

TIER 3 RAIL NETWORK

1144. Hon Ken Travers to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the tier three rail network, and ask:

- (a) who is the owner of the rail corridor;
- (b) does the Public Transport Authority have any control over infrastructure in the rail corridor; and
- (c) could the Public Transport Authority allow the construction of another rail line in the rail corridor if an investor wanted to set up competing infrastructure?

Hon Jim Chown replied:

- (a) The State Government.
- (b) The Public Transport Authority has control over infrastructure in the rail corridor as provided in the Rail Freight Corridor Land Use Agreement (Narrow Gauge) and Railway Infrastructure Lease.
- (c) No.