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*1447 ABORIGINAL COMMUNITIES—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) What is the Government doing to ensure that Aboriginal people who move to new areas are able to access culturally specific services, considering the growth of Aboriginal communities in places like Maitland is now above 3.5 percent (1 percent above the State average)?
- (2) What is the Government doing to enable Aboriginal people who move to new areas to make connections with Aboriginal social support networks?
- (3) What is the Government doing to ensure that Aboriginal people who move to new areas avoid social isolation?

Answer—

- (1) to (3) The Government provides funding to support accessible and culturally responsive services to Aboriginal families and children across the State. The Department of Family and Community Services provides funding to local services to engage in community development activity and also assists Aboriginal clients who are relocating to new parts of NSW to develop local connections.

*1448 SOCIAL HOUSING IN THE MOUNT DRUITT ELECTORATE—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

- (1) In the last 6 months, how many evictions for all causes occurred in social housing properties in the Mount Druitt Electorate?
 - (a) What are the top three reasons for these evictions?

Answer—

Questions relating to evictions occurring in social housing should be directed to The Hon Brad Hazzard MP, Minister for Family and Community Services and Minister for Social Housing.

*1449 JUDGES IN NSW DISTRICT COURTS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Is the Government replacing retiring judges in NSW District Courts?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- (2) Will the Government hire new judges to clear the backlog of cases in Newcastle?

Answer—

In August 2015, His Honour Judge Gregory Farmer was appointed to replace Judge Colin Charteris and two additional judges were appointed to the District Court as specialist judges to hear child sexual assault matters.

New judge for the District Court:

Thursday, 27 August 2015

<http://www.justice.nsw.gov.au/Pages/media-news/media-releases/2015/New-judgefor-the-District-Court.aspx>

New specialist judges appointed to support victims of child sexual assault:

Wednesday, 5 August 2015

<http://www.justice.nsw.gov.au/Pages/media-news/media-releases/2015/New-specialist-judges-support-victims-child-sexual-assault.aspx>.

*1450 URBAN GROWTH PLANNING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

Will bus services run all the way to Watt Street following the sale of land on the rail corridor and Government infrastructure spending in Newcastle as they do now?

Answer—

I am advised:

On 5 November 2015, the Government announced it is going to the market to appoint a world-class operator to run an integrated transport network for Newcastle. This would include running buses, ferries, light rail and interchanges.

Changes to bus services will be investigated by the operator, who will be responsible for bus service frequency and routes.

- *1451 M4 WIDENING PROJECT—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

How many times have the conditions of the Infrastructure Approval, conditions of any Environment Protection Licence or any other relevant approval been breached during the construction of the M4 widening project?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

The EPA has dealt with one breach of the Environment Protection Licence issued by the EPA for the M4 widening project.

The breach related to the delivery of machinery outside of permitted hours. No other breaches of the licence have been detected by the EPA.

Responsibility for monitoring compliance with the Infrastructure Approval rests with the Minister for Planning.

- *1452 MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

How many people in the Granville electorate have renewed their motor vehicle registration late in each of the calendar years from 2012 to 2015 (to 27 August 2015)?

Answer—

I am advised:

Roads and Maritime Services does not hold motor vehicle registration details by electorate. The percentage of late vehicle registration renewals between financial years 2011-12 to 2015-16 are:

Financial Year	Percentage
2011-12	26
2012-13	27
2013-14	26
2014-15	24
2015-16 (to date)	24

- *1453 MOUNT DRUITT POLICE STATION—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

- (1) What is the status of the new police station proposed for Mount Druitt?
- (2) Will funding be allocated in the 2016-17 Budget?

Answer—

The NSW Police Force has advised me that this project is currently in the planning stage and a full business case is being prepared.

- *1454 ARTS EDUCATION—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) What proposals are being considered or developed for the future of the UNSW Art & Design (previously College of Fine Arts), National Art School and Sydney College of the Arts and their education programs?
- (2) What consultation has the Government undertaken on the future with staff and students?
- (3) What consultation has the Government undertaken with adjacent communities and the wider arts communities?
- (4) Is the Government committed to retaining the individual strengths and approaches of all three schools?
- (5) What plans does the Government have to re-organise arts education programs and how will this affect current and future students?
- (6) Is the Government committed to ongoing funding for these three schools and students at current

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levels?

- (7) What changes to funding have been considered or proposed?
- (8) What changes to the number of students has the Government considered or proposed?
- (9) What changes to the buildings and location of the schools have been considered or proposed?
- (10) What action will the Government take to ensure that these schools continue?

Answer—

(1) and (8) to (10) The Government is in ongoing discussions with the National Art School regarding future business models. As part of these discussions, the National Art School is engaging with the University of Sydney and the University of NSW to explore the possible benefits of a closer association between the institutions, with the aim of strengthening the delivery of art and design education in New South Wales.

(2) to (5) Consultation with staff, students and local and arts communities regarding the National Art School course offerings and teaching methodologies, student enrolments, financial management and other operational matters are the responsibility of the National Art School Board.

Questions relating to the operations of the University of Sydney and the University of NSW and their arts education offerings are a matter for the respective universities.

(6) and (7) Funding is disclosed in the National Art School's Annual Report. Funding arrangements for the University of Sydney and the University of NSW are a matter

for the Commonwealth Minister for Education, as the Minister responsible for tertiary education funding.

*1455 PADDINGTON BOWLING CLUB LEASE—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

- (1) Did the Paddington Bowling Club operators plead guilty to 40 breaches of the Registered Clubs Act, the Gaming Machines Regulation and the Liquor Act and were fined more than \$50,000?
 - (a) What assessment has the Government made of these charges, the court outcome and enforcement action?
 - (b) Given these breaches, what advice has the Office of Liquor, Gaming and Racing provided about:
 - (i) Cancelling the Registered Clubs licence;
 - (ii) Cancelling the liquor licence?
 - (c) Does each of these breaches constitute grounds to terminate the lease?
 - (d) What action has been taken about terminating the lease?
 - (e) Does the Government intend to cancel the lease?
 - (f) Has the Government initiated forfeit clauses of the lease?
 - (g) What impact do these breaches have on the Crown Land dedication?
- (2) Has the Paddington Bowling Club been liquidated and the legal entity wound up?
- (3) Has CSKS Holdings ceased trading, removed furniture and fittings and abandoned the Paddington Bowling Club site?
- (4) What consideration has the Government given to future use of the Paddington Bowling Club site for public recreation?
- (5) Has the Government considered transferring this lease to Woollahra Municipal Council and what steps have been taken towards doing this?
- (6) What further action will the Government take to ensure that this Crown Land is used for public recreation?

Answer—

- (1) Yes.
 - (a) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
 - (b) The registered club licence and liquor licence are the same licence. In December 2014, the Office of Liquor, Gaming & Racing applied to have the Club's licence cancelled as part of a disciplinary complaint lodged with the Independent Liquor & Gaming Authority.
 - (c) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
 - (d) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
 - (e) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
 - (f) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
 - (g) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
- (2) The Paddington Bowling Club is currently in liquidation; however the legal entity is still active.

- (3) CSKS Holdings was not trading from the Paddington Bowling Club site. CSKS Holdings hold the lease for the Crown Land on which the Paddington Bowling Club is situated and sub-leased the premises to the Club.
- (4) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
- (5) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.
- (6) This question should be directed to the Minister for Land and Water.

*1456 METHAMPHETAMINE USE—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

- (1) Is the use of methamphetamine increasing or decreasing:
- (a) In New South Wales;
- (b) In the inner city?
- (2) What percentage of drug users are using methamphetamine and is this increasing or decreasing:
- (a) In New South Wales;
- (b) In the inner city?
- (3) What new programs has the Government funded or provided for treatment regarding the use of methamphetamine since 13 November 2014?
- (4) What evidence-based education programs does the Government provide to prevent people from using methamphetamine, educate users about minimising harms and intervene or treat problematic use?
- (5) What further action will the Government take to prevent and treat methamphetamine use and address community impacts?

Answer—

I am advised:

A background paper on NSW data relating to Crystalline Methamphetamine is available online at <http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/crvstallinemethamphetamine/Publications/background-paper.pdf>.

*1457 JUSTICE OF THE PEACE REGISTER—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Why has the Justice of the Peace Register not been updated since March 2015 to show the contact details for new Justice of the Peace appointments?
- (2) When will the Justice of the Peace Register be updated?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that the Justice of Peace Register has been updated.

*1458 PUBLIC DENTAL SERVICES—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

What was the average wait time for public dental services in the Hunter New England Health area for the 2013-14 and the 2014-15 financial years?

Answer—

I am advised:

The NSW Ministry of Health reports public dental service waiting list data via its website: www.health.nsw.gov.au/oralhealth.

*1459 SCHOOL ZONE FLASHING LIGHTS—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

Which schools in the Charlestown Electorate are scheduled to receive school zone flashing lights in the 2015-16 financial year?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Government has committed to install flashing lights for all school zones in New South Wales. Every school within a school zone in the Charlestown electorate has had flashing lights installed. Further information on school flashing lights is available at the Centre for Road Safety website.

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*1460 DESTINATION WOLLONGONG—Ms Noreen Hay asked the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—

Does Destination Wollongong answer to Destination NSW or are they completely autonomous?

Answer—

As a Local Tourism Organisation, Destination Wollongong does not answer to Destination NSW and is therefore completely autonomous.

*1461 SPECIALIST MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES—Ms Noreen Hay asked the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

- (1) How many beds are being utilised at the Specialist Mental Health Services for Older People Unit at Wollongong Hospital?
- (2) Is the facility being fully utilised for those older people with mental health issues?
- (3) Has there been any reduction in bed or patient numbers through changes to budgetary requirements?

Answer—

I am advised:

The number of beds in the Specialist Mental Health Services for Older People Unit at Wollongong Hospital is available at www.health.nsw.gov.au

The unit operates in alignment with key directions outlined in the NSW Service Plan for Specialist Mental Health Services for Older People and other local policies and procedures and as such, is targeted to and utilised by consumers over the age of 65 who have a mental illness.

*1462 WALLSEND MOTOR REGISTRY—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) With reference to the impending closure of the Wallsend Motor Registry while the facility is converted to a Service NSW branch, will there be staff redundancies as a result of the closure?
- (2) While the facility is closed, where will residents of the Wallsend be able to go to utilise Roads and Maritime Services?

Answer—

(1) Staff at the Wallsend Motor Registry were invited to join Service NSW through a priority assessment process. Service NSW ensured all staff were appropriately informed so they had every opportunity to put their hands up if they wished to join Service NSW. This included pre-interview training. If any staff who are not successful they will have opportunities for temporary redeployment in the registry network as per business requirements or voluntary redundancy through Roads and Maritime Services.

(2) A range of transactions can be carried out online or by visiting the Wallsend Temporary Motor Registry at 108-110 Nelson Street, Wallsend.

