LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS

ANSWERS TO 2019-20 Annual Report – Questions Prior to Hearing (Round 2)

Department of Training and Workforce Development The Committee asked:

- 1. In 2019-20, did your agency receive a qualified audit or 'matter of significance' or an 'emphasis of matter' from the Auditor General'
 Answer: No.
 - (a) If so, outline the reason and your plan to remedy the Issue by 2020-21? Answer: Not Applicable
- 2. With respect to the Voluntary Targeted Separation Scheme¹
 - (a) Have all separations been completed; and Answer Yes.
 - (b) If not, when do you expect the remaining separations to occur? Answer. Not Applicable.

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ANSWERS TO 2020-21 Budget Estimates - Questions Prior to Hearing (Round 2)

Department of Training and Workforce Development The Hon Alison Xamon MLC asked:

1. I refer to the Budget Page 388 - Section Ongoing Initiatives - Item: Regional Workers Incentives Allowance Payments

I note that after several years of holding steady at \$28,000 per year, the cost of this scheme jumps to \$1.6 million in forward estimates for the 2023-24 financial year Could the Department please detail why this change occurs?

Answer

The \$28,000 spending change for 2019-20 through to 2022-23 is the adjustment to the current budget allocation.

The \$1 664 million is the total allocation for 2023-24 as it was not previously reflected in the forward estimate.

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