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*7423 MAMBO WETLAND—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) Has the Minister met with the purchaser of the Mambo Wetlands which was sold by the Government in 2016?
- (2) Has the Minister met with Port Stephens Council regarding the buyback of the Mambo Wetlands?
- (3) Will the Government be supporting the buyback of the Mambo wetlands, either through voluntary sale or compulsory acquisition?

Answer—

I am advised that the Department of Planning and Environment have met with the landowner and Port Stephens Council about Lots 560-566 Port Stephens Drive, Salamander Bay.

*7424 NSW LITERACY AND NUMERACY STRATEGY—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) How many at-risk Kindergarten to Year 2 students were supported in the Illawarra under the Government's \$340 million NSW Literacy and Numeracy Strategy in 2017?
- (2) How many people will be employed under the NSW Literacy and Numeracy Strategy in the Illawarra during this Strategy?
- (3) Which education groups, experts or committees were consulted in the Illawarra before developing the NSW Literacy and Numeracy Strategy?

Answer—

(1) I'm advised in 2017, there were 18 government and two non-government schools selected for involvement in the Literacy and Numeracy Action Plan in the Illawarra. A total of 1,892 Kindergarten to Year 2 students were supported through this strategy.

(2) I'm advised resources equivalent to 16.8 full time equivalent (FTE) teachers have been allocated to government and non-government Action Plan schools in the Illawarra under the strategy.

(3) I'm advised experts from the Illawarra have been consulted on the development of one of the strategy's major deliverables – the National Literacy and Numeracy Learning Progressions. Experts consulted:

- Dr Pauline Jones and Dr Beverley Derewianka of Wollongong University
- Literacy and numeracy consultants from the Catholic Diocese of Wollongong

Schools from across New South Wales were invited to participate in a trial of the learning progressions. The following schools from the Illawarra participated:

- Cringila Public School
- Koonawarra Public School
- St John's Catholic Primary at Dapto
- St Michael's Catholic Primary from Nowra
- St Therese's Catholic Primary from West Wollongong.

*7425 BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE FUND—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Assistant Minister for Education—

- (1) How many additional places have been created through the Before and After School Care Fund, as of 30 January 2018?
- (2) What is the total amount spent as part of the Before and After School Care Fund, as of 30 January 2018 ?

Answer—

I refer the Member to Hansard in the Legislative Council on 13 March 2018.

*7426 LOWER HUNTER FREIGHT CORRIDOR—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

- (1) Has the feasibility study into the construction of the Lower Hunter Freight Bypass between Hexham and Fassifern been completed?
 - (a) If not, when is it due for completion?

Answer—

I am advised:

Information about the Lower Hunter Freight Corridor is available on the Transport for NSW website.

*7427 COASTAL MANAGEMENT ACT 2016—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—

When does the Minister intend to proclaim the Coastal Management Act 2016 which was passed by the Parliament on 31 May 2016 and assented to by the Governor on 7 June 2016?

Answer—

The Coastal Management Act 2016 will be proclaimed by the Minister for the Environment.

*7428 BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE FUND—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Assistant Minister for Education—

- (1) Who was consulted regarding the policy change, published on 27 October 2017, which removed the requirement for applicants for tenders to operate before and after school care services to fulfil the requirements of a pre-qualification scheme?
- (2) Did the Minister, or staff from the Minister's office or Department, discuss this change with Camp Australia prior to its announcement?

Answer—

- (1) The Department of Education changed its approach to ensuring the quality of Out of School Hours Care providers from a pre-qualification scheme to a more robust tender process following consultation with OSHC providers, its legal representatives and members of the Early Childhood Education Directorate.
- (2) Camp Australia was consulted and provided a submission to the department as part of the consultation process.

*7429 SCHOOL BUSES—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) According to school Opal card data, how many high school students caught a bus from the suburb of Medowie to a school outside of Medowie, in the week beginning 5 February 2018?
- (2) According to school Opal card data, how many high school students caught a bus from the suburb of Tanilba Bay to a school outside of Tanilba Bay, in the week beginning 5 February 2018?
- (3) According to school Opal card data, how many high school students caught a bus from the suburb of Lemon Tree Passage to a school outside of Lemon Tree Passage, in the week beginning 5 February 2018?

Answer—

I am advised:

Due to the School Student Transport Scheme moratorium, Opal data is inaccurate for this period.

*7430 NELSON BAY ROAD—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

When will construction commence on the promised \$67 million full duplication of Nelson Bay Road?

Answer—

I am advised:

Construction will commence after all relevant statutory approvals have been achieved.

*7431 NEW SOUTH WALES COASTAL COUNCIL—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) Has the New South Wales Coastal Council held a meeting since its appointment?
 - (a) If so, are the minutes of any meetings publicly available?
- (2) On what date did members of the New South Wales Coastal Council commence being paid for their role?