*1463 GREEN STATE POWER BOARD—Mr Stephen Kamper asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

- (1) Who are the chair and members of the Green State Power Board?
 - (a) What are their service dates?
 - (b) What are the total remuneration amounts received by the chair and members?
- (2) Who were the previous chair and members of the Green State Power Board?
 - (a) What were their service dates?
 - (b) What were the total remuneration amounts received by the previous chair and members?
- (3) When was the last remuneration payment made to the chair and board members of the Green State Power Board?
- (4) What are the outstanding liabilities of Green State Power?

Answer—

I am advised that Green State Power was dissolved and deregistered on 5 July 2015 following the sale of its assets to Trustpower in July 2014.

*1464 BOUNDARY ROAD BRIDGE CROSSING—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- (1) Will the Government commit funding to widening of the Boundary Road bridge in Chester Hill to enable vehicles that are travelling in different directions to cross the bridge simultaneously?
 (a) If yes, when will the bridge be upgraded?
 (b) If not, why not?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Boundary Road bridge at Chester Hill is a Local Road under the control and ownership of Parramatta City Council.

- *1466 YOUTH FRONTIERS PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

In which schools within the electorate of Liverpool is MTC Australia delivering the Youth Frontiers Program?

Answer—

Ashcroft High School, Liverpool Boys High School, and Liverpool Girls High School.

- *1467 MR FLUFFY ASBESTOS—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

(1) How many properties in each of the following Local Government Areas (LGAs) have been identified as being impacted by Mr Fluffy Asbestos:

- (a) Lake Macquarie LGA;
 (b) Newcastle LGA;
 (c) Port Stephens LGA;
 (d) Cessnock LGA;
 (e) Maitland LGA;
 (f) Muswellbrook LGA?

Answer—

As at 17 November 2015, NSW Fair Trading has not received notification of any positive test results for loose-fill asbestos in the Local Government Areas of Lake Macquarie, Newcastle, Port Stephens, Cessnock, Maitland or Muswellbrook.

- *1468 ELECTRICITY BLACKOUTS—Mr Nick Lalich asked the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—

- (1) How many electricity blackouts occurred in the Fairfield Local Government Area (LGA) between 1 January 2014 and 31 December 2014?
 (2) How many electricity blackouts occurred across New South Wales between 1 January 2014 and 31 December 2014?
 (3) Which LGA in New South Wales had the most electricity blackouts between 1 January 2014 and 31 December 2014?

Answer—

Power outages are caused by many different things, not all of which relate to the electricity network. The most obvious example is a motor vehicle accident bringing down the poles and wires. Another would be the lack of electricity due to a power station being lost.

These events are outside the control of the network and also the operator may be required to shed customers to prevent a more damaging situation in the grid such as a full system failure.

Also, the occurrence of outages will vary over time. One year an area may be subject to numerous heavy storms which may not reoccur for many years.

Outages can also vary in duration from a few milliseconds to several days depending on the event. A momentary outage can occur as a result of network switching which is a normal operational requirement. In many cases, the poles and wires have to be de-energised to allow for maintenance and repairs because it is too dangerous for the network staff to do the work with the power lines live or connected to the customer's premises.

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Hence, the total number of outages in an area over short periods of time is a simplistic and unrepresentative measure of the real performance of the electricity network. Using it to make comparisons will most likely result in poor outcomes.

As a result, electricity networks apply criteria to exclude inappropriate data and focus on measures that more accurately represent the performance of the network. These

criteria are specified in the Reliability and Performance Licence Conditions for Electricity Distributors which are available on the website of the technical regulator, the Independent Pricing & Regulatory Tribunal (IPART) at: http://www.ipart.nsw.gov.au/files/sharedassets/website/trimholdingbay/electricity_-_regulatory_instruments_-_dnsp_conditions_14_-_19_-_july_2014.pdf

These licence conditions were recently reviewed and updated. Each of the distribution businesses reports annually on their compliance with these licence conditions and their annual reports are published on their websites as follows: -

Ausgrid

<http://www.ausgrid.com.au/~mediaFiles/Network/Regulations%20and%20Reports/Ausgrid%20ENPR%20201314.pdf>

Endeavour Energy

http://www.endeavourenergy.com.au/wps/wcm/connect/964ff6804dc4c821b044b9d4aa6b58cc/Final+ENPR_2012-2013.pdf?MOD=AJPERES

Essential Energy

<http://www.essentialenergy.com.au/asset/cms/pdf/electricitynetwork/NPR2013-14.pdf>

As the networks have significant different demographics and cover different geographic areas it is not appropriate to aggregate these outcomes into a single state wide number but as can be seen from the report the reliability performance of the three distributors has improved significantly over the past few years.

*1469 ASSISTANCE FOR ADDITIONAL SYRIAN REFUGEES—Mr Nick Lalich asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) What services will be available in the Cabramatta electorate to assist the additional Syrian refugees expected to be settled in the area?
- (2) Will the Government be providing additional funding to these services to cater for the additional Syrian refugees?
 - (a) If so, how much additional funding will be provided?

Answer—

The Government will work closely with the Australian Government on arrangements for Syrian refugees.

*1472 PUBLIC TRANSPORT FARES—Mr Nick Lalich asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

Can the Minister confirm that commuters in Cabramatta will not face increases in public transport fares in this term of Government?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART) regularly reviews fares charged for bus, train and ferry services in New South Wales, and determines maximum fares for most public transport services in Sydney.

*1473 AMALGAMATION OF FAIRFIELD CITY COUNCIL AND LIVERPOOL CITY COUNCIL—Mr Nick Lalich asked the Minister for Local Government—

- (1) Will the Government carry out any analysis before making any decisions regarding the amalgamation of Fairfield City Council and Liverpool City Council?
- (2) Will the Government allow the local community to have a say before making any decision regarding the amalgamation of Fairfield City Council and Liverpool City Council?

Answer—

No decision has been made by the Government regarding the future of individual councils. The Government has consulted with councils and communities for the last four years on local government reform.

*1474 SCHOOL CROSSING SUPERVISORS—Mr Nick Lalich asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- (1) Will a school crossing supervisor be installed at the Bonnyrigg Public School?
- (2) How many schools in New South Wales currently have a school crossing supervisor?
- (3) How often are the needs of schools for school crossing supervisors reviewed?
- (4) How many schools in New South Wales have applied to have a school crossing supervisor between 1 March 2011 to 1 October 2015?
 - (a) How many of these schools have had their applications rejected?

Answer—

I am advised:

Bonnyrigg Public School was assessed for a school crossing supervisor however it did not meet the criteria. The need for a school crossing supervisor is assessed against site eligibility criteria when an application is received. Criteria is available on the NSW Centre for Road Safety website.

Where a crossing facility does not meet the criteria for a school crossing supervisor, the application may be reviewed if circumstances change or in 12 months.

There are around 1200 school crossing supervisors covering 793 locations in New South Wales at 732 schools. Between 1 March 2011 and 1 October 2015, 179 applications for a school crossing supervisor have been assessed and 156 of those applications did not meet the criteria.

*1475 CLEARWAY SIGNAGE—Mr Nick Lalich asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

When will a signage that indicates the presence of a 'clearway' be installed on Cabramatta Road, near the corner of Hill Street, Cabramatta?

Answer—

I am advised:

The corner of Hill Street, Cabramatta, near Cabramatta Road, is not a clearway.

In August 2015, 'No Stopping' restrictions were installed from Hill Street to Aladore Avenue along Cabramatta Road West.

*1476 ASBESTOS UNDER THE M4 MOTORWAY—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

When will the remaining piles of asbestos under the M4 Motorway at Granville be removed?

Answer—

I am advised:

The asbestos under the M4 Motorway at Granville is being cleared, in accordance with the Construction and Environmental Management Plan, as the work progresses.

All stockpiles are being managed in accordance with the Construction Environmental Management Plan, Construction Soil and Water Quality Management Plan and the Workplace Health and Safety Management Plan.

*1477 WENTWORTHVILLE RAILWAY STATION UPGRADE—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

What are the planned milestones for the Wentworthville Railway Station upgrade?

Answer—

I am advised:

Construction is expected to commence this year.

*1478 SYRIAN REFUGEES—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

What housing arrangements are planned to support the arrivals of new Syrian refugees?

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Answer—

I refer the member to my answer to question on notice 1316.

- *1479 SERVICE NSW FACILITIES IN REGIONAL AREAS—Ms Kathy Smith asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

What criteria is used by the decision making panel to determine the placement of Service NSW facilities in regional areas?

Answer—

I am advised sites for the Service NSW network have been chosen based on providing better services to people in different localities. Locations are chosen as part of a network benefitting the whole community and are assessed on current and future population growth corridors, and changing customer demand as more and more customers transact online at their convenience. Sites for service centres need to be large enough to provide for a wider range of transactions, support the speedier service model, cater for the extended hours and support driver testing appropriately.

- *1480 PRIVATISATION OF PUBLIC RADIATION THERAPY SERVICES—Ms Kathy Smith asked the Minister for Health—

What information is available relating to the privatisation of public radiation therapy services around New South Wales?

Answer—

I am advised:

The appropriate provision of services, including radiotherapy services, in NSW is the responsibility of individual local health districts.

- *1481 GOSFORD SERVICE NSW CENTRE—Ms Kathy Smith asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

When will additional car parking spaces (considering there are currently four spaces) be provided at the Gosford Service NSW Centre?

Answer—

I am advised there are eight off-street parking bays available at the Gosford Service Centre – five general parking bays, two driver testing bays and one disability parking bay. Two-hour on-street parking is available nearby and customers can park for free for up to three hours at the Imperial Shopping Centre, located about 100 metres from the service centre.

- *1482 GOVERNMENT INFORMATION (PUBLIC ACCESS) ACT 2009—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

When will the review of the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009, pursuant to s130 of that Act, be completed?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that the statutory review of the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 is ongoing.

- *1483 REVIEW OF THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

What has been the outcome of the review of the Memorandum of Understanding entered into in 2010 between the Department of Family and Community Services, Legal Aid NSW and the Department of Justice concerning the position of a child or young person in out-of-home care that may have a claim against the State of New South Wales (as referred in my letter to you dated 22 January 2015)?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice the review of the Memorandum of Understanding is ongoing.

- *1484 PRESENCE OF SHERIFF OFFICER—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

On how many court sittings days does the Local Court or District Court in Lismore not have a Sheriff Officer present?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that Sheriff's Officers are allocated on a risk based assessment. Due to the sensitive nature of security operations, Sheriff's Officer allocations are not disclosed by the Office of the Sheriff.

- *1485 OUT-OF-HOME CARE—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

What is your response to the issues raised in my letter to you dated 27 July 2015, concerning gaps in and failures in implementation of a Memorandum of Understanding between your Department, Legal Aid NSW and the Department of Justice concerning the position of a child or young person in out-of-home care that may have a claim against the State of New South Wales?

Answer—

I refer the Member to my response to his letter, dated 23 October 2015.

- *1486 UNDER-UTILISED COURT HOUSES—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

Which under-utilised court houses do you propose to sell?

