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- 3063. Ms S.F. McGurk to the Minister for Planning
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- 3091. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development
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3144. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to revenue generated by Keystart and ask:

- (a) can the Minister confirm that this revenue is used by the Housing Authority and spent in pursuit of its strategic objectives;
- (b) for each financial year since 2004–2005, how much revenue from Keystart was used by the Housing Authority; and
- (c) for each financial year since 2004–2005, how was this revenue spent by the Housing Authority including the purpose and outcomes of that spending?

3145. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the State Affordable Housing Strategy that aims to deliver 20,000 new affordable housing opportunities by 2020 and ask:

- (a) what is the expected composition of these 20,000 opportunities; and
- (b) what is the number of new public and community housing dwellings that will be created as part of the 20,000?

3146. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the 513 bus route that runs between Fremantle and Murdoch and ask for each of the years 2012, 2013 and to 1 October 2014:

- (a) what was the average daily number of passengers that travelled on this service;
- (b) how many services were provided each weekday;
- (c) how many services were provided each weekend;
- (d) on average, how many buses have no passengers each day; and
- (e) on average, how many buses have no passengers each weekend?

3147. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the 513 bus route that runs between Fremantle and Murdoch and ask:

- (a) how many service kilometres are allocated to this route;
- (b) what was the average daily passenger boardings on this route since 1 June 2014;
- (c) what was the total number of passengers in each week since 1 June 2014; and
- (d) of those in (c), how many passengers used:
 - (i) Smartrider; and
 - (ii) cash fare?

3148. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to changes that were made to bus route 513 and ask:

- (a) why was the route 513 changed;
- (b) what public consultation occurred prior to the change in route;
- (c) what is the additional cost of service kilometres for the new route;
- (d) how many houses were serviced by the route prior to 1 June 2014;
- (e) how many houses are serviced by the revised route post 1 June 2014; and
- (f) how much faster is the new 513 route compared with the previous route?

3149. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to changes that were made to bus route 513 and the limited deviation to Hale House on Waverly Road and ask:

- (a) prior to the change in route 513, how many 513 busses serviced Hale House residents on weekdays;
- (b) prior to the change in route 513, how many 513 busses serviced Hale House residents on weekends;
- (c) since the change in route 513, how many 513 busses service Hale House residents via Romeo Road on weekdays and at what times;
- (d) since the change in route 513, how many 513 busses service Hale House residents on weekends and at what times;
- (e) is the Minister satisfied with this level of service to residents of Hale House, and if so for what reason;
- (f) does the Minister expect that this deviated service will continue after its trial;
- (g) when will the trial of the limited deviation come to an end and who will make the final decision about its expansion or otherwise; and
- (h) will there be public consultation before any further changes are made to the Hale House deviation, and if not, why not?

3150. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

- (1) For each financial year since 2008–2009, what amount was spent by Main Roads on the construction of a sound wall or a sound barrier alongside any of its roads or other infrastructure?
- (2) In the 2014–2015 Budget, what amount has been budgeted for sound wall or sound barrier construction or maintenance?
- (3) Can the Minister provide a list and cost breakdown of the projects referred to in (2)?

3151. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the stretch of Stock Road between South Street and Winterfold Road and ask:

- (a) on how many occasions since 2000 have traffic counts been conducted along this stretch of Stock Road;
- (b) on each of these occasions, what was the average number of vehicle moments per weekday both northbound and southbound; and
- (c) on each of these occasions, what was the 85th percentile speed of vehicle both northbound and southbound?

3152. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the stretch of Stock Road between Forrest Road and Winterfold Road and ask:

- (a) on how many occasions since 2000 have traffic counts been conducted along this stretch of Stock Road;
- (b) on each of these occasions, what was the average number of vehicle moments per weekday both northbound and southbound; and
- (c) on each of these occasions, what was the 85th percentile speed of vehicle both northbound and southbound?