Answer—

The Coastal Panel remains in effect until such time as the Coastal Management Act 2016 commences.

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*7432 CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME—Ms Kate Washington asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) Are there any plans for a container deposit reverse vending machine or storefront collection site in the Tea Gardens - Hawks Nest area?
 - (a) If so, what are the plans?

Answer—

I am advised:

The network operator, TOMRA Cleanaway, is responsible for determining the location of collection points and deployment of the scheme.

*7433 NEWCASTLE RECREATION RESERVE HERITAGE RECOMMENDATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) Is the Minister aware of the Heritage Council of NSW recommendation to list Newcastle Recreation Reserve, 1, 1A, 3, 5A Ordnance Street, Newcastle on the State Heritage Register?
- (2) When will the Newcastle Recreation Reserve be placed on the State Heritage register in line with the recommendation?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) The Heritage Council recommended I list the Reserve on the State Heritage Register, however, I am advised there was a discrepancy in the supporting documentation provided by the Heritage Council. The Heritage Council will consider this matter at its next meeting.
- (2) Once I receive a recommendation from the NSW Heritage Council I will consider it as required under section 34(1) of the Heritage Act 1977.

*7434 NEWCASTLE BUS SERVICE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) How many bus services in Newcastle have since the introduction of the new timetable on 14 January 2018 (to 8 February 2018):
 - (a) Not run on time
 - (b) Been cancelled?
- (2) How many school bus services in Newcastle have since the introduction of the new timetable on 14 January 2018 (to 8 February 2018):
 - (a) Not run on time;
 - (b) Been cancelled?

Answer—

I am advised:

Bus on time running data is reported by calendar month and published on the Transport for NSW website.

Since the new timetable for Newcastle Transport commenced on 14 January 2018 and up to 8 February 2018, three services, including two school services, or 0.01 per cent of all services were cancelled.

*7435 STOCKTON FERRY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) Is the Minister aware of Keolis Downer's obligation to refurbish the Stockton Ferry?
- (2) When will the Stockton Ferry seating be upgraded to ensure compliance with the Disability Discrimination Act?
- (3) Will the upgrades be completed by 1 July 2018 as stipulated in the service contract between Keolis Downer and Transport for NSW?

Answer—

I am advised:

(1) Yes.

(2) and (3) Scoping work has commenced for the vessel refurbishment, upgraded seating and Disability Discrimination Act compliance.

*7436 FORMER STOCKTON SERVICE STATION SITE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—

What is the current status of the former Stockton Service Station Site?

Answer—

The Department of Industry – Crown Lands has engaged a contractor to undertake the final remediation of the former Stockton Service Station site, including removal of the concrete slabs and underground fuel tanks.

The site will be remediated to a standard compatible with public open space.

It is expected that these remediation works will commence in late March 2018 and be completed by the end of June 2018 (subject to weather and contractor availability).

The site will remain fenced off to the public during this time.

*7437 LANDCOM, URBANGROWTH NSW AND URBANGROWTH NSW DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION—Mr Michael Daley asked the Premier—

(1) How many staff were transferred from Landcom, trading as UrbanGrowth NSW, to the UrbanGrowth NSW Development Corporation in 2017?

(2) How many staff have resigned from the UrbanGrowth NSW Development Corporation as at 8 February 2018?

(a) What reasons have been given for the resignation of staff?

Answer—

Staffing levels within New South Wales Government agencies are reported regularly in agency annual reports.

*7439 HARD COPY TIMETABLES—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

(1) Does the Government still provide hard copy paper versions of the New South Wales train timetable for commuters upon request?

(a) If not, why not?

Answer—

I am advised:

Yes.

*7440 UPGRADE AT SHELLHARBOUR PUBLIC HOSPITAL—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

(1) Does the Government remain committed to the redevelopment of Shellharbour Public Hospital?

(a) If so, will the funds for the redevelopment of the hospital be provided in the next budget?

(2) What is the total figure the Government currently believes to be necessary to properly fund and complete the upgrade at Shellharbour Public Hospital?

Answer—

The Government remains committed to the redevelopment of the Shellharbour Hospital with \$250.6 million approved for the upgrade as part of the 2017-18 State Budget.

*7441 ACQUISITION OF PROPERTIES FOR THE ALBION PARK RAIL BYPASS—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

(1) Has all property required for the Albion Park Rail Bypass' construction now been acquired by the Government?

(a) If not:

(i) What properties are yet to be acquired?

(ii) How much has the Government currently budgeted for these properties?

(iii) When will all property acquisitions for the Albion Park Rail Bypass project be complete?