Answer—

I am advised there are currently no plans to sell under-utilised court houses.

- *1487 RELOCATION OF MULTICULTURAL NSW—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

- (1) When will Multicultural NSW move to Liverpool?
- (2) To what address in Liverpool will Multicultural NSW move?

Answer—

- (1) and (2) Multicultural NSW has been identified as one of several Government agencies for relocation to Western Sydney, as part of the NSW Government 'decade of decentralisation' policy.

The relocation of agencies will create a huge amount of activity in Western Sydney and provide a significant boost to the region.

The exact location of Multicultural NSW will be made known in due course.

- *1488 MULTICULTURAL NSW HEAD OFFICE LEASE—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

When does the lease on the current premises of Multicultural NSW Head Office expire?

Answer—

Multicultural NSW has been identified as one of several NSW Government agencies for relocation to Western Sydney, as part of the NSW Government 'decade of decentralisation' policy.

- *1489 OFFICE OF THE NSW INFORMATION AND PRIVACY COMMISSION RECOMMENDATIONS—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Local Government—

What is your response to the recommendations by the Office of the NSW Information and Privacy Commission to Liverpool Council in September 2015, concerning Council's decision on the release of information in response to a request for release of information concerning the outsourcing arrangement between Liverpool Council and Propel?

Answer—

The Government expects all councils to comply with their obligations under the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009.

It is understood that Liverpool City Council has referred the matter to an independent reviewer to undertake the internal review recommended by the NSW Information and Privacy Commission, and is awaiting their determination.

- *1490 RENEWAL OF DRIVING LICENCE—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

Why are drivers aged between 45 and 75 not eligible to renew their Class C drivers licence for a period of 10 years?

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Answer—

This matter is the responsibility of the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight.

*1491 MOUNT DRUITT FIRE STATION—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—

(1) How much land has been transferred from the Mount Druitt Hospital grounds to Fire and Rescue NSW to accommodate the building of the new fire station?

(a) When did this transfer take place?

(2) Has any public consultation been undertaken to relocate the fire station to this new location?

Answer—

Fire and Rescue NSW has advised me:

(1) 3,600 square meter.

(a) 26 September 2014.

(2) No. The location of a fire station is based on emergency management requirements.

*1492 TIMELY RESPONSE BY MOUNT DRUITT FIRE STATION—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—

What plans are proposed to ensure a timely response to emergencies by Fire and Rescue NSW, when the fire station is relocated to the grounds of the Mount Druitt Hospital, considering the only access to suburbs located west of the hospital is through the Francis Street overpass which is heavily congested during peak hours?

Answer—

Fire and Rescue NSW has advised me:

The access from the new Mount Druitt fire station to suburbs west of the hospital is not limited to the Francis Street overpass.

*1493 AMBULANCES IN THE MOUNT DRUITT AREA—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—

(1) What is the Minister's response to community concerns in Western Sydney that there were no ambulances available in the Mount Druitt area on Tuesday 15 September 2015?

(2) What is the Minister's response to community concerns that at midday on 15 September 2015 an ambulance had to be dispatched from Campbelltown to attend to an emergency at Mount Druitt?

Answer—

I am advised that:

The Member is referred to the response made by my representative in the Legislative Council, The Honourable John Ajaka MLC, in Hansard on 21 October 2015. This responds to a question without notice asked by the Hon Ernest Wong MLC in relation to the same matter.

*1494 SUPERVISION OF PATIENTS BY NURSES—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—

With reference to the article in the Sydney Morning Herald on 18 September 2015 titled 'Hospital trial was a factor in two deaths', in which it was reported that in a previous trial whereby patients arriving at hospital by ambulance were being supervised by nurses until such a time as the emergency department could take over the patients care resulting in two deaths and the trial being terminated in 2007, why is this concept being reintroduced when it previously failed and resulted in patients deaths?

Answer—

The system implemented at Royal Prince Alfred should not be confused with the 2007 trial as it has several significantly different features. The Royal Prince Alfred trial involved the deployment of a "ToC Team" of emergency trained and highly skilled and experienced Registered Nurses conducted in a highly visible area within the Emergency Department with the support of the medical staff.

The Transfer of Care trial concluded on 25 October 2015. During the trial period, there were no patient related incidents in Sydney Local Health District Hospitals as a result of the Transfer of Care initiative.

Throughout the trial strong clinical governance was in place with protocols for observation, documentation, escalation and handover developed to support the trial and daily debriefs occurred with RPA clinicians, SLHD Executive, and Ambulance NSW reviewing any issues. Since commencing the

trial, the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital has sustained high Transfer of Care performance since demonstrating a marked improvement from early August results. The Transfer of Care initiative has now been incorporated into the District's routine Emergency Department operations for peak activity periods.

*1495 COMPETENCY CARDS—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

Under the Office of Liquor, Gaming and Racing, the new competency cards expire five years after the completion of the first course. If other courses with a five year expiration are completed at a later date, the competency class can be added to the card. However, the expiry date for each course completed does not extend to the full five years, is there any future plan to adjust these Competency Cards to reflect the true expiry dates for each course completed?

Answer—

I am advised that the Office of Liquor Gaming and Racing is currently reviewing its process for competency cards. This is expected to be completed in early 2016.

*1496 WALLSEND ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- (1) During the transition of the Wallsend Roads and Maritime Services office to a Services NSW Centre, will all services currently available at the Wallsend office be available to the public from the temporary location?
- (2) Will on the spot licences be issued from the temporary location, as has been available at the existing Wallsend location?
 - (a) If not, why not?

Answer—

I am advised:

This is a matter for the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.

*1497 HIGH SPEED RAIL BETWEEN SYDNEY AND NEWCASTLE—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

What is the status of any plans for high speed rail between Sydney and Newcastle?

Answer—

I am advised:

Questions about the project, timeframes or staging of high speed rail between Sydney and Newcastle need to be directed to the Commonwealth Department of Infrastructure and Regional Development.

*1498 WORKPLACE PSYCHOLOGICAL INJURIES—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) What are the main issues that are causing stress and psychological injury to teachers in New South Wales schools?
- (2) What is the procedure for managing workplace psychological injuries?
- (3) Is there workplace training and workshops provided in schools for the mental health of teachers and professional staff in New South Wales schools?
- (4) Are there strategies in development for improving the psychological safety of workplaces?
 - (a) Is so, what is the nature of these strategies?

Answer—

- (1) There is a range of causes related to psychological injuries in the workplace.
- (2) All workplace injuries are managed in accordance with the Department's Return to Work Program. This program is endorsed by SafeWork NSW.

The Department's Employee Assistance Program also provides a broad range of services to support the health and wellbeing of its employees including trauma response to schools and free confidential counselling for employees.

- (3) There is a range of professional development resources and opportunities for teachers and staff in NSW schools, relating to staff wellbeing.
- (4) The Department has a corporate safety strategy focussed on injury prevention and effective early intervention, support and rehabilitation for staff.

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*1499 STAMP DUTY—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

What is the cumulative amount received by the Government in stamp duty from the sale of houses in the 2014-15 financial year?

Answer—

The relevant information can be found on the Office of State Revenue's website (<http://www.osr.nsw.gov.au/info/statistics>) in the file 'Transfer duty land related (XLS)'.

*1500 SELF-HARM AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Health—

- (1) Is the Government increasing resources to aid in the prevention of self-harm among young people, particularly those aged between 15 and 24?
- (2) Will the Government increase funding to Hunter New England Health to increase staff and programs to aid in the prevention of self-harm?
 - (a) If not, why not?

Answer—

Please refer this Question on Notice to the Minister for Mental Health.

*1501 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EYE CLINIC—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Health—

- (1) How many days per week is the John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic currently operating?
- (2) Can all tests and procedures be conducted at the John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic?
 - (a) If not, is this due to lack of appropriate equipment?
 - (b) If not, why not?
- (3) What procedures cannot be conducted at the John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic?
- (4) What procedures need to be referred to Sydney Eye Hospital?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) to (5) The John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic is open five days per week and provides services for patients with a range of complex conditions including corneal conditions, diabetic eye disease, significant eye infections, eyelid disorders, lesions and tumours, retinal disorders, uveitis and glaucoma.

Not all generalist services are provided by the hospital as some procedures are best provided in the primary setting through an optometrist, management by a GP, or at a specialised hospital such as the Sydney Eye Hospital. This approach ensures patients receive the care they need in the most appropriate setting.

Procedures related to macular degeneration and some generalist services are unable to be conducted by the John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic. Procedures related to macular degeneration are referred to the Sydney Eye Hospital.

*1502 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

- (1) Will the Government stay with the current funding model of \$148.5 million towards domestic violence prevention over the next four years?
- (2) Will the Government follow the Commonwealth Government's lead and increase funding to domestic violence prevention?
- (3) Is domestic violence a priority that necessitates increased awareness and increased funding?
- (4) What steps will the Government take regarding building an effective and sustainable funding model to provide support services for women, that reflects the Commonwealth Government's commitment to creating a cultural shift in Australia?

Answer—

On the 14 October 2015 the Government announced a \$60 million package to target perpetrators and support women, men and children who have experienced domestic and family violence (DFV).

The package augments the Government's existing It Stops Here domestic family violence reforms. It responds to the Premier's priority to reduce reoffending by 2019, and supports victims to escape and survive domestic and family violence.

More information is available at www.women.nsw.gov.au/violence-prevention/new-dfv-package This is in addition to the \$148.5 million over four years the Government committed for specialist domestic and family violence services in the 2015-16 Budget.

- *1503 AUSGRID EMPLOYEES—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- (1) Is there a minimum staff protection level of Ausgrid employees in New South Wales?
 - (a) If so, what is the October 2015 minimum staff protected level for Ausgrid employees in New South Wales, and what is the duration of the protection level?
 - (b) If not, what is the minimum protection level of Ausgrid employees?
 - (2) Does the figure comprise of both Ausgrid full-time and part-time employees?
 - (a) If not, what is the composition of the protected number for:
 - (i) Full-time employees?
 - (ii) Part-time employees?

Answer—

- (1) The Electricity Network Assets (Authorised Transactions) Act 2015 that came into operation in July 2015 provides for an appropriate staffing level for Ausgrid, which is the number of full time equivalent employees, as defined by the Act.
 - (a) The appropriate staffing level defined and required under the Act for Ausgrid is 3,570 full time equivalent employees. The Act provides a five-year employment guarantee period starting on 1 July 2015 and ending on 30 June 2020.
 - (2) The appropriate staffing level as defined by the Act incorporates full time and part time employees.
- *1504 FIT TO DRIVE—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

At the 'Fit to Drive' forum in Newcastle on Monday 21 September 2015, seniors said it took between two and three hours to commute from Swansea-Belmont to the Mater Hospital in Waratah.

