

DRIVING ASSESSMENTS — BUSSELTON AND MARGARET RIVER

**513. Hon KEN TRAVERS to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to questions without notice 356 and 471.

- (1) When did the director general of the Department of Transport first become aware that a sole practical driving assessment had occurred in Busselton on 12 October 2012?
- (2) Was the director general aware of any details regarding this PDA prior to it occurring?
- (3) Does the director general have any concerns about the circumstances surrounding this PDA?
- (4) If yes, what are those concerns, and what action has the director general taken?

This is question C565.

**The PRESIDENT:** There have been several questions around this same issue. I trust this is not exactly the same question as has been asked previously.

**Hon Ken Travers:** Not at all, Mr President.

**Hon JIM CHOWN replied:**

I thank the member for some notice of this question.

The Department of Transport advises —

- (1)–(4) The director general is not involved in operational decisions regarding practical driving assessments.