Answer—

I am advised:

The acquisition and negotiation of property purchases for the Albion Park Rail bypass project are ongoing. Property acquisition is planned to be complete by the end of 2018.

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*7442 DEMOUNTABLE CLASSROOMS IN THE SHELLHARBOUR ELECTORATE—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) What is the total number of demountable classrooms which will be used in each of the following schools in Term 1, 2018:
 - (a) Barrack Heights Public School;
 - (b) Lake Illawarra South Public School;
 - (c) Mount Warrigal Public School;
 - (d) Peterborough School;
 - (e) Warilla Public School;
 - (f) Warilla North Public School;
 - (g) Balarang Public School;
 - (h) Flinders Public School;
 - (i) Oak Flats Public School;
 - (j) Shellharbour Public School;
 - (k) Mount Brown Public School;
 - (l) Lakelands Public School;
 - (m) Koonawarra Public School;
 - (n) Dapto Public School;
 - (o) Shell Cove Public School;
 - (p) Hayes Park Public School;
 - (q) Lake Illawarra High School;
 - (r) Warilla High School;
 - (s) Oak Flats High School;
 - (t) Dapto High School;
 - (u) Kanahooka High School?
- (2) How long has each demountable in each classroom been in place?
- (3) In which year does the Government expect these demountable classrooms will either be replaced by permanent classroom structures or no longer needed? Please answer per school per demountable.

Answer—

- (1) I'm advised the number of demountable classrooms on schools sites in the Shellharbour electorate in Term 1, 2018, is as follows:
 - (a) Barrack Heights Public School - 0
 - (b) Lake Illawarra South Public School - 0
 - (c) Mount Warrigal Public School - 0
 - (d) Peterborough School - 0
 - (e) Warilla Public School - 2
 - (f) Warilla North Public School - 0
 - (g) Balarang Public School - 0
 - (h) Flinders Public School - 3
 - (I) Oak Flats Public School - 0
 - (j) Shellharbour Public School - 0
 - (k) Mount Brown Public School - 1
 - (l) Lakelands Public School - 0
 - (m) Koonawarra Public School - 0
 - (n) Dapto Public School – 14*
 - (o) Shell Cove Public School - 9
 - (p) Hayes Park Public School - 0
 - (q) Lake Illawarra High School - 0
 - (r) Warilla High School - 2
 - (s) Oak Flats High School - 8
 - (t) Dapto High School - 2

(u) Kanahooka High School - 0

*Dapto Public School is subject to a major capital works project that will provide new permanent teaching spaces and the removal of demountables.

(2) Demountable movements to and from school sites continue throughout the year in response to changing enrolment patterns and temporary accommodation needs of the school.

(3) The department constantly monitors the use of demountables. Where a long term need for additional school accommodation is established and funding is available, this is provided by expanding existing schools and/or building new schools as necessary.

*7443 DEMOUNTABLE CLASSROOMS—Mr Jihad Dib asked the Minister for Education—

(1) How many demountable classrooms (not on school sites) did the Department of Education have in stock as at 7 February 2018?

(2) What is the purchase cost of a standard non-specialist demountable classroom?

(3) Which schools had security guards respond to security intrusions, and how many times, during the 2017-18 holiday period?

Answer—

I'm advised that:

(1) The Department of Education has 268 demountable teaching spaces in stock as at 7 February 2018.

(2) The average cost of a standard, non-specialist demountable classroom is \$131,000.

(3) During the December 2017/January 2018 school holiday period, 840 schools received security guard responses to alarm activations. These can be triggered by individuals who were on school sites including staff, community users, cleaners and various contractors.

*7444 RETURN AND EARN SCHEME CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME—Mr Jihad Dib asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

(1) How many premises did the Return and Earn implementation body approach to gauge interest in participating in the scheme in the Lakemba electorate?

(2) How many Return and Earn facilities were in the Lakemba electorate as at 7 February 2018?

(3) How many Return and Earn kiosk operators in the Lakemba electorate asked to opt out of the scheme after initially agreeing to participate?

(4) Where will additional Return and Earn kiosks be placed in the Lakemba electorate before June 2018?

Answer—

I am advised:

The network operator, TOMRA Cleanaway, is responsible for determining the location collection points and deployment of the scheme.

*7447 ADDITIONAL PALLIATIVE CARE NURSES IN THE WESTERN NSW LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT—Mr Philip Donato asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

(1) In relation to the response to LA Q6998, when will the Western NSW Local Health District be able to employ additional nurses dedicated to palliative care announced in the \$100 million funding?

(2) How many specialist palliative nurses will be employed by Western NSW Local Health District within the announced funding?

Answer—

The first round of palliative care nurse recruitment was undertaken in late 2017 with the successful appointment of a clinical nurse consultant. Another position was re-advertised and the appointment is pending.