- (1) What is the Government doing to enhance and improve public transport across the Hunter?
- (2) When will a full bus review be conducted in the Hunter?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Government is committed to the long overdue revitalisation of Newcastle. Since 2011, over \$1 billion has been committed to Newcastle and the broader Hunter region for vital new infrastructure, including \$650 million in funds from Restart NSW for projects including Newcastle light rail, urban renewal and the Newcastle Inner City Bypass, and \$350 million for the Hunter Infrastructure Investment Fund for a range of projects across the region.

The next step is to build a vibrant transport network throughout the region to improve connectivity, reduce travel times and support Newcastle's tourism sector. On 5 November, the Government announced it would create Transport for Newcastle and seek a 'world's best' multi-modal transport operator to plan and run Newcastle Light Rail, buses, ferries and interchanges.

The new operator will be based in Newcastle and work hand-in-hand with the community to design and run a better transport network. This will be public transport run in Newcastle, for Novocastrians, not run from Sydney like today.

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- 1505 ASSISTED SCHOOL STUDENT TRANSPORT SCHEME—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1506 TAFE DELIVERED VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING DISCRETE COURSES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1507 SPECIALIST SERVICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

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- *1508 SHERIFF'S OFFICER AT MAITLAND COURT—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—
On how many court sitting days does the Local Court at Maitland not have a Sheriff's Officer present?
Answer—
I am advised by the Department of Justice that Sheriff's Officers are allocated on a risk based assessment. Due to the sensitive nature of security operations, Sheriffs Officer allocations are not disclosed by the Office of the Sheriff.
- 1510 PRIORITY ASSESSMENT PROCESS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1511 FREE OPAL CARD—Mr David Harris to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1512 P902 INCIDENT NOTIFICATION—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1513 NSW POLICE FORCE OPERATIONAL CAPACITY REPORTS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1514 LIGHT DETECTION AND RANGING DEVICES—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1515 WESTCONNEX PROJECT—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1516 MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1517 CYCLE SAFETY ACTION PLAN 2014-15—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1518 TINK REVIEW INTO POLICE OVERSIGHT—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1519 NARCOTICS IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- *1520 JUST TERMS REVIEW—Ms Jodi McKay asked the Attorney General—
- (1) Has the Just Terms Review conducted by Mr David J Russell SC been received by the Government?
 - (a) If the review has been received, on what date was it received?
 - (2) Has the Government made the review public?
 - (a) If not, when will the review be made public?
 - (3) Has the Government announced its response to the review?
 - (a) If not, when will the Government respond?
- Answer—
This question should be referred to the Hon. Dominic Perrottet, Minister for Finance, Service, and Property.
- 1521 INNER SYDNEY LIVE MUSIC VENUES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- *1522 MILLERS POINT SOCIAL HOUSING PROPERTIES—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
With reference to the eight units at 85-87 Kent Street, Millers Point:
- (1) When were these units built?
 - (2) When were the units last tenanted?
 - (3) When were the units last renovated?

- (4) For what reasons were these units left vacant?
- (5) Were units in this property vacant at 19 March 2014 when sales of properties were announced?
- (6) Are these properties still vacant and have not been sold?
- (7) For what reason is the Government waiting to sell these properties?
- (8) What consideration has been given to retaining these properties for social housing?

Answer—

- (1) 2000.
- (2) 2015.
- (3) Some units have had internal upgrades.
- (4) to (8) The properties are on the Millers Point sales program to generate much needed funds to build new social housing.

1523 ADVERTISING ON BUSES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

1524 SOLAR IN SCHOOLS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Education—

1525 SYDNEY HARBOUR FORESHORE AUTHORITY INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

*1526 ELIMINATING MICROBEADS IN PERSONAL CARE PRODUCTS—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

- (1) How many times has the working group established to work towards phasing out microbeads in personal care products met?
- (2) Who are the members of the working group?
- (3) What progress has been made so far?
- (4) Are bans being considered as part of the phase-out, noting that California has imposed a ban?
 - (a) What other options are being considered?
- (5) To what extent is New South Wales likely to achieve a phase-out of microbeads in personal care products by 2016?
- (6) How is the Government pushing for action at a national level?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

- (1) The NSW Microplastic Working Group has met on four occasions over the last 12 months.
- (2) The members of the NSW Microplastics Working Group are:
 - Environment Protection Authority
 - Federal Department of Environment
 - Do Something
 - Total Environment Centre
 - University of NSW
 - Office of Environment and Heritage
 - ACCORD
 - Australian Food and Grocery Council
 - Plastics and Chemicals Industries Associations.
- (3) The Working Group has examined a range of different approaches to minimise the impact of microplastics in personal care and cleaning products on the marine environment.
- (4) TO (6) Australian environment ministers will consider these issues at their next meeting on 15 December 2015.

*1527 ORAL HEALTH—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Health—

With reference to Australian Institute of Health and Welfare data showing that oral health has deteriorated, with half of 12 year olds having tooth decay in permanent teeth and thirty percent of adults having untreated tooth decay:

- (1) What assessment has the Government made of New South Wales data on untreated tooth decay?
- (2) What programs does the Government provide to address this health concern?
- (3) What program changes is the Government making to target untreated tooth decay and at-risk population groups?
- (4) What representations has the Government made to the Commonwealth Government about measures

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to improve oral health?

(5) What further plans does the Government have to reduce rates of untreated tooth decay?

Answer—

I am advised:

(1) to (5) Oral Health 2020: Strategic Directions for Dental Services in NSW provides the strategic platform for oral health action in NSW. It supports the NSW Ministry of Health to plan and deliver priority programs tailored to the health needs of the population at both a state and local level. As a major component of both Oral Health 2020 and the National Oral Health Plan, NSW will continue to promote access to fluoridated water supplies along with targeted oral health promotion programs to promote good oral hygiene and a low sugar diet in conjunction with state-wide population health programs.

The Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) reports on national trends in tooth decay in children do not include NSW data, with the exception of 2007. The data are collected by noncalibrated examiners and drawn opportunistically from School Dental Services, a model which NSW no longer runs. In 2007, NSW conducted a NSW Child Dental Health Survey using calibrated examiners and a comprehensive population-based sample, primarily of 5 and 6 year olds and 11 and 12 year olds.

Overall New South Wales reported a better oral health status for 12 year olds in 2007 than the national average, with 35 per cent of 12 year olds having tooth decay compared to 50 per cent nationally. New South Wales has also participated in the National Child Oral Health Survey 2012-2014 which will provide more up to date and reliable national data on tooth decay in children. New South Wales will also participate in the next National Adult Oral Health Survey planned for 2016-2018.

New South Wales and national surveys show higher levels of oral disease in lower socioeconomic groups and areas. NSW Public Oral Health Services provide free general dental care to these groups, including all children under 18 years of age, and adults who hold an Australian Government Health Care Card, Pensioner Concession Card, or Commonwealth Seniors Card.

NSW Health continues to work with the Commonwealth Government to implement the National Partnership Agreement on Adult Dental Services, and the Child Dental Benefits Schedule. NSW Health through the Healthy Children Initiative delivers the Munch & Move program in early childhood services and the Live Life Well at School program in primary schools. Both of these programs focus on establishing healthy eating habits in children through key messages such as "Choose water as a drink; Eat more fruit and vegetables; and Choose healthier snacks".

- 1528 CROWN LAND LEASES TO COUNCILS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1529 RUTHERFORD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1530 PADDINGTON BOWLING CLUB SITE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—

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- 1531 BLUE MOUNTAINS RAIL LINE—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1532 ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY INCENTIVES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- *1533 POLLUTION REPORTS—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

- (1) In each of the years from 2012 to 2015 (to 15 October 2015), how many reports of pollution were made to the Office of Environment and Heritage from residents of the Granville electorate concerning:
- (a) Air;
 - (b) Chemical and radiation;
 - (c) Environmental incidents;
 - (d) Motor vehicles;
 - (e) Noise;
 - (f) Waste and litter;
 - (g) Water?

Answer—

The number of complaints received by the Environment Protection Authority from residents of the Granville electorate from 2012 to 2015 are as follows. It should be noted that the residential address is not always recorded as this information is not always offered by the reporter.

(a) Air

2012	2013	2014	2015 (to Oct 19)
101	54	65	34

(b) Chemical and radiation

2012	2013	2014	2015 (to Oct 19)
59	12	11	6

(c) Environmental incidents

2012	2013	2014	2015 (to Oct 19)
3	3	1	1

(d) Motor vehicles

This data is not available. Pollution reports for smoky and noisy vehicles do not incorporate the residential address of the reporter as this is not relevant to the report. It is the location of the vehicle that matters.

(e) Noise

2012	2013	2014	2015 (to Oct 19)
39	48	22	13

(f) Waste and litter

The data prior to 2015 does not contain reports of littering from vehicles as the residential address of the reporter is not recorded. From 1 February 2015, members of the public were able to report incidents of littering from vehicles. These reports include the locational information of the reporter and is included in the 2015 value.

2012	2013	2014	2015 (to Oct 19)
13	14	15	214

(g) Water

2012	2013	2014	2015 (to Oct 19)
53	34	34	21

- 1534 PARRAMATTA PUBLIC HEALTH UNIT—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1535 NSW TRUSTEE AND GUARDIAN—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1536 SOCIAL HOUSING WAITING LIST—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1537 HONEYSUCKLE PRECINCT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1538 NEWCASTLE AND HUNTER SPECIAL REPORT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—

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- 1539 REMEDIATION OF CONTAMINATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1540 FORMER AGL GASWORKS SITE AT HAMILTON—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1541 NEWCASTLE LIGHT RAIL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1542 LIGHT RAIL ROLLING STOCK—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1543 EXTENSION OF LIGHT RAIL IN NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1544 AVERAGE MONTHLY PATRONAGE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1545 LAW ENFORCEMENT REQUESTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1546 TRIPLE ZERO CALLS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1547 TAXI TRANSPORT SUBSIDY SCHEME—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1548 REVENUE FROM PRIVATE ADVERTISING—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1549 BULLI HOSPITAL AGED CARE CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1550 HOUSING NSW MAINTENANCE HOTLINE—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- *1551 CONCERNS RELATING TO WESTCONNEX—Ms Jenny Leong asked the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- (1) Is the Minister aware of the concerns raised by small business as a result of WestConnex?
 - (2) What analysis of the impact on small business from the WestConnex has been undertaken by the Minister?
- Answer—
- (1) This question falls under the remit of the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, the Honourable Mr Duncan Gay MLC.
The Office of the NSW Small Business Commissioner (OSBC) encourages any small businesses that may be impacted by the construction phase of the WestConnex project to contact the OSBC on 1300 795 534. The OSBC offers business advisory services to small businesses through the Small Biz Connect program. This program can provide business advisory assistance to small businesses impacted by the WestConnex project regarding matters such as structural adjustment, leveraging new business opportunities and business planning considerations.
 - (2) This question falls under the remit of the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, the Honourable Mr Duncan Gay MLC.
- 1552 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LIAISON OFFICERS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1553 TRIAL OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH RISK OFFENDER TEAMS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1554 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DISCLOSURE SCHEME—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

