

DEPARTMENT FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT - CHILD PROTECTION

526. Mr P.D. OMODEI to the Premier:

I ask a supplementary question. I ask the Premier again: in the interests of protecting our children, will he establish a royal commission to investigate the systemic failings within the Department for Community Development; and if not, why not?

Mr A.J. CARPENTER replied:

I answered that question yesterday.

Mr C.J. Barnett interjected.

Mr T. Buswell interjected.

The SPEAKER: I call to order the members for Cottesloe and Vasse.

Mr A.J. CARPENTER: I have provided a fairly comprehensive outline of the changes that have been put in place by this government to address these issues since 2003.