*7448 DROUGHT ASSISTANCE FOR PRIMARY PRODUCERS—Mr Philip Donato asked the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing representing the Minister for Primary Industries, Minister for Regional Water, Minister for Trade and Industry—

(1) Does the Government still provide drought assistance funding to primary producers?

(a) If so, what is the threshold for drought declaration?

(2) What are the criteria for financial assistance to drought affected primary producers?

Answer—

(1) The Government has a \$300 million drought package with the focus being to assist farmers prepare

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for drought.

- (a) These support measures are always available to those who meet the relevant criteria.
- (2) There are multiple support measures with each having its own criteria. Information on the various support measures is available on DroughtHub <https://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/climate-and-emergencies/droughthub>.

*7449 BELLS LINE CORRIDOR—Mr Philip Donato asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

What is the daily cost to New South Wales while the Bells Line corridor is not fully secured?

Answer—

I am advised:

Since 2014, the Government has invested \$37.7 million on the Bells Line of Road, including \$8.4 million in last year's budget for upgrades and safety improvements.

Community feedback from the Future Transport 2056 consultation process on potential improvements to the connections from the Central West through to Sydney and Newcastle is also under consideration.

*7450 SCHEDULED TRACKWORK POSSESSIONS—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

(1) Is there a maximum amount of scheduled trackwork possessions that is in place for each line per year?

(a) What is this amount?

(2) How many times have these planned trackwork possessions caused partial or full closure of the South Coast Line in each year from 2014 to 2018 (as at 7 February 2018)?

Answer—

I am advised:

(1) Track possessions are granted based on access required for maintenance or capital works and are generally limited to four per year for each line. However, in the case of a significant project additional access may be provided.

(2) 19 times.

*7451 BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong asked the Minister for Education—

Considering the release from School Infrastructure NSW stating that Bardia Public school will be a 21st century school, with first class facilities and equipped with the latest technology, why has air conditioning not been included in the recent significant upgrade of Bardia Public School?

Answer—

I'm advised public schools that are eligible for air cooling under the Department of Education's Air Cooling Policy are identified by the department and prioritised in a program of necessary works.

The department cools all habitable spaces in New South Wales public schools located in areas that have a mean maximum January temperature of 33 degrees Celsius or higher. In addition to this, air cooling is provided in schools with students that have special needs, in all demountable teaching spaces, and in those areas where temperature combined with humidity is likely to cause heat stress.

I'm advised that Bardia Public School has a mean maximum January temperature of 29 degrees Celsius.

Any public school below the policy threshold may make a local decision to install air-conditioning at their cost.

The department has a set of design standards that recommend sustainable and cost effective approaches to improving thermal comfort in schools via passive measures such as insulation, sunscreens, improved ventilation and appropriately designed landscaping. These measures have been included in the design for the upgrade of this school.

*7452 CLOSED BUS STOPS IN NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

(1) How many bus stops were closed as part of the new network that started on 14 January 2018?

(a) What are the locations of these bus stops?

Answer—

I am advised:

Information about bus stop locations is available on the Newcastle Transport website.

*7453 KEOLIS DOWNER ACCREDITATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

Is Keolis Downer as the operator of Newcastle Transport fatigue accredited?

Answer—

I am advised:

Keolis Downer, as the operator of Newcastle Transport, is accredited under the Government's Bus Operator Accreditation Scheme. The Accreditation Scheme requires operators to implement fatigue management programs in line with the Heavy Vehicle (Fatigue Management) National Regulation (NSW) 2013.

*7454 REBUILDING OF EXISTING STADIA IN SYDNEY BUSINESS CASE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—

(1) Can the most recent business case for the rebuilding of existing stadia in Sydney be provided?

(a) If not, why not?

Answer—

We will release a summary of the final business case when it is completed.

*7457 CONSULTATION WITH RESIDENTS—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

What consultation took place with residents before the rerouting of the 941 and 946 bus services?

Answer—

I am advised:

An opportunity to comment on the rerouting of the 941 and 946 bus services was provided in October 2017 by the local bus operator, Punchbowl Bus Company. This involved a letter that was distributed between 6-9 October 2017 to residences in the vicinity of where the rerouting would occur on Greenacre Road and Sir Joseph Banks Street, Bankstown.

The community feedback received by the bus operator was provided to the City of Canterbury-Bankstown Council for its consideration as the local roads authority. Advice was provided by the Council in November 2017 that the Council supported the rerouting of the 941 and 946 bus services along Green acre Road and Sir Joseph Banks Street, Bankstown.

