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- 4864. Ms M.M. Quirk to the Minister representing the Minister for Housing
- 4865. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Environment
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- 5006. Mr D.J. Kelly to the Minister for Water
- 5007. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Transport

Wednesday, 17 February 2016

- 5008. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 5009. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food
- 5010. Mr C.J. Tallentire to the Minister for Transport
- 5011. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Forestry
- 5012. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Minister representing the Minister for Housing
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- 5014. Mr P.C. Tinley to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Commerce
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- 5031. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Housing
- 5032. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer
- 5033. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Transport

Thursday, 18 February 2016

- 5034. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Transport

Tuesday, 23 February 2016

- 5035. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Energy
- 5036. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Energy
- 5037. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister representing the Minister for Fisheries
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- 5044. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Local Government; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Youth
- 5045. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Treasurer; Minister for Energy; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests
- 5046. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Fisheries
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- 5050. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts
- 5051. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister representing the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Electoral Affairs
- 5052. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development
- 5053. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Health; Tourism
- 5054. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests
- 5055. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science

**Questions listed for this sitting: -**

**5056. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for the Department of Sport and Recreation?

**5057. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Education:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for the Department of Education?

**5058. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Health:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for the Department of Health?

**5059. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Water:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for the Water Corporation?

**5060. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Energy:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for Western Power?

**5061. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Transport:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for the following agencies:

- (a) Public Transport Authority; and
- (b) Main Roads Department?

**5062. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

What have been the annual new borrowings for each financial year from 2008-09 to 2014-15 for the following agencies:

- (a) Public Transport Authority;
- (b) Main Roads Department;
- (c) Western Power;
- (d) Water Corporation;
- (e) Health Departments;
- (f) Department of Education; and
- (g) Department of Sport and Recreation?

**5063. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

What are the transaction costs associated with the Western Australian Future Fund's purchase of Western Australian Treasury Corporation bonds?

**5064. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

I refer to the removal of the line item in the Western Australian Future Fund's quarterly report showing Western Australian Treasury Corporation (WATC) bonds held by the Fund for the June, September and December 2014 reports, after the Fund first began purchasing WATC bonds, and the Government's attribution of this line item's removal to "human error", and I ask:

- (a) was there an investigation into the decision to remove the line item;
- (b) if yes to (a), when will a full report into this investigation be provided;
- (c) if no to (a), why not; and
- (d) does the government accept that the removal of this line item appears to have been done to avoid embarrassment to both itself and the Western Australian Future Fund's administrators?

**5065. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

In the context of the Total Public Sector Balance Sheet, does the Minister consider the continued investment on new capital into the Western Australian Future Fund, and the increased borrowing entailed in financing this investment, preferable to reducing state debt?

**5066. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

Given the low return produced by the fund, has the Minister considered alterations to the investment mandate of the Western Australian Future Fund, and:

- (a) if not, why not; and
- (b) if so, when will the Government seek to make these changes?

**5067. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

Given the opportunity costs entailed in making investments into the Western Australian Future Fund, will the Minister commit to continuing the investment of new capital into the fund as per the *Western Australian Future Fund Act 2012*, or will the Government seek to put this capital towards either debt reduction or investments into ventures offering better returns than what has been realised by the Western Australian Future Fund?

**5068. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

Does the Minister consider, in the context of the average risk free rate since the Western Australian Future Fund's inception, the 0.4 per cent return to the Fund over its life competitive return, and how does this return compare to the Western Australian Government's average cost of (borrowed) funds?

**5069. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

I refer to the recent downgrading of WA's credit rating to AA2 and ask:

- (a) will this mean that the only Australian semi-government bonds that can be purchased in the future by the Western Australian Future Fund are those issued by WA Treasury Corporation; and
- (b) if no to (1), what other State Government bonds does the Treasurer expect will provide a higher yield than WA bonds and why?

**5070. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Has the Western Australian Future Fund's total return outperformed the cost of State debt over the following timelines, and:

- (a) since the Fund's inception;
- (b) financial Year 2013;
- (c) financial Year 2014;



- (d) financial Year 2015; and
- (e) six months to January 2016?

**5071. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

Has the Western Australian Future Fund's total return outperformed the cost of State debt over the following timelines, and:

- (a) since the Fund's inception;
- (b) financial Year 2013;
- (c) financial Year 2014;
- (d) financial Year 2015; and
- (e) six months to January 2016?

**5072. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Will the State Government provide a forecast as to when the Western Australian Future Fund is likely to outperform the cost of State debt, and:

- (a) if not, why not;
- (b) if so, when and how will this forecast be made available to the public;
- (c) if so, when does the Government expect the fund to outperform the cost of State debt; and
- (d) has the assumption of further credit downgrades been built into forecasts, given the impact this has on borrowing costs, into their outlook for the Fund's performance?

**5073. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

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**5074. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Has the Western Australian Future Fund's income return outperformed the cost of State debt over the following timelines:

- (a) since the Fund's inception;
- (b) financial Year 2013;
- (c) financial Year 2014;
- (d) financial Year 2015; and
- (e) six months to January 2016?