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- 1555 CONTAMINATION ISSUES AT WILLIAMTOWN—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1556 FULLERTON COVE AND TILLIGERRY CREEK—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1557 DEMOUNTABLE CLASSROOMS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1558 SCHOOLS WITH EIGHT OR MORE DEMOUNTABLES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1559 ADDITIONAL COMMUTER PARKING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1560 ADDITIONAL LIGHTING AT BIRRONG STATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1561 HOLIDAY PARKS LONG TERM CASUAL OCCUPANTS ACT 2002—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 1562 ADDITIONAL COMMUTER CAR PARKING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1563 ADDITIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE ALONG THE BANKSTOWN RAIL LINE CORRIDOR—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1564 FUNDING UNDER SERVICE SUPPORT FUND—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1565 ABORIGINAL, CHILD AND FAMILY CENTRES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1567 ROSEMEADOW FIRE STATION—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1568 GOVERNMENT SERVICES IN CAMPBELLTOWN—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1569 REDEVELOPMENT OF CLAYMORE—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1570 MENTAL HEALTH IN THE MACARTHUR REGION—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1572 BROKAGE OF SECURITY PAYMENTS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1573 REFUGES IN REGIONAL AREAS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1574 INVESTING IN WOMEN PROGRAM—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1575 WOMEN IN INDUSTRY PLEDGE—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1576 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SPECIALIST POLICE OFFICER POSITIONS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1577 YOUTH OPPORTUNITY GRANTS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

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- 1579 ASSISTANCE FOR INMATES TO QUIT SMOKING—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1580 PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE NEAR GUILDFORD RAILWAY STATION—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1581 EASY ACCESS UPGRADES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1583 ASSISTANCE TO SYRIAN REFUGEES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1584 MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1585 STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1586 FAIRFIELD MOTOR REGISTRY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1587 DISPOSAL OF FLARES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- *1589 CONTAMINATION AT 54-58 DERBY STREET, SILVERWATER—Mr Luke Foley asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- (1) Has the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) received an investigation report that establishes the nature and extent of contamination at 54-58 Derby Street, Silverwater?
- (a) If so, when was this report received?
- (b) If so, is it available to the public?
- (2) When did an officer of the EPA last visit and inspect the site?
- Answer—
- I am advised as follows:
- (1) Yes.
- (a) 27 May 2015.
- (b) The report is available on request.
- (2) Inspections are conducted by EPA officers as appropriate, contingent on the unique, site-specific conditions of the regulatory response in place.
- 1590 AUBURN SERVICE NSW CENTRE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1591 WENTWORTH POINT DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1592 RUTHERFORD WASTE OIL—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- *1593 INVESTIGATIONS INTO OIL SPILLS—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- (1) How much money did the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) invest to investigate the source of a 2,500 litre oil spill behind Gardiner Street, Rutherford reported by Fulton Hogan on 24 July 2015?
- (a) When did the investigation into this spill commence and finish?
- (b) What was identified as the source of this spill?
- (c) What action was taken against the culprit?
- (d) Who paid for the clean-up of this spill?
- (e) What was the cost of this clean-up?
- (2) How much money did the EPA invest to investigate the source of the oil spill at Stony Creek in August 2014?
- (a) When did this investigation commence and finish?
- (b) What was identified as the source of this spill?
- (c) What action was taken against the culprit?

- (d) Who paid for the clean-up of this spill?
- (e) What was the cost of this clean-up?
- (3) Was Fulton Hogan found to be responsible for either the 2014 and/or the 2015 spill?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

- (1) The EPA's costs are estimated as \$36,016. This includes staff time and sampling and analysis costs.
 - (a) The investigation commenced on 24 July 2015 and finished on or about 10 September 2015, when sampling results indicated no connection to the Truegain Pty Ltd waste oil processing facility.
 - (b) and (c) The source was not identified.
 - (d) Fulton Hogan is paying for the clean up.
 - (e) The clean up is still continuing and final costs are yet to be determined.
 - (2) The EPA's costs are estimated as \$62,326. This includes staff time and sampling and analysis costs.
 - (a) The investigation commenced on 28 August 2014 and finished on 12 August 2015.
 - (b) and (c) The source of the spill was not identified.
 - (d) The NSW Environmental Trust.
 - (e) \$25,793.
 - (3) No.
- 1594 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SERVICES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1595 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH RISK OFFENDER TEAMS ROLLOUT—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1596 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH RISK OFFENDER TEAMS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1597 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EYE CLINIC—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health—
- *1598 MAITLAND HOSPITAL—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Health—
- With reference to the proposed new Maitland Hospital to be built at Metford:
- (1) What cancer services will be provided at the new hospital to serve the local community and meet the projected need of the population in the Hunter Valley?
 - (2) What palliative care services are planned for the new hospital to meet the need for palliative care in the Hunter region now and in the future?
 - (3) What lymphoedema services are planned for the new hospital?
- Answer—
- Clinical services currently provided at Maitland Hospital will transfer to the new hospital on commissioning.
- 1599 RIDE SHARING SERVICES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1600 LOCHINVAR POLICE STATION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1601 SAFETY AUDIT WORK—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1602 REVIEW OF NSW PUBLIC WORKS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1603 WORKERS COMPENSATION SCHEME—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

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- 1604 IMPROVEMENT NOTICES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1605 WORKERS COMPENSATION PAYMENTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1606 SKILL OF STONEMASONRY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1607 NUMBER OF INJURED WORKERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1608 BENEFITS REDUCED—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1609 RAIL MAINTENANCE FACILITY PROPOSAL—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1610 REVENUE FROM PENALTY ENFORCEMENT NOTICES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1611 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- *1612 PRIVATE OPERATOR OF PORT BOTANY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- Is compensation payable to the private operator of Port Botany for container throughput at Newcastle port in excess of a cap?
- Answer—
- Please refer to my response to questions 24 & 25 at Budget Estimates 2015 Answers to Supplementary Questions, General Purpose Standing Committee 1, 9 am, Thursday 3 September 2015.
- 1613 COURT DECISION ON NEWCASTLE RAIL LINE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1614 RAILWAY OVERBRIDGE NEAR MERRYLANDS EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Education—
- *1615 RE-CONTRACTING FRAMEWORK FOR OUT-OF-HOME CARE—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- How much is the total cost to the Department of Family and Community Services of having Ernst and Young develop a new re-contracting framework for out-of-home care service delivery?
- Answer—
- This question would be more appropriately directed to the Minister for Family and Community Services.
- 1616 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INCIDENTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1618 TOLL NOTICES—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1619 FUNDING FOR BIG TICKET EVENTS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1620 HAWKESBURY RIVER RAILWAY BRIDGE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1621 WOMEN'S REFUGES—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1622 STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1623 WARATAH RAILWAY STATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1624 TRANSPORT AUTHORITY—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1625 AUSGRID—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1626 BERESFIELD POLICE STATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1627 LEGAL AID NSW—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1628 TRAFFIC LIGHTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1629 SPEED LIMIT INCREASE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1630 WENTWORTH POINT AND CARTER STREET URBAN ACTIVATION PRECINCTS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1631 STAFF AT TRAIN STATIONS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1632 COMMON ROOMS IN HOUSING NSW PROPERTIES—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1633 WENTWORTH POINT PUBLIC SCHOOL—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1634 LAND AT DENNIS WINSTON DRIVE—Mr John Robertson to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1636 COMMUNITY HOUSING—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1637 DENTAL SERVICES AT WESTMEAD HOSPITAL—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1638 CARAVAN PARKS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1640 COURT SECURITY AMENDMENT ACT 2011—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1641 SHERIFF OFFICER AT BALLINA LOCAL COURT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1642 DUBBO LOCAL AND DISTRICT COURT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1643 SHERIFF'S OFFICER AT TWEED HEADS LOCAL COURT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1644 SERVICES OF THE HUB AT MILLER—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1645 THE HUB AT MILLER—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1646 PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS COMMUNITY HEALTH REVIEW REPORT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1647 MEASURES TO REDUCE TRUANCY—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1648 WESTMEAD HOSPITAL MAIN ENTRANCE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1649 EMERGENCY SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1650 WOMEN ONLY REFUGE CENTRES—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1651 MEASURES TO ADDRESS TRUANCY—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1652 ROOTY HILL RAILWAY STATION—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1653 MOUNT DRUITT COLLEGE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- *1654 BLACKTOWN HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—
- Why is there a sign displayed at Blacktown Hospital Emergency Department advising Mount Druitt patients to contact an after-hours general practitioner?
- Answer—
- I am advised:
- Western Sydney Local Health District and the local Primary Health Network, WentWest, have been collaborating to address the increase in patients with non-life threatening conditions presenting to Emergency Departments.
- Members of the community with non-urgent matters are being encouraged to visit their general practitioner, or to contact HealthDirect Australia, a telephone triage and advice line staffed by registered nurses 24 hours a day, seven days a week, every day of the year.
- The telephone number provided on the poster is a national number which can be accessed throughout Australia.
- *1655 CONCESSIONAL PARKING FEES—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—
- Why are concessional parking fees not advertised at the entrance to parking areas of public hospitals, where such concessions apply?
- Answer—
- I am advised:
- The Member is referred to the response to Legislative Assembly Question on Notice 0754.
- 1656 GRAFFITI DAMAGE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1657 SOCIAL HOUSING TENANCY TERMINATION ORDER—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General—
- 1658 MOTOR REGISTRY OFFICES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1659 STAMP DUTY REVENUE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1660 MANLY MOTOR REGISTRY OFFICE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1661 SERVICE NSW CENTRE AT LIVERPOOL—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1662 SUITABLE PREMISES FOR SERVICE NSW CENTRES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- 1663 STAND-ALONE MOTOR REGISTRY OFFICES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- *1664 VISITOR CAR PARKING AT CAMPBELLTOWN HOSPITAL—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong asked the Minister for Health—
- Can the Minister confirm that no fees will be charged for visitor car parking at Campbelltown Hospital?
- Answer—
- Parking arrangements at Campbelltown Hospital comply with the NSW Health Policy Directive PD2013_031 -Hospital Car Parking Fees Policy: Campuses which are subject to car parking development. Currently there are no charges for parking at the Campbelltown Hospital site.
- 1665 PUBLIC INTEREST DISCLOSURE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1666 HIGH SCHOOL FACILITIES—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1667 POPULATION PROJECTION—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1668 AUBURN HOSPITAL—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1670 MAINTENANCE WORK BY SPOTLESS—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1671 STATE TRANSIT AUTHORITY BUS SAFETY INSPECTIONS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1672 BUS STOPS WITH DISABILITY ASSISTANCE DEVICES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1673 BUSES IN THE STATE TRANSIT AUTHORITY FLEET—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1674 SECURE BICYCLE LOCKERS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1675 WHARVES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1676 FLOODING ISSUES AT BULLI HIGH SCHOOL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1677 DRIVING INSTRUCTORS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1678 MOTOR ACCIDENTS AUTHORITY—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1679 RESEARCH INTO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1680 TRAINING FOR POLICE OFFICERS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1681 SEWERAGE PUMP-OUT SUBSIDY—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1682 SERVICE NSW SPRINGWOOD—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