*7458 REROUTE OF THE 941 AND 946 BUS ROUTES—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

Considering the recent decision to reroute the 941 and 946 bus routes along Sir Joseph Banks Street and Greenacre Road, what measures have been put in place to ensure the impact on the residents of these streets is kept to a minimum?

Answer—

I am advised:

A route assessment was conducted by the local bus operator, Punchbowl Bus Company, to ensure that buses could travel safely and reliably on Sir Joseph Banks Street and Greenacre Road.

Local impacts were taken into account by the local Council, the City of Canterbury-Bankstown, which is the relevant roads authority that supported the change.

*7459 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DATABASE GLITCHES—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

(1) Considering the recent technical glitches in the overhaul of the Family and Community Services database titled 'ChildStory', were any banned foster carers accidentally displayed as being authorised to care for children?

(a) If so, how many?

Answer—

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ChildStory was launched late last year. I am advised ChildStory replaces more than 15 disconnected and manual IT solutions and reporting systems. I am advised in the early weeks, there were some technical glitches with the system and with data migration. I am advised that each of these problems are being addressed or have already been fixed.

*7460 ROADS MAINTENANCE FUNDING—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

What extra funding will be allocated for maintenance and upkeep of Sir Joseph Banks Street and Greenacre Road, following the recent decision to reroute bus routes 941 and 946 along these streets?

Answer—

I am advised:

Local impacts were taken into account by the local Council, the City of Canterbury-Bankstown, which is the relevant roads authority that supported the change.

*7462 ADVOCACY SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH A DISABILITY—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—

(1) What provisions will the Government put in place to ensure the continuation of advocacy services for people with a disability when state funding for these services ceases from July 2018?

(2) Will the Government commit to funding disability advocacy services after the National Disability Insurance Scheme has been fully rolled out?

Answer—

New South Wales has committed every dollar of the specialist disability support budget to meet the individual needs of people with disability. Funding for next year's disability budget will be \$3.2 billion and will go directly to the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS). This will be matched by \$3.3 billion from the Commonwealth, for a total of \$6.5 billion in funding for people with disability in New South Wales.

To prepare the advocacy and information sector for the arrival of the NDIS, the NSW Council of Social Services has been provided with a \$1.5 million one-off grant for the Skilled to Thrive project. Around 95 per cent of disability advocacy and information service providers are actively engaged with Skilled to Thrive. This project has assisted advocacy and information providers to develop skills in applying for funding grants such as the Information Linkages and Capacity (ILC) or Disability Sector Scale Up.

Over 50 per cent of Family and Community Services funded specialist disability advocacy and information service providers are registered with the NDIS.

When the NDIS is fully operational around Australia, \$130 million each year will be provided for ILC supports. The latest New South Wales round of ILC grants closed on 30 November 2017 with up to \$46 million available to New South Wales for projects commencing from 1 July 2018. This represents an investment of around four times the existing New South Wales specialist disability advocacy funding under the current system.

Independent, systemic and legal advocacy is available to all people with disability outside of the NDIS through the Commonwealth funded National Disability Advocacy Program (NDAP). The Commonwealth Government recently announced \$60 million in funding to extend NDAP and other advocacy programs to 30 June 2020.

After the full NDIS rollout, the Government will retain a strong focus on promoting community inclusion. The 2014 New South Wales Disability Inclusion Act ensures that the NSW Disability Council and its supporting groups will continue to represent people with disability and provide advice to the Government on emerging issues impacting on community access and inclusion.

*7463 ASSISTANCE TO DISADVANTAGED STUDENTS—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Education—

What assistance is the Government providing to school aged children and young people growing up in poverty in order to prevent them from being disadvantaged at school?

Answer—

I'm advised:

The Government made a commitment to allocate school funding based on student need and our 2018 Resource Allocation Model (RAM) announcement is proof that we continue to deliver on that.

In 2018, the Government is continuing to transform the funding of New South Wales public schools through its RAM, which began in 2014. The RAM methodology enables New South Wales public schools to have certainty of funding to address the needs of our most vulnerable students immediately.

In 2018, about \$80 million in additional needs based funding is being provided to New South Wales public schools through the RAM methodology. This funding is incorporated into the seven loadings the RAM distributes: the equity loadings - socio-economic, Aboriginal, English language proficiency and low level adjustment for disability and the base loadings - location, professional learning and per capita.

In addition to the funding delivered through the seven loadings, \$50 million is being distributed to support New South Wales public schools to enable principals to focus on core duties such as curriculum planning, student progress, teaching quality and student wellbeing.

The equity funding delivered to schools through the RAM translates into learning support for:

- 391,000 students in 2,183 schools through the socio-economic background loading
- 173,000 students in 1,476 schools through the English language proficiency loading
- 60,000 Aboriginal students in 2,022 schools
- all students in regular public schools with additional learning and support needs who will receive flexible funding support through the low-level adjustment for disability loading. An estimated 110,000 students would be in this group.