**5075. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

Has the Western Australian Future Fund's income return outperformed the cost of State debt over the following timelines:

- (a) since the Fund's inception;
- (b) financial Year 2013;

- (c) financial Year 2014;
- (d) financial Year 2015; and
- (e) six months to January 2016?

**5076. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Has the Western Australian Future Fund's total return outperformed the cost of State debt over the following timelines:

- (a) since the Fund's inception;
- (b) financial year 2013;
- (c) financial year 2014;
- (d) financial year 2015; and
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**5077. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

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- (a) since the Fund's inception;
- (b) financial year 2013;
- (c) financial 2014;
- (d) financial year 2015; and
- (e) six months to January 2016?

**5078. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

What are the operating costs specifically associated with the management of Western Australian Treasury Corporation bonds held by the Western Australian Future Fund?

**5079. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Finance:**

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**5080. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

What are the transaction costs associated with the Western Australian Future Fund's purchase of Western Australian Treasury Corporation bonds?

**5081. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

What were the average transaction costs entailed in raising debt equivalent to the purchase value of the Western Australian Treasury Corporation bonds now held in the Western Australian Future Fund?

**5082. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

I refer to the removal of the line item in the Western Australian Future Fund's quarterly report showing Western Australian Treasury Corporation (WATC) bonds held by the Fund for the June, September and December 2014 reports, after the Fund first began purchasing WATC bonds, and the Government's attribution of this line item's removal to "human error", and I ask:

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In the context of the Total Public Sector Balance Sheet, does the Government consider the continued investment on new capital into the fund, and the increased borrowing entailed in financing this investment, preferable to reducing state debt?

**5084. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Given the low return produced by the Western Australian Future Fund, has the Government considered alterations to the investment mandate of the fund:

- (a) if not, why not; and
- (b) if so, when will the Government seek to make these changes?

**5085. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Will the Government commit to continuing the investment of new capital into the fund as per the *Western Australian Future Fund Act 2012*, or will the Government seek to put this capital towards either debt reduction or investment into ventures offering better returns?

**5086. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Treasurer:**

Does the Government consider, in the context of the average risk free rate since the fund's inception, the 0.4 per cent return to the fund over its life competitive return, and how does this return compare to the Western Australian Government's average cost of (borrowed) funds?

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- (b) if no to (1), what other State Government bonds does the Treasurer expect will provide a higher yield than Western Australian bonds and why?

**5088. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Environment:**

I refer to the Iluka synthetic rutile plant north east of the Capel town site, which re-started operations in April 2015, and I ask:

- (a) what environmental monitoring has the Department of Environment carried out to test for dust and other particulates impacting upon surrounding localities since April 2015, and how often are such levels tested; and
- (b) what levels of dust and other particulates have been recorded in the Capel town site since April 2015 and how high are these levels relative to the maximum acceptable range?

**5089. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Energy:**

(1) I refer to Western Power and its contractors' protocols for entering Genetically Modified (GM)-free farming properties, and I ask:

- (a) what protocols does Western Power require its employees and contractors to adhere to when entering GM-free properties to help ensure workers do not cross contaminate such properties with biological material from other farms; and

- (b) what compensation does Western Power provide to GM-free farmers whose properties are contaminated by the actions of Western Power employees or contractors?
- (2) What biosecurity protocols does Western Power require its employees and contractors to adhere to when entering GM-free properties to ensure invasive weeds and pests are not transferred onto such farms?

**5090. Mr M.P. Murray to the Minister for Health:**

I refer to the Minister's two media statements regarding upgrades to Collie Hospital, 8 July 2014's '\$8.6 million upgrade for Collie Hospital' and February 19, 2016's 'Builder announced for Collie health upgrades' - and I ask:

- (a) why has the cost of the redevelopment decreased from \$8.6 million to \$7.8 million since the 8 July, 2014 announcement;
- (b) which specific aspects of the redevelopment will not be forthcoming as a result of this \$800,000 funding cut;
- (c) why is the Emergency Telehealth Service not cited in the more recent announcement and is this aspect still to be included in the upgrades;
- (d) why is the ambulatory care area not cited in the more recent announcement, and is this aspect still to be included in the upgrades;
- (e) why are the additional consulting rooms not cited in the more recent announcement, and is this aspect still to be included in the upgrades;
- (f) what conditions has the State Government placed on BCG to ensure a majority of the 200 construction jobs will go to people living within the Shire of Collie;
- (g) what conditions has the State Government put in place to ensure Collie-based small businesses will be awarded contracting work on the project;
- (h) will these upgrades allow for dialysis treatment to be performed at the hospital;
- (i) why has the Southern Inland Health Initiative decreased by \$65 million since the July 8 announcement; and
- (j) which specific aspects of the Southern Inland Health Initiative will not be forthcoming as a result of this \$65 million funding cut?

**5091. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister for Local Government:**

I refer to the residential rate information collected by the Department of Local Government and Communities and ask:

- (a) could the Department of Local Government and Communities provide an up-to-date average, mean and median percentage increase of total rates received for each rateable category from each individual Shire for the completed financial years:
  - (i) 2013/2014; and
  - (ii) 2014/2015; and
- (b) could the Department of Local Government and Communities provide the number of default to individual rateable properties referred for debt collection agencies for each Shire:
  - (i) how many of these defaulters have received discontinuance notices?