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- 1683 SECURITY FENCING—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Education—

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- 1684 SOUTH WEST SYDNEY INSTITUTE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1685 STAFF AT MOTOR REGISTRIES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1686 STAFF AT GRANVILLE RAILWAY STATION—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1687 TEACHING HOURS AT BELMONT TAFE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1688 VET FEE-HELP LOAN—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1694 FUNDING TO HUNTER RESEARCH—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1695 COMMUTER CAR AND DISABILITY PARKING—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1696 RAIL SERVICE TO OLYMPIC PARK—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1697 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1698 ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE SPECIALIST TEACHERS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1699 TAXI DRIVERS AND TAXI NUMBER PLATES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1700 SERVICE NSW CENTRES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1701 MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1702 SCHOOL CROSSING SUPERVISOR—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1703 CANLEY HEIGHTS PUBLIC SCHOOL—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1704 PUBLIC TRANSPORT FARES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1705 FUNDING FOR SCHOOLS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1706 RECTANGULAR STADIUM IN OUTER WESTERN SYDNEY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1707 MOBILE PHONE SCANNERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1708 PRIVACY OF AN INDIVIDUAL—Mr Ron Hoenig to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1709 STATE LITERACY AND NUMERACY ACTION PLAN—Mr Ron Hoenig to ask the Minister for Education—

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- 1710 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PACKAGE FUNDING—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1711 EXTENDED SCHOOL ABSENTEEISM—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1712 SCHOOLS IN MAITLAND—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1713 MAITLAND CITY COUNCIL—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1714 DRAFT HUNTER GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1715 SPECIAL INFRASTRUCTURE CONTRIBUTION CHARGE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1716 STATE INFRASTRUCTURE CHARGES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1717 MINE SUBSIDENCE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1718 THORNTON RAILWAY BRIDGE PROJECT—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1719 PRIVATE OPERATOR OF PORT BOTANY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1720 DRAFT HUNTER GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1721 DETAILED PLAN FOR MINE SUBSIDENCE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1722 STOCKTON CENTRE CLOSURE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1723 PETROLEUM EXPLORATION LICENCE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1724 CITY ROUTE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1725 COMMUTER CARPARK IN BANKSTOWN—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1726 OPAL CARD—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1727 NSW TRUSTEE AND GUARDIAN OFFICE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1728 LOCAL DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1729 NSW TRUSTEE AND GUARDIAN OFFICE IN BANKSTOWN—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General—
- 1730 BANKSTOWN COUNCIL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1731 LOCAL ROADS IN BANKSTOWN—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1732 BEHAVIOURAL CHANGE PROGRAMS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1733 PORT STEPHENS COUNCIL—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—

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- 1734 RURAL FIRE STATIONS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1735 KARUAH BOAT RAMP—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1736 WILLIAMTOWN RAAF BASE—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1737 NATIONAL PLANNING PRINCIPLES FOR ANIMALS IN DISASTERS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1738 FISH LABELLING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1739 POLYSTYRENE FOAM—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1740 BICYCLE AWARENESS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1741 COUNCIL POWERS TO REGULATE COMMERCIAL WASTE ACTIVITIES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1742 LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTED DIVERSION PROGRAM—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1743 ACCESSIBLE AND ADAPTABLE HOUSING SUPPLY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1744 BACKPACKER HOSTELS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 1745 APRIL FLOOD REVIEW—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1747 UNDERGROUND ASSETS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1748 INTENSIVE CARE UNITS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1749 FUNDS FOR LOWER HUNTER HOSPITAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- *1750 NSW AMBULANCE RESOURCES—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Health—

With reference to the NSW Ambulance resources:

- (1) How many operational zones are there in New South Wales?
- (2) How many ambulance stations are there in each operational zone?
- (3) How many ambulances are allocated to each operational zone?
 - (a) What percentage of these is allocated to more than one operational zone?
- (4) For recording purposes, if an ambulance is allocated to more than one operational zone, is the ambulance recorded only once or recorded as attending each operational zone?

Answer—

- (1) to (4) There are 18 zones operating within eight sectors. The locations of stations, zones, and sectors are published on the NSW Ambulance website.

NSW Ambulance transport vehicles are allocated to each station based on the number of full time equivalent paramedics and the rostered deployment configuration. The nature of ambulance deployment does not restrict the ambulance crew and vehicle to a single geographic jurisdiction for their shift. Often a crew will travel across multiple jurisdictions within a single shift; however the vehicle is only recorded as a single entity based on the radio identification number.

- 1751 OPAL CARDS WITH CREDIT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- 1752 TAFE AND VET FUNDING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1753 PRIVATE BUSINESSES OPERATING WITHIN NEW SOUTH WALES TRAIN STATIONS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 1754 COST OF NECESSARY AIDS TO QUIT SMOKING—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1755 RESPONSES TO THE DRUG 'ICE'—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1756 GOVERNMENT PROPERTY REGISTER—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

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- 1757 APPLICATIONS FOR BOND ASSISTANCE—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1758 WYONG SHIRE COUNCIL—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1759 OPAL CARD RETAIL OUTLETS—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1760 CRITERIA FOR A LIFT—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1761 SERVICE NSW CENTRES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1763 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- *1764 FORMER AUBURN LANDFILL—Mr Luke Foley asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

With reference to the contamination along Jamieson Street Silverwater, known as the former Auburn Landfill (area no: 960):

- (1) When did the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) last receive a report into the operational performance of the waste containment systems?
- (2) What was the interpretation of the sampling and laboratory results of the monitoring programs?
- (3) When did an officer of the EPA last visit the site and inspect the waste containment systems?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

- (1) On 21 January 2015.
 - (2) The groundwater sampling and laboratory results for the former Auburn Landfill indicate continued effective containment. Analytical results were within historical ranges.
 - (3) Inspections are conducted by EPA officers as appropriate, contingent on the unique, site-specific conditions of the regulatory response in place.
- 1765 AUBURN HOSPITAL—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1766 MACARTHUR SERVICE NSW CENTRE—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1767 WALLSEND SERVICE NSW CENTRE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

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- 1768 SOCIAL HOUSING WAITING LIST—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1769 WOMEN'S CENTRES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1770 SPECIALIST HOMELESSNESS AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RELIEF SERVICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1771 INTERNATIONAL FEE PAYING STUDENTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1772 ENERGY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (RETAIL ELECTRICITY AND GAS PRICING) BILL 2015—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1773 UNEMPLOYMENT RATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1774 CALLOUTS OF THE NSW POLICE FORCE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1775 CONTACT SPORTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1776 ALBION PARK RAIL BYPASS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

*1777 SHELLHARBOUR HOSPITAL—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Health—

- (1) Has the NSW Ministry of Health approved the business case for the upgrade of Shellharbour Hospital?
 - (a) If so, on what date was the business case approved?
 - (b) If not, what are the reasons for the delay in approval?
- (2) Does the business case require approval from the NSW Treasury?
 - (a) If so, on what date will the business case be considered by NSW Treasury?
- (3) Is the upgrade of Shellharbour Hospital fully funded?
- (4) What are the reasons for not being able to commence the upgrade by 1 July 2016?

Answer—

- (1) to (4) The Final Business Case for the Shellharbour Hospital redevelopment will be submitted to NSW Treasury consistent with Total Asset Management submission requirements for agencies.
No decisions have been made regarding budget allocations or construction timeframes for the project. The Government will meet its commitments with regard to the hospital upgrade.

*1778 INTEGRATED PRIMARY AND COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE STRATEGY—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Health—

- (1) Has the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District commenced developing an 'Integrated Primary and Community Health Care Strategy' which will detail the requirements for the West Dapto Health Centre (reference LA Q.0429)?
 - (a) If not, why not?
 - (b) If so, on what date will this strategy be released?

Answer—

I am advised:

As part of its priority setting and forward planning processes, the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District has identified the need to expand the range of primary and community health care services available in Dapto.

In order to confirm the scope and capital footprint and associated resources required, the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District will develop an Integrated Primary and Community Health Care Strategy for the District, which will detail the requirements for the West Dapto Health One Centre.

It is anticipated that a District-wide footprint for Integrated Primary and Community Health Centres will be completed this financial year, inclusive of West Dapto.

- 1779 ILLAWARRA GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1780 SHELLHARBOUR CITY COUNCIL—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1781 SCHOOL CHALLENGES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- *1782 SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICE DATA—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Health—
- (1) Does NSW Health's database for capturing Sexual Assault Service data include collection of the following:
 - (a) The number of forensic examinations conducted on all children, disaggregated by Aboriginal status;
 - (b) The number of forensic examinations conducted on children under 14, disaggregated by Aboriginal status;
 - (c) The number and type of health practitioners who conducted forensic examinations on children (such as a SANE, trained GP or paediatrician);
 - (d) Whether travel was required for the examination of a child;
 - (i) If so, the distance covered, and the agency providing the transport?
 - (e) The time from the making of the child sexual assault report to the time of the forensic examination;
 - (f) Requests for a forensic examination of a child that were declined due to a health practitioner deciding that an examination was unnecessary/inappropriate (and the reasons for each decision)?

Answer—

I am advised that:

Sexual Assault Service data is currently collected for children at the local health district level and through the Joint Investigation Response Team (JIRT) Report Card.

Work is well advanced in the development of a new sexual assault database, anticipated to be introduced in early 2016. This will include the collection of data for children and also be extended to young people and adults.