The Government also recognised that principals, in partnership with their local school community, are best placed to decide how to use their resources effectively to meet their students' needs and improve their learning outcomes.

This means our schools are able to provide quality teaching in every classroom for every student.

*7464 BULLS HILL UNDERPASS—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

What is the latest cost estimate for the Bulls Hill underpass needed to replace the dangerous Rawson Road level crossing at Woy Woy?

Answer—

I am advised:

The roads in question are under the care and control of Central Coast Council and any enquiries should be directed to the council.

*7465 FREIGHT RAIL ON NEWCASTLE AND CENTRAL COAST CORRIDOR—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

What is the dollar value of investment and upgrades made on the Newcastle and Central Coast corridor to better support freight rail in each of the financial years from 2014-15 to 2016-17?

Answer—

I am advised:

Since 2014-15 more than \$430 million has been invested in the Northern Sydney Freight Corridor Program Stage 1 works by the New South Wales and Australian Governments.

In addition to this, more than \$998,000 in capital expenditure was invested in the Lower Hunter Freight Corridor investigation project.

*7466 PERSONAL WATERCRAFT AND JET SKI LICENCES—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

(1) How many licences for a personal watercraft or jet ski have been issued to individuals as at 8 February 2018 in the:

- (a) Gosford electorate;
- (b) Terrigal electorate;
- (c) Pittwater electorate;
- (d) Kogarah electorate;
- (e) Oatley electorate;
- (f) Rockdale electorate;
- (g) Lakemba electorate;
- (h) The whole of New South Wales?

(2) What fines have been issued to riders of personal watercraft on Brisbane Water in each of the years from 2015 to 2017?

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Answer—

I am advised:

Licence data is not captured by electorate.

As at 8 February 2018, there were 60,422 personal watercraft licenses in New South Wales.

Between 2015 and 2017, 48 infringement notices were issued to personal watercraft riders on Brisbane Water.

*7467 GOSFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL SITE—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

How much did the Government receive for the sale of the Gosford Public School site?

Answer—

The former Gosford Public School site has been sold by the Government in two tranches. 4,250 square metres of the former Gosford Public School site was sold in December 2015 for \$3.04 million. Contracts for sale of the balance of the site, 1.1 hectares, were exchanged in May 2017 for \$9.5 million.

*7468 GOSFORD, NEWCASTLE AND WOLLONGONG STADIUMS—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—

(1) What is the dollar value of Government spending for each of the financial years from 2012-13 to 2016-17 for:

- (a) Gosford Stadium;
- (b) Newcastle Stadium;
- (c) Wollongong Stadium?

Answer—

Central Coast Stadium is owned and managed by the Central Coast Council and is a matter for Council.

McDonald Jones Stadium and WIN Stadium are New South Wales Government owned assets operated by Venues NSW, a Public Non-Financial Corporation. Venues NSW fund day-to-day operations and minor capital works from commercial operations.

The Government funds major capital works and this information is available in Budget Papers.

*7471 ROAD DEFECTS REPORTING—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

(1) Is Downer Mouchel, the company who has the contract for Roads and Maritime Services and is responsible for maintenance in the Blacktown Local Government Area, refusing to provide Blacktown City Council with an up to date defects report?

- (a) If so, why?

Answer—

I am advised:

A monthly report was previously provided to Blacktown City Council as a courtesy, which contained information in relation to roads and assets outside of Council's responsibility. Blacktown City Council was notified in March 2017 that this report would no longer be provided. Blacktown City Council has not requested any related information since.

*7472 CHILDHOOD OBESITY—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

(1) What is the rate of childhood obesity:

- (a) On the Central Coast;
- (b) Across New South Wales?

Answer—

I am advised that due to the margins of error around the estimated rates of childhood overweight and obesity, there is insufficient evidence to conclude that the rate in the Central Coast Local Health District differs from that of New South Wales overall.

*7473 SCHOOL MAINTENANCE IN THE GOSFORD ELECTORATE—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) What is the dollar amount spent on school maintenance in the Gosford electorate in each of the financial years from 2012-13 to 2016-17?
- (2) What are these projects? Please provide a list.
 - (a) What is the amount spent on each project?

Answer—

I'm advised that information about school maintenance from 2012-13 to 2016-17 is published on the Department of Education's website and amounts to over \$14 million in Gosford.

In addition to this, the Government's record \$747 million investment towards school maintenance over four years will address planned maintenance issues in almost every government school in New South Wales.

*7474 ACCESSIBLE TRAIN STATIONS—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) What is the number of stations on the Sydney Trains network that are disability accessible (as at 8 February 2018)?
- (2) What is the total number of stations on the Sydney Trains network?
- (3) What is the number of stations on the NSW TrainLink network that are disability accessible (as at 8 February 2018)?
- (4) What is the total number of stations on the NSW TrainLink network?

