 or December 12 1999, has the DEP issued new licences to those companies or any new companies?
- (2) If yes –
  - (a) what companies have been licensed; and
  - (b) what substances and what quantities is each company permitted to discharge into Cockburn Sound?

Hon PETER FOSS replied:

- (1) Yes.
- (2) (a) Renewed licences have been issued to:  
Wesfarmers CSBP Limited;  
BP Refinery (Kwinana) Pty Ltd;  
Millenium Performance Chemicals (Advanced Ceramics) Pty Ltd;  
Tiwest Pty Ltd;  
Western Power Corporation; and  
Water Corporation.  
No additional companies have been licensed to discharge substance to Cockburn Sound.
- (b) The substances and quantity of substances that premises are permitted to discharge into Cockburn Sound, pursuant to licence conditions, are listed on the attached annexure. [See paper No 120.]