3153. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister for Housing:

- (1) I refer to the transfer to Esther foundation of St Emilies convent Kalamunda in 2010, in order to run programs, a considerable time has elapsed since this occurred yet it remains unoccupied, and I ask, when will the foundation be required to occupy the premises?
- (2) A meeting was scheduled between the Department of Housing and Esther Foundation in late September 2014, concerning the future of the building, can the Minister outline what was agreed at that meeting?

3154. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister representing the Minister for Education:

I refer to the roof at East Hamersley Primary School which needs replacing and which is categorized as “high priority”, and I ask:

- (a) in what time frame can it be anticipated that such high priority work would ordinarily be commenced; and
- (b) how many “ high priority” jobs are waiting ahead of the works at East Hamersley?

3155. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister for Local Government:

I refer to the Local Government Council Rates charged for the year 2014–2015, and ask:

- (a) will the Minister please provide the average percentage increase in rates for each individual metropolitan council;
- (b) will the Minister please provide the average percentage increase in rates for each individual regional council;
- (c) will the Minister please provide the cent rate in the dollar of Gross Rental Value charged for each individual metropolitan council; and
- (d) will the Minister please provide the cent rate in the dollar of Gross Rental Value charged for each individual regional council?

3156. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Goldfields region won by Lake Maintenance Services, and ask:

- (a) in what towns or cities in the Goldfields area does Lake Maintenance Services provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Goldfields region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Lake Maintenance Services to employ locally based subcontractors in each city or town?

3157. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Great Southern region won by Transfield Services Australia, and ask:

- (a) in what towns or cities in the Great Southern area does Transfield Services Australia provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Great Southern region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Transfield Services Australia to employ locally based subcontractors in each city or town?

3158. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Kimberley region won by Lake Maintenance Services, and ask:

- (a) in what towns or cities in the Kimberley area does Lake Maintenance Services provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Kimberley region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Lake Maintenance Services to employ locally based subcontractors in each city or town?

3159. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Metro North region won by Transfield Services Australia, and ask:

- (a) in what suburbs or towns in the Metro North area does Transfield Services Australia provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Metro North region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Transfield Services Australia to employ locally based subcontractors in each city, suburb or town?

3160. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Metro South region won by Transfield Services Australia, and ask:

- (a) in what suburbs or towns in the Metro South area does Transfield Services Australia provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Metro South region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Transfield Services Australia to employ locally based subcontractors in each city, suburb or town?

3161. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Metro South East region won by Transfield Services Australia, and ask:

- (a) in what suburbs or towns in the Metro South East area does Transfield Services Australia provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Metro South East region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Transfield Services Australia to employ locally based subcontractors in each city, suburb or town?

3162. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Midwest region won by Transfield Services Australia, and ask:

- (a) in what towns in the Midwest area does Transfield Services Australia provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;

- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Midwest region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Transfield Services Australia to employ locally based subcontractors in each city or town?

3163. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Pilbara region won by Transfield Services Australia, and ask:

- (a) in what towns or cities in the Pilbara area does Transfield Services Australia provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Pilbara region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Transfield Services Australia to employ locally based subcontractors in each city or town?

3164. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Housing:

I refer to the Head Contractor model for Housing Maintenance in the Wheatbelt region won by Lake Maintenance Services, and ask:

- (a) in what towns or cities in the Wheatbelt area does Lake Maintenance Services provide maintenance for Department of Housing properties;
- (b) when advertising for sub-contractors to complete housing maintenance on their behalf, in what newspapers circulated in the Wheatbelt region have they advertised for expressions of interest; and
- (c) under the Head Contractor agreement is there any obligation for Lake Maintenance Services to employ locally based subcontractors in each city or town?

3165. Mr D.J. Kelly to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Commerce:

I refer to consumer protection licences and registrations for the motor vehicle repair industry and ask:

- (a) how many motor vehicle repair businesses were registered in Western Australia as at:
 - (i) 1 September 2011; and
 - (ii) 1 September 2014; and
- (b) how many individuals were registered in Western Australia as certified motor vehicle repairers as at:
 - (i) 1 September 2011; and
 - (ii) 1 September 2014?