Answer—

I am advised:

This information is publicly available on the Transport for NSW and Sydney Trains websites.

*7475 DIGITAL LICENCES—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) How many individuals now use a digital licence rather than a physical licence for their:
 - (a) Recreational Fishing Licence;
 - (b) Responsible Service of Alcohol;
 - (c) Responsible Conduct of Gambling;
 - (d) Vessel Registration;
 - (e) Personal Watercraft/General Boat Licence?
- (2) Was a trial period conducted before the digital option was rolled-out for the above licences?
 - (a) If so,
 - (i) When did these trials occur?
 - (ii) Where did these trials occur?
- (3) How many individuals who hold the above licences have opted to maintain a physical licence since the implementation of the digital option?
- (4) What other licences have been earmarked to transition to a digital-physical option in the future?
 - (a) Will a trial period be conducted for these licences?
- (5) What financial impact has the introduction of the digital option had on the Service NSW budget?
- (6) What occurs if a technological failure occurs when an individual is required to present their digital licence?
- (7) Is the digital option available for physical (at all Service NSW centres) and online transactions?

Answer—

- (1) As at 28 February 2018, excluding the digital driver licence, around 108,000 customers have accessed a digital version of their licence or permit. More than 54,000 customers have accessed their Responsible Service of Alcohol and Responsible Conduct of Gambling competency cards. More than 23,500 customers have accessed their recreational fishing fee permit and over 30,500 customers have accessed a digital version of their Vessel Registration, Personal Watercraft/General Boat Licence.
- (2) In August 2016, digital licence testing was conducted in consultation with the Department of Primary Industries for the Recreational Fishing permit, Liquor & Gaming NSW for the Responsible Service of Alcohol and Responsible Conduct of Gambling competency cards. Maritime licences were tested in consultation with Roads and Maritime Services during the first half of 2017. These trials were conducted in Sydney.
- (3) Physical licence cards are still issued and customers can opt in to access a digital version of their licence.
- (4) The Digital Driver licence is expected to be available by 2019. A trial for the Digital Driver licence

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is being conducted in Dubbo.

- (5) The full budget impact of digital licensing is not yet known.
- (6) At this time, physical licence cards are still issued to customers.
- (7) Digital licences are not mandatory. Customers still receive a physical card and have the option of accessing a digital version. Digital licences can be activated at a Service Centre via assisted self-service or online.

*7476 SERVICE NSW WAIT TIMES—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) How often are the wait times updated for each Service NSW Centre on the Service NSW website?
 - (a) Does this occur automatically or is the information entered manually?
 - (b) How accurate are the waiting times once they have been published on the website?
- (2) Do Service NSW Centres receive counselling if wait times exceed a particular time (for example, 10 minutes)?
 - (a) If so, who offers this advice?
- (3) What training is offered to staff to assist them in meeting efficiency targets?
 - (a) How regularly is this training offered?

Answer—

- (1) Service Centre wait times are updated automatically every 15 minutes and the average customer wait time is displayed for each Service Centre.
- (2) Staff members receive extensive training in customer service. Wait times are monitored regularly and additional support within the Service NSW network can be provided if needed.
- (3) To meet customer needs, formal and informal on-the-job training and support is provided to all team members at various times on a regular basis.

*7477 SERVICE NSW STAFFING—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) How many Service NSW staff were employed as at 30 November 2017?
 - (a) How many of these staff were employed on a full-time basis?
 - (b) How many of these staff were employed on a part-time basis?
- (2) How many hours, on average, did each part-time employee work per week in November 2017?

Answer—

- (1) On 30 November 2017, there were 2,132 staff members, 1,590 full-time and 542 part-time.
- (2) In November 2017, part-time employees worked an average 26.5 hours per week.

*7478 TEACHER HOUSING WEBSITE—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) How many visitors have there been to the Teacher Housing website in each of the years from 2011 to 2017?
- (2) What is the annual cost for the hosting and maintenance of the Teacher Housing website?
- (3) How many staff are responsible for the management of the website?
- (4) How is the website promoted by Teacher Housing?
 - (a) What has the total cost of this promotion been in year from 2011 to 2017?
 - (b) When did the Teacher Housing website last undergo development?
- (5) Are there plans in the future to upgrade the Teacher Housing website?
 - (a) If so, what would be the estimated cost of this upgrade?