- 1784 INCOME RECEIVED BY SCHOOLS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1785 STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1786 INTERNATIONAL FEE PAYING STUDENTS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1787 STATE OWNED CORPORATIONS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1788 GUARDIANS AD LITEM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1789 BARRIER COUNTS AT TRAIN STATIONS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1790 POLICE AT TRAIN STATIONS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1791 FUNDING FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1793 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES CALL CENTRE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1794 USE OF OPAL CARDS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1795 TUMBI CREEK—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1796 CAR REGISTRATIONS—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1797 FIRE AND RESUCE NSW—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1798 UNEMPLOYMENT RATE—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1799 MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1800 INGLEBURN ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES MOTOR REGISTRY—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1801 POTENTIAL LOCATIONS FOR SERVICE NSW CENTRE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1802 CAR AND MOTORCYCLE DRIVERS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1803 PREMIER'S VISIT TO THE MACQUARIE FIELDS ELECTORATE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1804 MINISTER'S VISIT TO THE MACQUARIE FIELDS ELECTORATE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1805 SHARED HOMEOWNERSHIP SCHEME—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1806 SALE OF SYDNEY HARBOUR ASSETS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1807 COMMON GROUND PROJECT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1808 ULTIMO PUBLIC SCHOOL REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1809 AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1810 ILLEGAL COMMERCIAL POSTERS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Attorney General—
- 1811 SCHOOL STUDENT TRANSPORT SUBSIDY SCHEME—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1812 BUS SERVICES TO CIRCULAR QUAY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1813 POKER MACHINES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1814 SUPPORT FOR FORMER BLUESCOPE STEEL EMPLOYEES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1815 NEW BUSES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1816 SECURITY CAMERAS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1817 OPAL CARD TOP UP MACHINES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1818 RAIL LEVEL CROSSINGS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- 1819 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION INDEX SURVEYS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1820 WOMEN'S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT ADVOCACY SERVICES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1821 REFUGES IN THE ILLAWARRA REGION—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1822 DEMOUNTABLES IN SCHOOLS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1823 HOUSING ACCELERATION FUND—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1824 FUNDING TO HELP REDUCE DRUG USE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1825 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1826 REFUGES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1827 OPAL CARD TOP UP MACHINES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1828 LOW INCOME HOUSEHOLD REBATE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1829 WOMEN'S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT ADVOCACY SERVICES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1830 DRUG TESTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1831 SAFER PATHWAY PROGRAM—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1832 MENANGLE/SPRING FARM LINK ROAD—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- *1833 KANGY ANGY RESIDENTS ACTION GROUP—Mr David Mehan asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- (1) Will the Minister agree to meet with the Kangy Angy Residents Action Group regarding the proposed rail maintenance facility at Kangy Angy?
- (2) Will the Minister respond to their written representations?
- Answer—
- I am advised as follows:
- The Minister for Transport and Infrastructure is responsible for the proposed rail maintenance facility at Kangy Angy.
- 1834 TUMBI CREEK—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

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- 1835 TOMAGO PERIODIC DETENTION CENTRE—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1836 MENTORING PROGRAM—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1837 GONSKI FUNDING PROGRAM 2016—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1838 HUNTER RIVER COMMUNITY SCHOOL SITE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1839 PATIENTS WITH ASTHMA RELATED CONDITIONS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1840 TENDER FOR GOVERNMENT FUNDING—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1841 COURT HOUSES IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General—
- 1842 OPAL CARDS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1843 TELARAH RAILWAY STATION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1844 RESIDENTIAL CARE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1845 COMPLETED KOORAGANG PRECINCT EMERGENCY SUB PLAN—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1846 KOORAGANG PRECINCT EMERGENCY SUB PLAN—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1847 WICKHAM INTERCHANGE PROJECT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1848 NEWCASTLE PORT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1849 STAFF AT NSW ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AUTHORITY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1850 FUNDING FOR NSW ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AUTHORITY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1851 REVITALISING NEWCASTLE COMMUNITY CONSULTATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1852 CESSNOCK HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1853 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REFUGES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1854 LOWER HUNTER HOSPITAL AT METFORD—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1855 BREATH TESTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1856 LOCAL POLICE STATIONS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1857 REQUEST FOR AUTOPSY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Attorney General—
- 1858 MAINSTREAM SPORTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—

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- 1859 GREYHOUNDS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1860 SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1861 FINES ACT 1966—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Attorney General—
- 1862 M5 EAST SMOKY VEHICLE ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1863 INNER WEST AND SOUTH TRAIN LINE CLOSURES—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1864 TRAFFIC OBSERVATION SURVEYS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1865 FAIR TRADING TENANCY COMPLAINTS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 1866 CHIEF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS OFFICE—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1867 DISCOVERY DAY 2015—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1868 ACCESS TO DISCOVERY DAY 2015 INFORMATION SESSIONS—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1869 BELMONT TAFE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1870 DISCOVERY DAY 2015 AT MUSWELLBROOK TAFE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1871 DISCOVERY DAY 2015 AT KURRI KURRI TAFE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1872 DISCOVERY DAY 2015 AT NEWCASTLE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1873 FUNDING FOR BANKSTOWN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SERVICE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1874 CUMBERLAND PLAIN WOODLANDS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1875 AMALGAMATION OF LOCAL COUNCILS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1876 TEACHING POSITIONS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1877 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DISCLOSURE SCHEME—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1878 PADSTOW RAILWAY STATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1879 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1880 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

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1881 FUNDING FOR HEALTH SERVICES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

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1882 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES SITE AT MILLS STREET, LIDCOMBE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

1883 AUBURN HOSPITAL—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Health—

1884 BULLYING AND WORKPLACE HARASSMENT—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Health—

1885 SPECIALIST TRIBUNAL SERVICES—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

1886 PARKING AT CAMPBELLTOWN HOSPITAL—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Health—

1887 INVESTIGATIONS INTO FRAUD—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

1888 BUDGET ESTIMATES 2015-16 SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

1889 SYDNEY MOTORWAY CORPORATION—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

1890 M4 TOLL—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

1891 POLICE STRENGTH—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

1892 CAR REGISTRATIONS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

1893 WESTMEAD HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Health—

1894 SERVICE NSW CALL CENTRE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

1895 M4 WIDENING PROJECT—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

1896 ON THE SPOT LICENCES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

1897 WALLSEND ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

1898 PRISON POPULATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—

1899 LITERACY AND NUMERACY TEACHERS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—

1900 COURSES AT GLENDALE TAFE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—

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- 1901 TAFE REDUNDANCIES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1902 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1903 POWER NETWORKS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1904 SPECIALIST HOMELESSNESS AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RELIEF SERVICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1905 LOCAL COURT AT MURWILLUMBAH—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1906 VICTIMS ADVISORY BOARD—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1907 VICTIMS ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1908 REAPPOINTED VICTIMS ADVISORY BOARD—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1909 HOMICIDE VICTIMS SUPPORT GROUP—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1910 TEACHING POSITIONS IN LIVERPOOL ELECTORATE PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1911 SCHOOLS IN THE LIVERPOOL ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1912 GOVERNMENT INFORMATION (PUBLIC ACCESS) ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1913 HAWKESBURY RIVER RAILWAY BRIDGE—Ms Kathy Smith to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1914 PARKING ARRANGEMENTS AT THE WESTMEAD HOSPITAL—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1915 STAFF AT SOUTH WESTERN SYDNEY INSTITUTE OF TAFE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1916 WESTCONNEX—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1917 PARK AND SPORT FACILITIES—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1918 MACARTHUR SERVICE CENTRE AT GREGORY HILLS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1919 DRIVER TESTS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1920 MOTOR REGISTRIES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1921 CAR PARKING AT RAILWAY STATIONS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1922 STAFF AT RAILWAY STATIONS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1923 MACQUARIE FIELDS RAILWAY STATION—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1924 LINE MARKING EXPENDITURE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1925 SPEED CAMERAS IN THE AUBURN ELECTORATE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1926 REGISTERED TRAINING ORGANISATIONS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1927 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1928 BICYCLE ROUTE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1929 SMARTROLL—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1930 NATIONAL DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES CURRICULUM—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1931 INNER CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1932 CONSTRUCTION NOISE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1933 NATIVE GAME BIRD MANAGEMENT PROGRAM—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1934 SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1935 RELEASE OF A PRIVATE LETTER—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1936 RELEASE OF A PRIVATE LETTER FROM THE DEPUTY PREMIER—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

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- 1937 TELARAH FIRE STATION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1938 FEMALE BATHROOM FACILITIES IN PARLIAMENT—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1939 SAVE OUR RAIL—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1940 OPAL CARD TOP UP MACHINES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1941 PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN THE HUNTER REGION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1942 AMALGAMATION OF COUNCILS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1943 RUTHERFORD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1944 AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Planning—

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- 1945 HUNTER REGIONAL PLAN—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1946 SMART AND SKILLED CONTRACT AWARD PROCESS—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1947 SECURITY IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1948 CHILD WELLBEING UNIT—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1949 RIVERINA REGION—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1950 LEMNOS CLUB LOCATED AT 44 ALBERT STREET, BELMORE—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1951 JOBS AT ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1952 WARNERS BAY SERVICE NSW CENTRE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1953 MOTOR REGISTRY OFFICES—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1954 STRATA OWNERS AND TENANTS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1955 COMMON AREAS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1956 SERVICE NSW NETWORK—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1957 SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1958 STUDENTS IN THE AUBURN ELECTORATE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1959 DEMOUNTABLE CLASSROOMS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1960 LIDCOMBE TAFE—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1961 LYMPHOEDEMA—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1962 SKATE PARK FOR BARANGAROO—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1963 TRAIN SAFETY—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1964 LAND TRANSFERS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1965 WESTCONNEX PROJECT—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1966 M4 EAST TUNNEL AND M4 WIDENING—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1967 WESTCONNEX PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1968 REPORT INTO OUTCOMES-BASED CONTRACTING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1969 SOCIAL HOUSING APPLICANTS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1970 BUDGET ESTIMATES—CONSULTATION REGARDING OUTCOME-BASED CONTRACTING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1971 FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1972 BOXING DAY—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1973 OUT-OF-HOME CARE DELIVERY—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1974 ASBESTOS REMOVAL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1975 ILLEGAL ASBESTOS DUMPING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1976 BANKSTOWN TRAIN LINE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1977 BULLI HIGH SCHOOL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1978 WOLLONGONG COAL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1979 WAITING TIME FOR AN ENDOSCOPY APPOINTMENT—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1980 FIREFIGHTING FOAM—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1981 MODULAR CELL BEDS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1982 GRAFTON CORRECTIONAL CENTRE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1983 GLENN INNES CORRECTIONAL CENTRE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1984 ADDITIONAL BEDS AT WELLINGTON CORRECTIONAL CENTRE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1985 WELLINGTON CORRECTIONAL CENTRE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1986 EXTRA BEDS IN CORRECTIONAL CENTRES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1987 COST OF DETAINING OFFENDERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1988 COURT HOLDING CELLS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1989 POLICE HOLDING CELLS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1990 ABACUS PROPERTY GROUP PROPOSAL FOR LIVERPOOL CBD—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1991 SEARCH AND ADMINISTRATION FEES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Attorney General—

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- 1992 PUBLIC WORKS NSW—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1993 PROPERTY PORTFOLIO LIST—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1994 PROPERTY PORTFOLIO—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1995 OUTSOURCING OF SERVICEFIRST NSW—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1996 LEASES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1997 HUNTER WATER BUILDING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1998 GOVERNMENT PROPERTY NSW WEBSITE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1999 GREYHOUND—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 2000 HAMILTON GASWORKS SITE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 2001 FUTURE TRAVEL FARES—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 2002 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Health—
- 2003 WORKERS AFFECTED BY PUBLIC TRANSPORT PRIVATISATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 2004 SENIOR OPAL CARD HOLDERS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 2005 EXTENSION OF LIGHT RAIL IN NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 2006 PRIVATISATION OF NEWCASTLE PUBLIC TRANSPORT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 2007 CONCERNS RELATING TO WESTCONNEX—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- (1) Is the Minister aware of the concerns raised by small business as a result of WestConnex?
 - (2) What analysis of the impact on small business from WestConnex has been undertaken by the Minister?
- 2008 KANGY ANGY RESIDENTS ACTION GROUP—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) Will the Minister agree to meet with the Kangy Angy Residents Action Group regarding the proposed rail maintenance facility at Kangy Angy?
 - (2) Will the Minister respond to their written representations?
- 2009 RE-CONTRACTING FRAMEWORK FOR OUT-OF-HOME CARE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- How much is the total cost to the Department of Family and Community Services of having Ernst and Young develop a new re-contracting framework for out-of-home care service delivery?
- 2010 EAR, NOSE AND THROAT SPECIALISTS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Health—

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What is the Government doing to address the shortage of Ear, Nose and Throat Specialists in Newcastle and the Hunter region?

