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- 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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- 5032. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer
- 5033. Ms R. Saffioti to the Minister for Transport

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

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- 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

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- 5056. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Sport and Recreation
- 5057. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister representing the Minister for Education
- 5058. Mr B.S. Wyatt to the Minister for Health
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5133. Mr M. McGowan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests
5134. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science

Questions listed for this sitting: -

5135. Mr W.J. Johnston to the Minister for Transport:

I refer to the Minister's answer to Question on Notice 4844, and ask:

- (a) is the Minister aware that on 24 November 2015 he stated "The modelling suggests that both phases of the Perth Freight Link project will save 450 000 tonnes of carbon emissions through to 2031.";
- (b) has the Minister received briefings on "both phases of the Perth Freight Link project", and if so, on what dates, and by whom were these briefings provided;
- (c) has Cabinet approved "both phases of the Perth Freight Link project":
 - (i) if yes, on what date was this approval given;
 - (ii) if no, can the Minister advise if a project has been approved by Cabinet, if any, in relation to "Perth Freight Link"; and
 - (iii) can the Minister advise what volume of carbon emissions will be saved by a project which has been approved by Cabinet; and
- (d) if "both phases of the Perth Freight Link project" have not been approved, why have you been referring to matters related to a project that has not been approved in debates in the Parliament?

5136. Mr D.A. Templeman to the Minister for Police:

I refer to the premises located on the corner of Lincoln Street and Smith Street in Highgate, which currently houses the Western Australia Police Historical Society and Museum and ask:

- (a) has the Police Commissioner signed off on the lease for this site for continued use by the WA Police Historical Society, and if so when did the Police Commissioner sign the lease and why have you, as Minister for Police, still not signed off on this lease;
- (b) is it true the lease remains 18 months overdue, and if so why have you delayed progressing a renewal of the site for the WA Police Historical Society's activities;
- (c) when do you intend to sign the lease for the above premises, and if not why not;
- (d) has this land/premises been identified by Government for possible sale as part of its debt reduction strategy; and
- (e) what are the future plans for the Museum at the above site?

5137. Mr M. McGowan to the Treasurer:

I refer to Question on Notice 4365 in relation to contact between the Treasurer's Office and registered lobbyist Hon Peter Reith, and ask:

- (a) was the contact referred to between the Treasurer and Hon Peter Reith and, if not, with whom in the Ministerial Office was the contact with;
- (b) was the nature of contact with Hon Peter Reith on 6 July 2015 via telephone, email or face-to-face meeting;
- (c) what type of "back office services" in WA Police was Hon Peter Reith suggesting G4S could play a role;
- (d) since 11 August 2015, has the Minister or any staff member had any further contact with Hon Peter Reith; and

- (e) if yes to (d):
 - (i) on what date or dates;
 - (ii) what was the nature of the contact (ie telephone, email or face-to-face meeting);
 - (iii) which company or companies was Hon Peter Reith representing; and
 - (iv) what was the nature or subject of discussion during the contact?

5138. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier:

- (1) How many members of the Senior Executive Service (SES) were there as at 31 January 2016?
- (2) What was the proportion of SES members to Western Australian public sector employees as at 31 January 2016?
- (3) Have any new SES positions been created since 1 July 2015 and, if so, what is the title of the position, the classification of the position, and in which department or agency is the newly-created position located?

5139. Mr M.J. Cowper to the Minister for Emergency Services:

- (1) In the past two years, how many Department of Fire Emergency Services training courses have been delivered to volunteers by Full Time Equivalents (FTE)'s in:
 - (a) Harvey Shire;
 - (b) Waroona Shire; and
 - (c) Murray Shire?
- (2) What percentage of the Emergency Services Levy is collected in the regions?
- (3) How much of the Emergency Services Levy is spent in the regions?
- (4) What is the total cost of destruction caused by fire in:
 - (a) Regional Areas; and
 - (b) Metropolitan areas?
- (5) How many Department of Fire and Emergency Services FTE's are employed today compared with ten years ago?
- (6) How many Department of Fire and Emergency FTE's are employed regionally?
- (7) Does the Department of Fire and Emergency Services supply student manuals for any of its courses run by the Harvey Shire?
- (8) How many decommissioned fire appliances have been offered/purchased by volunteer brigades in the past five years?

5140. Mr M. McGowan to the Premier:

I refer to the Ministerial Office Full Time Equivalents (FTE) of 212.89 as at 30 June 2015, and the FTE of 214.39 as at 3 December 2015, and ask:

- (a) in which Ministerial Office/s are the additional 1.5 FTE located;
- (b) did the additional FTE allocation receive approval from the Ministerial Merit Panel and, if so, on what date or dates did the Panel approve the additional allocation; and
- (c) what is the Ministerial Office FTE as at 25 February 2016?

5141. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Health:

- (1) Can the Minister provide expenditure by Region for the Common Use Agreement CUATPS2014 for each of the following periods:
 - (a) 1 April 2014 – 31 December 2014;

- (b) calendar year 2015; and
- (c) 1 January 2016 - 25 February 2016?
- (2) If not, why not?

5142. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Finance:

- (1) Can the Minister provide expenditure by agency for the Common Use Agreement CUATPS2014 for each of the following periods:
 - (a) 9 November 2014 – 31 December 2014;
 - (b) calendar year 2015; and
 - (c) 1 January 2016 - 25 February 2016?
- (2) If not, why not?

5143. Mr M. McGowan to the Minister for Finance:

- (1) Can the Minister provide expenditure by agency for Common Use Agreement CUA22008 in each of the following years:
 - (a) 2009;
 - (b) 2010;
 - (c) 2011;
 - (d) 2012;
 - (e) 2013; and
 - (f) 1 January 2014 – 8 November 2014?
- (2) If not, why not?

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KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

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