3166. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Regional Development:

In relation to Community Resource Centres (CRC) in the Kimberley,:

- (a) how much funding was provided to and who funds:
 - (i) CRCs in the Kimberly for the past five years;
 - (ii) what CRCs were funded;
 - (iii) what CRCs are currently funded;
 - (iv) what are they funded for; and
 - (v) what CRC's are not and why;

- (b) for the past five years how much funding was provided to the Djugerari Community and to the Yakkannarra Community; and
- (c) in the next five years how much funding will be provided to the Djugerari Community and to the Yakkannarra Community?

3167. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Lands:

- (1) Who currently holds the lease on the parcels of lands, Lot 198 and Lot 199 of the Moola Bulla Excision in Halls Creek?
- (2) What is the process of seeking approval to build houses on Lot 198 and Lot 199?

3168. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Housing:

- (1) How many Department of Housing properties are currently vacant in Wyndham?
- (2) How many new houses will the Department of Housing build in the next 5 years in the following:
 - (a) Wyndham;
 - (b) Guda Guda Community (Wyndham); and
 - (c) Wariu Community (Wyndham)?
- (3) How many people are currently on the Department of Housing waitlist for the following:
 - (a) Wyndham;
 - (b) Guda Guda Community (Wyndham); and
 - (c) Wariu Community (Wyndham)?

3169. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Corrective Services:

- (1) What is the Minister doing to intervene and resolve the ongoing feuding in Balgo Community?
- (2) What is the Ministers approach to Juvenile Justice prevention and diversion in Balgo Community?

3170. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:

- (1) Is the Minister aware of the feuding in Balgo Community which has been ongoing for more than a month now?
- (2) What is the Department for Aboriginal Affairs doing to intervene and resolve the issues in the Community?
- (3) What funding has the Department provided for Governance support and training in Balgo Community?
- (4) What community based programs does the Department fund and which service in Balgo?

3171. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier:

I refer to the upcoming 400-year anniversary of Dirk Hartog's landing at Shark Bay, and ask:

- (a) has an anniversary plan been prepared and if so:
 - (i) who prepared the plan; and
 - (ii) will the Minister table the plan, and if not, why not;
- (b) if no to (a) why not, and will a plan be prepared and if so by when;
- (c) what is the budget for the anniversary events;
- (d) what anniversary events will take place; and

- (e) has the restoration of the Lighthouse Keeper's Quarters at Cape Inscription been completed and if not when will it be completed?

3172. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Health:

Last year a motion was presented to this Government, "That this House expresses its concern about the tragic suicide crisis in the Kimberley and calls on governments to do more to address the issue", and I ask:

- (a) what has the Minister done to meet this call; and
- (b) what extra funding has the Minister provided in regards to addressing suicide prevention in the Kimberley since 1 December 2013?

3173. Mr F.M. Logan to the Minister for Housing:

I draw the Minister's attention to the priority wait list in Western Australia and by Region as at 30 September, and I ask:

- (a) how many applicants in total are on the public housing priority wait list across Western Australia;
- (b) how many applicants are on the public housing priority wait list by the Department of Housing's (DOH) regional boundary;
- (c) what is the total number of people on the public housing priority wait list across Western Australia;
- (d) what are the total number of people on the public housing priority wait list by DOH's regional boundary;
- (e) what are the total number of children and dependents on the public housing priority wait list across Western Australia; and
- (f) what are the total number of children and dependents on the public housing priority wait list by DOH's regional boundary?

3174. Mr F.M. Logan to the Minister for Housing:

In relation to the State's public housing stock as at 30 September 2014, I ask:

- (a) how many Department of Housing (DOH) properties does the State currently hold (list as a State total and by region);
- (b) how many DOH properties are currently tenanted (list as a State total and by region);
- (c) how many properties currently not tenanted are ready and awaiting new tenants (list as a State total and by region);
- (d) how many properties currently not tenanted are identified for or are awaiting sale (list as a State total and by region);
- (e) how long, on average, do properties identified for sale remain vacant before they are sold;
- (f) how many properties currently not tenanted are either awaiting or undergoing major works or refurbishment (list as a State total and by region);
- (g) what is the average time properties remain vacant while undergoing major works or refurbishment;
- (h) how many properties currently not tenanted have been demolished and are awaiting a new build (list as a State total and by region); and
- (i) what is the average time properties remain vacant while undergoing a new build?