**5092. Ms L.L. Baker to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Mental Health:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the allocation in the Mental Health Commission budget for mental health services for the prenatal period and to infants, children and adolescents, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what was the allocation in the Mental Health Commission budget for mental health services for the prenatal period and to infants, children and adolescents respectively, not including services and funds in the Child and Adolescent Mental Health budget:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the Mental Health Commission budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the Mental Health Commission budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5093. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Sport and Recreation:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Sport and Recreation budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Sport and Recreation budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;

- (c) 2014-2015; and
- (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Sport and Recreation budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Sport and Recreation budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5094. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Regional Development:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Regional Development budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Regional Development budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Regional Development budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Regional Development budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and

(d) 2015-2016?

**5095. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister representing the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Aboriginal Affairs budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Aboriginal Affairs budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Aboriginal Affairs budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Aboriginal Affairs budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5096. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister representing the Minister for Education:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Education budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Education budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Education budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Education budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5097. Ms L.L. Baker to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Disability Services budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Disability Services budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Disability Services budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?



- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Disability Services budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5098. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Culture and the Arts:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Culture and the Arts budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Culture and the Arts budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Culture and the Arts budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Culture and the Arts budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5099. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Community Services:**

- (1) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Community Services budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;

- (c) 2014-2015; and
- (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what percentage of the State Community Services budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Community Services budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (4) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Community Services budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5100. Ms L.L. Baker to the Minister for Health:**

- (1) For the following years, what percentage of the total Child and Adolescent Health Service budget has been allocated to Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (2) For the following years, what has been the total dollar allocation for Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (3) For the following years, what percentage of the State Health budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, was spent on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period, and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
  - (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

- (4) For the following years, what was the total amount spent in the State Health budget, excluding any Commonwealth funding or funded programs, on programs and delivery of services for the prenatal period and for children in Western Australia from birth to age three, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (5) For the following years, which programs have been funded wholly by the State Health budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?
- (6) For the following years, which programs and services have been funded wholly or in part by the State Health budget for the prenatal period and for zero to three-year-olds, respectively:
- (a) 2012-2013;
  - (b) 2013-2014;
  - (c) 2014-2015; and
  - (d) 2015-2016?

**5101. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Housing; Racing and Gaming:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5102. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;

- (v) strategic communications;
- (vi) marketing;
- (vii) corporate affairs; and
- (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5103. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Water; Sport and Recreation; Forestry:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5104. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services; Small Business; Veterans:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5105. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Environment; Heritage:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;

- (iii) public relations;
- (iv) communications;
- (v) strategic communications;
- (vi) marketing;
- (vii) corporate affairs; and
- (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5106. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Local Government; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Youth:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5107. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer; Minister for Energy; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5108. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Fisheries:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5109. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Finance; Mines and Petroleum:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5110. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Attorney General; Minister for Commerce:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;

- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5111. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services; Child Protection:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5112. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5113. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Electoral Affairs:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;

- (vi) marketing;
- (vii) corporate affairs; and
- (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5114. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5115. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Health; Tourism:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5116. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;



- (iii) public relations;
- (iv) communications;
- (v) strategic communications;
- (vi) marketing;
- (vii) corporate affairs; and
- (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5117. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science:**

I refer to each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister's control, and ask:

- (a) what is the total number of employees engaged in:
  - (i) media relations;
  - (ii) publicity;
  - (iii) public relations;
  - (iv) communications;
  - (v) strategic communications;
  - (vi) marketing;
  - (vii) corporate affairs; and
  - (viii) speechwriting;
- (b) what is the job title for each of these positions; and
- (c) what is the salary range or level of each position?

**5118. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Housing; Racing and Gaming:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5119. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Transport:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and

- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5120. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Water; Sport and Recreation; Forestry:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5121. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services; Small Business; Veterans:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5122. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Environment; Heritage:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5123. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Local Government; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Youth:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;

- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5124. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer; Minister for Energy; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5125. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Agriculture and Food; Fisheries:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5126. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Finance; Mines and Petroleum:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5127. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Attorney General; Minister for Commerce:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;

- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5128. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services; Child Protection:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) Does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) Does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) If yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) If yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5129. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5130. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister representing the Minister for Education; Aboriginal Affairs; Electoral Affairs:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5131. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5132. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Health; Tourism:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5133. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and
- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

**5134. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science:**

I refer to each agency, department and Government Trading Enterprise (GTE) within the Minister's portfolio of responsibilities, and I ask:

- (a) does the agency, department or GTE use the services of the Media Monitoring Unit based at Dumas House;
- (b) does the agency, department or GTE use media monitoring services other than those provided by the Media Monitoring Unit;
- (c) if yes to (b), which company or companies provides the media monitoring service; and

- (d) if yes to (b), what was the cost of the media monitoring service for the financial year 2014-15, and 2015 to date for each company?

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**KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON**

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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