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Questions listed for this sitting: -

1. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister representing the Minister for Regional Development:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade met with:

- (a) representatives of the Gascoyne Development Commission;
- (b) representatives of the South West Development Commission;
- (c) representatives of the Goldfields-Esperance Development Commission;
- (d) representatives of the Great Southern Development Commission;
- (e) representatives of the Kimberley Development Commission;
- (f) representatives of the Mid West Development Commission;
- (g) representatives of the Peel Development Commission;
- (h) representatives of the Pilbara Development Commission; and
- (i) representatives of the Wheatbelt Development Commission:
 - (i) for (a-i); if yes, what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) What was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

2. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Housing:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with:

- (a) representatives of Keystart; and
- (b) representatives of the Country Housing Authority:
 - (i) for (a-b); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;

- (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
- (D) where were the meetings held?

3. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Lands:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with:

- (a) representatives of the WA Land Information Authority; and
- (b) representatives of the WA Land Authority:
 - (i) for (a-b); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

4. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Transport:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with representatives of the five port authorities:

- (a) if yes:
 - (i) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

5. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Commerce and Industrial Relations:

- (1) Has the Minister asked the Department of Commerce to undertake any reviews in relation to the Building and Construction Industry Code of Conduct 2016 and if so will the Minister table the formal request?
- (2) Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with:
 - (a) representatives of the Plumbers Licencing Board; and
 - (b) representatives of the Commission for Occupational Safety and Health (WorkSafe):
 - (i) for (a-b); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

6. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Electoral Affairs:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with representatives of the WA Electoral Commission:

- (a) if yes:
 - (i) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

7. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Small Business:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with representatives of the Small Business Development Commission:

- (a) if yes:
 - (i) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

8. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Racing and Gaming:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with:

- (a) representatives of the Burswood Park Board;
- (b) representatives of Racing and Wagering WA; and
- (c) representatives of the Western Australian Greyhound Racing Association:
 - (i) for (a-c); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

9. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Treasurer:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Treasurer met with:

- (a) representatives of the State Supply Commission;
- (b) representatives of the Parliamentary Superannuation Board;
- (c) representatives of the Government Employees Superannuation Board;
- (d) representatives of the Insurance Commission of Western Australia;
- (e) representatives of the Office of the Auditor General;
- (f) representatives of Keystart; and
- (g) representatives of the Economic Regulation Authority:
 - (i) for (a-g); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

10. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Attorney General:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Attorney-General met with:

- (a) representatives of the Public Trust Office;
- (b) representatives of the Office of the Information Commissioner;
- (c) representatives of the Legal Practice Board;
- (d) representatives of the Legal Aid Commission of Western Australia;
- (e) representatives of the Corruption and Crime Commission;
- (f) representatives of Commissioner for Equal Opportunity; and

- (g) representatives of Commissioner for Children and Young People:
 - (i) for (a-g); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

11. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Emergency Services:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with Representatives of the Office of Emergency Management:

- (a) if yes:
 - (i) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

12. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Road Safety:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with Representatives of the Road Safety Commission:

- (a) If yes:
 - (i) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

13. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Police:

Will the Minister provide a list of:

- (a) proposed new police stations;
- (b) their location; and
- (c) the year in which they are proposed to be built, for the next ten years?

14. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Disability Services:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with representatives of the Disability Services Commission:

- (a) If yes:
 - (i) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (ii) who attended those meetings;
 - (iii) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (iv) where were the meetings held?

15. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Environment:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with:

- (a) representatives of the Botanic Gardens and Parks Authority; and
- (b) representatives of the Zoological Parks Authority:
 - (i) for (a-b); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

16. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister representing the Minister for Education and Training:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Minister met with:

- (a) representatives of the Building and Construction Industry Training Board; and
- (b) representatives of the five TAFEs:
 - (i) for (a-b); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

17. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Minister for Health:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Deputy Premier met with:

- (a) representatives of the Western Australian Health Promotion Foundation;
- (b) representatives of the four Health Professionals Registration Boards; and
- (c) representatives of the seven Health Service Providers Governing Bodies:
 - (i) for (a-c); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

18. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Premier:

Between 17 March 2017 and 10 May 2017 has the Premier met with:

- (a) representatives of the Lotteries Commission;
- (b) representatives of the Gold Corporation;
- (c) representatives of the Salaries and Allowances Tribunal; and
- (d) the Director of Equal Opportunity in Public Employment:
 - (i) for (a-d); if yes:
 - (A) what dates did those meetings occur;
 - (B) who attended those meetings;
 - (C) what was the nature of those meetings; and
 - (D) where were the meetings held?

19. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Premier:

What resources have been allocated to support Parliamentary Secretaries in the McGowan Ministry and what is the value of the resources?

20. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Premier:

Does the Premier or the Department of the Premier and Cabinet have any plans to renovate, refit or refurbish the Office of the Premier and Cabinet Room:

- (a) if so, what are the intended renovations; and
- (b) what is the estimated value of this work?

21. Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup to the Premier:

What is the length of time CCTV footage is stored and retained for:

- (a) the Office of Premier and Cabinet Room and grounds; and
- (b) Dumas House and grounds?

22. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Water; Fisheries; Forestry; Innovation and ICT; Science:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

23. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

24. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Housing; Veterans Issues; Youth:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

25. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

26. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Commerce and Industrial Relations; Electoral Affairs; Asian Engagement:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

27. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Tourism; Racing and Gaming; Small Business; Defence Issues; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

28. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Treasurer; Minister for Finance; Energy; Aboriginal Affairs:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

29. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Seniors and Ageing; Volunteering; Sport and Recreation:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

30. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Attorney General:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in London House (216 St Georges Terrace):

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

31. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Local Government; Heritage; Culture and the Arts:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their Title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

32. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

33. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister representing the Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

34. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister for Police; Road Safety:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

35. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister representing the Minister for Environment; Disability Services:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

36. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Minister representing the Minister for Education and Training:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and

- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

37. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Mental Health:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

38. Dr M.D. Nahan to the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; State Development, Jobs and Trade; Federal-State Relations:

For each staff member employed or working from the Premier's Office, in Hale House (1 Parliament Place):

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

39. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

In regard to the Building Commissioner's report on the new Children's Hospital that highlighted two possible sources of lead contamination in the water supply:

- (a) will the water fire hydrants be tested for lead content;
- (b) what testing has been done to verify if lead has been leaching from the brass fittings in the new Children's Hospital;
- (c) were solid lead particles found in any water sampling undertaken on the new Children's Hospital; and
- (d) if so, is it possible to undertake isotopic testing on the lead to see if it matches the lead samples taken from the removed "Dead Leg" pipe in the QEII Health Campus ring main?

40. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

In regard to the water supply ring main within the QEII Health Campus, and in particular the "Dead Leg" mentioned in the report by the Building Commissioner, can the Minister advise:

- (a) how far from the new inlet pipe to the Children's Hospital was the "Dead Leg pipe;
- (b) what diameter is the ring main at the location of the Children's Hospital inlet pipe;
- (c) what is the diameter of the inlet pipe/pipes for the Children's Hospital and its material composition;

- (d) what was the pipe diameter of the removed “Dead Leg” and its material composition;
- (e) how long was the “Dead Leg” pipe;
- (f) what testing was done on the water and scale within the removed “Dead Leg” pipe;
- (g) what location within the “Dead Leg” pipe was the testing done;
- (h) what was the results for all contaminants within the “Dead Leg” pipe;
- (i) when was the presence of the “Dead Leg” pipe first brought to the attention of the North Metropolitan Health Services Executive;
- (j) when was the presence of the “Dead Leg” pipe first brought to the attention of the Children’s Hospital Project team;
- (k) when was the presence of the “Dead Leg” pipe first brought to the attention of the Children’s Hospital builder, John Holland; and
- (l) when and why was the “Dead Leg” pipe removed, and who undertook this work?

41. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

- (1) In regards to the use of private consultants by the Department of Health, I ask for each of the financial years 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16:
 - (a) the total cost borne by the Department on private consultants; and
 - (b) the list of companies providing private consulting services to the Department and their associated total cost?
- (2) In regards to the use of private consultants by the Department of Health, I ask for each of the remainder of the current financial year 2016/17:
 - (a) the total projected cost borne by the Department on private consultants; and
 - (b) the list of companies providing private consulting services to the Department and their projected total cost?

42. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

- (1) For the Department of Health, financial years: 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16:
 - (a) what was the total number of ambulance ramping hours in every public hospital; and
 - (b) what was the monthly average of ambulance ramping in every public hospital?
- (2) For the current financial year 2016/17:
 - (a) what is the current projection of total ambulance ramping hours in every public hospital;
 - (b) what is the current monthly average of ambulance ramping in every public hospital (year to date); and
 - (c) what is the projected monthly average of ambulance ramping in every public hospital (for remainder of 2016/17)?

43. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

- (1) Can the Minister advise which hospitals have been tested for lead in their water supply?
- (2) Which hospitals had lead readings above the Australian Standard?
- (3) What is the Australian Standard for allowable lead content in potable water:
 - (a) on what basis was this standard adopted; and
 - (b) are there international examples of counties or regions that have adopted standards equal to the Australian standard and have subsequently changed the standard?
- (4) Apart from the New Children's Hospital have any other buildings within the QEII Health Complex been tested for lead in their water supply?
- (5) Apart from the New Children's Hospital are there plans to test other buildings within the QEII Health Complex that receive their water from the internal ring main?

44. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

For each staff member employed or working from the Minister's Office, in Dumas House:

- (a) what is their full name;
- (b) what is their Title;
- (c) what is their Public Service Salary scale or equivalent;
- (d) what is their current salary;
- (e) what additional entitlements do they have, such as, vehicle, phone, etc;
- (f) are they a career public servant or Term of Government employee; and
- (g) what was the previous employment position/title and employer/department at or prior to 11 March 2017?

45. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

- (1) For the Department of Health, financial years: 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16:
 - (a) what was the cost per capita of supporting treatment of patients in public hospitals;
 - (b) what was the average cost of home based hospital day of care;
 - (c) what was the average cost per home based occasion of service;
 - (d) what was the average cost per client receiving contracted palliative care services; and
 - (e) what was the cost per capita of Royal Flying Doctor Service Western Operations and St John Ambulance Western Australia Service Agreements?
- (2) For the current financial year: 2016/17:
 - (a) what is the target and/or estimated cost per capita of supporting treatment of patients in public hospitals;
 - (b) what is the target and/or estimated average cost of home based hospital day of care;
 - (c) what is the target and/or estimated average cost per home based occasion of service;
 - (d) what is the target and/or estimated average cost per client receiving contracted palliative care services; and
 - (e) what is the target and/or estimated cost per capita of Royal Flying Doctor Service Western Operations and St John Ambulance Western Australia Service Agreements?

46. Mr W.R. Marmion to the Minister for Health:

- (1) What was the total cost of services for the Department of Health for the following financial years: 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16?
- (2) What is the target and/or estimated total cost of services for the current financial year?
- (3) What was the actual full time equivalent staff level for the Department of Health for the following financial years: 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16?
- (4) What is the current full time equivalent staff level for the Department of Health and what is the estimated level for the end of the current financial year?

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KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