2011 JUST TERMS REVIEW—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) Has the Just Terms Review conducted by Mr David J Russell SC been received by the Government?
 - (a) If the review has been received, on what date was it received?
- (2) Has the Government made the review public?
 - (a) If not, when will the review be made public?
- (3) Has the Government announced its response to the review?
 - (a) If not, when will the Government respond?

2012 SOCIAL HOUSING IN THE MOUNT DRUITT ELECTORATE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) In the last 6 months, how many evictions for all causes occurred in social housing properties in the Mount Drutt Electorate?
 - (a) What are the top three reasons for these evictions?

2013 TEACHERS AIDES—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—

- (1) How many teacher's aides were assigned to the following schools in the Auburn electorate in each of the years from 2012 to 2015:
 - (a) Auburn Girls High School;
 - (b) Auburn North Public School;
 - (c) Auburn Public School;
 - (d) Auburn West Public School;
 - (e) Berala Public School;
 - (f) Blaxcell Street Public School;
 - (g) Granville East Public School;
 - (h) Granville South Creative and Performing Arts High School;
 - (i) Karningul School;
 - (j) Lidcombe Public School;
 - (k) Newington Public School;
 - (l) Regents Park Public School;
 - (m) Sunning Hill School?
- (2) How many teacher's aides will be assigned to the following schools in the Auburn electorate in 2016:
 - (a) Auburn Girls High School;
 - (b) Auburn North Public School;
 - (c) Auburn Public School;
 - (d) Auburn West Public School;
 - (e) Berala Public School;
 - (f) Blaxcell Street Public School;
 - (g) Granville East Public School;
 - (h) Granville South Creative and Performing Arts High School;
 - (i) Karningul School;
 - (j) Lidcombe Public School;
 - (k) Newington Public School;
 - (l) Regents Park Public School;
 - (m) Sunning Hill School?

2014 TRUANCY PROGRAMS—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—

- (1) What truancy programs exist in the Auburn electorate to address the issue of students not attending school because of various social problems?
- (2) What has been the level of funding for truancy programs in the Auburn electorate for each of the financial years from 2011-12 to 2014-15?
- (3) What is the planned funding for truancy programs in the Auburn electorate for the 2016-17 financial year?

2015 FIRST AID TRAINING—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Education—

- (1) How many people working in secondary schools, primary schools, infant's schools and kindergartens

in the Auburn electorate have first aid certifications?

- (2) Has first aid certification training been made compulsory for all teachers?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- (3) Who manages the certification and re-certification of teachers?
- (4) How many teachers and non-teaching staff have first aid certifications in the following schools in the Auburn electorate:
 - (a) Auburn Girls High School;
 - (b) Auburn North Public School;
 - (c) Auburn Public School;
 - (d) Auburn West Public School;
 - (e) Berala Public School;
 - (f) Blaxcell Street Public School;
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 - (j) Lidcombe Public School;
 - (k) Newington Public School;
 - (l) Regents Park Public School;
 - (m) Sunning Hill School?

2016 PUBLIC HOUSING PROPERTIES—Mr Luke Foley to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) How many of the following public housing properties are there in the Auburn electorate as at 17 November 2015:
 - (a) Freestanding houses;
 - (b) Town houses;
 - (c) Units or apartments;
 - (d) Other dwelling types?
- (2) How many of the following public housing properties are vacant in the Auburn electorate as at 17 November 2015:
 - (a) Freestanding houses;
 - (b) Town houses;
 - (c) Units or apartments;
 - (d) Other dwelling types?
- (3) How many of the following public housing properties are undergoing refurbishment and or maintenance in the Auburn electorate as at 17 November 2015:
 - (a) Freestanding houses;
 - (b) Town houses;
 - (c) Units or apartments;
 - (d) Other dwelling types?

2017 PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN FLETCHER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

What public transport options are available to the residents of the UrbanGrowth NSW development 'Sanctuary' in Fletcher?

2018 AFFORDABLE HOUSING TASKFORCE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Planning—

What actions have been taken in response to the recommendations regarding actions to develop a new affordable housing planning policy made in the 2012 interim report of the Affordable Housing Taskforce?

2019 TAFE DELIVERED VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—

- (1) What will be the cost for students to study any TAFE delivered vocational education and training (TVET) course at Glendale TAFE in 2016?
- (2) Will students have to purchase personal protective equipment to study TVET courses in 2016 at Glendale TAFE?

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- 2020 VET FEE-HELP LOANS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
How many students enrolled at Glendale TAFE have signed to a VET Fee-HELP loan in 2015 (to 16 November 2015)?
- 2021 GLENDALE TAFE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
How many part-time and casual teachers at Glendale TAFE have lost teaching hours between 1 March 2011 and 31 October 2015?
- 2022 INTERNATIONAL FEE PAYING STUDENTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
How many international fee paying students have enrolled at Glendale TAFE in 2015 (as of 17 November 2015)?
- 2023 AVERAGE WAIT TIME FOR CRISIS ACCOMMODATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
What is the average wait time for crisis accommodation in women's refuges in the Wallsend electorate as of 16 November 2015?
- 2024 IT STOPS HERE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
How will the 'It Stops Here' reforms impact upon the prevention of domestic and family violence in the Wallsend electorate?
- 2025 JOBS AT SERVICE NSW CENTRES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
(1) Have significant job losses occurred as a result of the closure of the Wallsend Motor Registry?
(2) Have similar job and skill losses occurred elsewhere in New South Wales as a result of the establishment of Service NSW centres?
(a) If so, why have no provisions been made to ensure the employment of highly experienced and often long-serving Roads and Maritime Services staff at Service NSW centres?
- 2026 PURCHASE OF ILLICIT TOBACCO—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
(1) Does the NSW Police Force co-operate with Imperial Tobacco Australia Ltd in covert purchasing of illicit tobacco?
(2) Has the NSW Police Force made any applications under the Controlled Operations Act in relation to the purchasing by a police officer or an employee of Imperial Tobacco Australia of illicit tobacco?
- 2027 MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
(1) Is there a Memorandum of Understanding between the NSW Police Force and Imperial Tobacco Australia Ltd concerning the investigations and prosecution of the sale and trafficking in illicit tobacco?
(a) If so, where may it be examined?
(b) If not, how is the relationship between Imperial Tobacco Australia Ltd and NSW Police Force regulated?
- 2028 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
(1) Which divisions within Family and Community Services have moved from Liverpool since 1 March 2014?
(a) On what dates did this occur?
(b) How many staff were involved during these moves?

- 2029 MULTICULTURAL NSW OFFICE SPACE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- What steps have been taken to secure office space in Liverpool for the offices of Multicultural NSW?
- 2030 BUILDING PROFESSIONALS ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- When will the Government respond to the Lambert Report on the review of the Building Professionals Act?
- 2031 NSW TRUSTEE AND GUARDIAN OFFICE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) Do you propose to close the NSW Trustee and Guardian office in Liverpool?
 - (a) If so, when?
 - (b) If so, what do you propose for the building in which the office is located?
- 2032 SUITORS FUND ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) How many indemnity certificates have been issued under the Sutors Fund Act in New South Wales courts in the following periods:
 - (a) 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014;
 - (b) 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2015?
 - (2) How much has been paid out in Sutors Fund Act claims in the following periods:
 - (a) 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014;
 - (b) 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2015?
- 2033 CORONIAL COURT FILES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) Are the Coronial Court files relating to the inquests in May 1980 and February 1981 into the presumed death of Frank Nugan missing?
 - (a) If so, what steps are you taking to locate these files?
- 2034 COURTHOUSES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) Do you propose to sell or close any courthouses in this term?
 - (a) If so, which courthouses and when?
- 2035 WALLSEND ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) During the transition of the Wallsend Roads and Maritime Services office to a Services NSW Centre, will all services currently available at the Wallsend office be available to the public from the temporary location?
 - (2) Will on the spot licences be issued from the temporary location, as has been available at the existing Wallsend location?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 2036 SELF-HARM AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) Is the Government increasing resources to aid in the prevention of self-harm among young people, particularly those aged between 15 and 24?
 - (2) Will the Government increase funding to Hunter New England Health to increase staff and programs to aid in the prevention of self-harm?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 2037 PADDINGTON BOWLING CLUB—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- (1) Did the Paddington Bowling Club operators plead guilty to 40 breaches of the Registered Clubs Act, the Gaming Machines Regulation and the Liquor Act and were fined more than \$50,000?
 - (a) What assessment has the Government made of these charges, the court outcome and enforcement action?

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- (b) Does each of these breaches constitute grounds to terminate the lease?
 - (c) What action has been taken about terminating the lease?
 - (d) Does the Government intend to cancel the lease?
 - (e) Has the Government initiated forfeit clauses of the lease?
 - (f) What impact do these breaches have on the Crown Land dedication?
- (2) What consideration has the Government given to future use of the Paddington Bowling Club site for public recreation?
- (3) Has the Government considered transferring this lease to Woollahra Municipal Council and what steps have been taken towards doing this?
- (4) What further action will the Government take to ensure that this Crown Land is used for public recreation?
- 2038 RENEWAL OF DRIVING LICENCE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- Why are drivers aged between 45 and 75 not eligible to renew their Class C drivers licence for a period of 10 years?
- 2039 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) How many units have been constructed in the Granville electorate from funding provided in whole or in part by the Government?
 - (2) How many houses or townhouses have been constructed in the Granville electorate from funding provided in whole or in part by the Government?
 - (3) How many affordable housing properties have been constructed in the Granville electorate from funding provided in whole or in part by the Government?
 - (4) How many affordable housing properties have been purchased in the Granville electorate from funding provided in whole or in part by the Government?
 - (5) How many community housing properties are tenanted or available in the Granville electorate?
- 2040 SOCIAL HOUSING—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- (1) As at 30 June 2015, what was the average wait time for a priority applicant to be housed:
 - (a) In the Granville electorate;
 - (b) Across New South Wales?
 - (2) As at 30 June 2015, what was the average wait time for a general housing applicant to be housed:
 - (a) In the Granville electorate;
 - (b) Across New South Wales?
- 2041 AMALGAMATIONS OF LOCAL COUNCILS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- (1) Will local rate payers have to bear the cost of amalgamation through an increase in council rates?
 - (2) Can the Minister confirm that the cost of amalgamation for councils forced to merge will not exceed the financial incentives on offer by the Government?