3175. Mr F.M. Logan to the Minister for Housing:

I draw the Minister's attention to the waiting lists for public housing in regional Western Australia's major towns, as of 30 September 2014 in each of the following regional towns and cities: Bunbury, Geraldton, Albany, Kalgoorlie, Collie, Karratha, Port and South Hedland, Broome, Halls Creek, Fitzroy Crossing, Kununurra, Carnarvon and Esperance, and I ask:

- (a) how many applicants were on the public housing waiting list;
- (b) how many applicants were on the priority public housing waiting list;
- (c) what is the average and longest periods an applicant remains on the waiting list in these towns and cities;
- (d) what is the average and longest periods an applicant remains on the priority housing waiting list in these towns and cities; and
- (e) as of 30 September 2014 of those people on the waiting lists referred to in (a) how many are waiting for:
 - (i) one bedroom dwellings;
 - (ii) two bedroom dwellings;
 - (iii) three bedroom dwellings; and
 - (iv) dwellings with 4 bedrooms or more?

3176. Mr F.M. Logan to the Minister for Housing:

I draw the Minister's attention to the waiting lists for public housing in Western Australia as at 30 September 2014, and I ask:

- (a) what is the total number of people associated with the wait list;
- (b) what is the current wait list as a total number of applicants;
- (c) what is the total number of children and dependents associated with the wait list;
- (d) what is the current wait list as total number of applicants per region as of 30 September 2014;
- (e) what is the total number of people associated with the wait list per region as at the date above; and
- (f) what is the total number of children and dependents associated with the wait list by region as of the date above?

3177. Mr P.B. Watson to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Child Protection:

Can the Minister please advise:

- (a) when will the Volunteer Mentor Program that is currently running in eight metropolitan districts be extended to regional districts;
- (b) will the Albany district be included; and
- (c) why was program not selected to run in country districts at the same time as metropolitan districts?

3178. Ms R. Saffioti to the Premier:

I refer to the Liberal party commitment to build two swimming pools in Ellenbrook and ask:

- (a) when will construction of these swimming pools commence; and
- (b) when will these swimming pools be completed and open to the public?

3179. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

I refer to the “Off Stretcher” statistic collected by WA Health, and I ask, for each month since the Off Stretcher time was measured in Western Australian Hospitals, can the Minister please advise:

- (a) what was the average monthly off stretcher time percentage for each of the following hospitals:
 - (i) Armadale/Kelmscott District Memorial Hospital;
 - (ii) Fremantle Hospital;
 - (iii) Joondalup Health Campus;
 - (iv) King Edward Memorial Hospital For Women;
 - (v) Princess Margaret Hospital For Children;
 - (vi) Rockingham General Hospital;
 - (vii) Royal Perth Hospital;
 - (viii) Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital; and
 - (ix) Swan District Hospital; and
- (b) what was the average monthly “Combined Off Stretcher” time percentage?

3180. Ms J. Farrer to the Minister for Health:

- (1) Is there funding available for the Remote Pool Program?
- (2) What are the steps for communities to apply for the Remote Pool Program?
- (3) Is there funding available for the Remote Pool Program to be implemented in new locations in the Kimberley?
- (4) Has the Department identified new locations in the Kimberley to implement the Remote Pool Program, and if so, what are those locations?
- (5) When will construction of the Pools begin and when will construction be completed?

3181. Mr R.H. Cook to the Minister for Health:

I refer to the Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission Order dated 16 October 2013 relating to the final conditions of the nurses pay agreement, and I ask, for each clause of section 4, can the Minister please detail what the financial impact is estimated to be for each financial year of the industrial agreement?

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