Answer—

- (1) The Teachers Housing Authority (THA) website data has been tracked since 13 September 2016. Therefore, no data is available for the 2011 to 2015 period. Between 13 September and 31 December 2016, there were 4,047 visitors to the website. In 2017 there were 10,397 visitors to the website.
- (2) The annual cost of hosting and maintaining the THA website is approximately \$14,850 per year.
- (3) Two full-time and one part-time staff members were responsible for the management of the website, until it was integrated into the Property NSW website in late 2017. These staff members have since been redeployed to Information Technology and Communications roles within the Department of Finance and Services and Property NSW.
- (4) The website is featured on THA collateral, including the tenant handbook and on correspondence to tenants.

- (a) There is no paid promotion of the THA website.
- (b) The website last underwent redevelopment as part of integration with the Property NSW website in late 2017.
- (5) The THA website was de-commissioned on 21 December 2017 and all relevant content migrated to the Property NSW website. The Government is committed to investing in technology to improve access to all online services. Property NSW is planning a broader content refresh of its website in 2018, to enhance the services it can provide to teachers.
 - (a) Plans are still being finalised for the content refresh on the Property NSW website and indicative costs are not yet available.

*7479 LOWER HUNTER FREIGHT CORRIDOR—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

- (1) When will the technical investigations for the Lower Hunter Freight Corridor be completed?
- (2) How quickly after the investigations are completed will Transport for NSW consult with the community and other stakeholders?
- (3) What processes will Transport for NSW put in place for the consultation?
- (4) How much time will be allowed for the consultation process?

Answer—

I am advised:

Information about the Lower Hunter Freight Corridor is available on the Transport for NSW website.

*7480 ADVISORY ASSISTANCE SERVICE—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

- (1) Considering your response to LA Q6827, how many staff employed as part of the Advisory Assistance Service were qualified psychologists and mental health nurses?
- (2) When did these qualified specialists commence employment as part of the Advisory Assistance Service?
- (3) Are these qualified specialists still employed in the Advisory Assistance Service?
 - (a) If not, when did their tenure conclude?
- (4) Since its inception, how many individuals have contacted the Advisory Assistance Service to seek the support and assistance of the qualified specialists?
- (5) How many injured workers were referred to external mental health support?
- (6) How many psychologists and mental health nurses in total are employed by icare?

Answer—

The Advisory Assistance Service and Community Support Service commenced in June 2016, as part of icare's assistance program to assist workers affected by amendments made to the Workers Compensation Act 1987 in 2012. Currently, icare employs two mental health nurses and two staff with qualifications in psychology in relation to this program.

Since the inception of the assistance program:

- 609 workers have contacted the Advisory and Assistance Service; and
- 728 calls have been received by the Community Support Services telephone line resulting in 426 referrals for ongoing local support with community program partners.

*7481 JOBS ACTION PLAN CLAIMANTS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

- (1) How many claimants have been required by the Chief Commissioner to pay a penalty for dishonesty under Part 5, Section 29 (2) of the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme (Jobs Action Plan) Act 2011?
 - (a) What was the total amount paid back because of dishonesty?
 - (b) How much interest has been paid in total by those dishonest claimants who failed to repay the rebate on time?
- (2) Have claimants refused to repay the rebate?
 - (a) If so, what enforcement action has been taken against them?

Answer—

- (1) Revenue NSW has not required any customers to pay a penalty for dishonesty under Part 5, Section 29 (2) of the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme (Jobs Action Plan) Act 2011.

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(a) Nil. Revenue NSW has not required any customers to pay a penalty for dishonesty.

(b) Nil. Revenue NSW has not required any customers to pay a penalty for dishonesty.

However, Revenue NSW undertakes compliance activities for ineligible claims. Revenue NSW has identified and rejected ineligible claims at the time of lodgement. Revenue New South Wales has also identified and sought repayment for ineligible claims. While those customers required to make a repayment have not incurred a penalty, interest may have been applied.

(2) In respect to customers required to repay the rebate due to dishonesty under Part 5, Section 29 (2) of the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme (Jobs Action Plan) Act 2011, please refer to question 1.

Of the customers that have received payments for ineligible anniversary claims, none have refused to repay the rebate

*7482 BUDGET PAPER NO 1 EXPENDITURE TERMS AND PHRASES—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

(1) Considering the terms, phrases and dollar amounts referred to on pages 6-4, 6-5 and 6-6 of Budget Paper 1 - 2017-18:

(a) When referring to the "long-term average revenue growth of 5.6 per cent", exactly which financial years are included in this calculation and measure of long-term?

(b) With regard to changes to the efficiency dividends which are projected to realise a net saving of \$547.5 million over three years, is this amount of \$547.5 million a result of the additional 0.5 per cent in the final three years when the scheme jumps from 1.5 per cent up to 2 per cent?

(c) How will \$491 million worth of savings over the forward four years be realised by streamlining the housing affordability package?

(i) What is the breakdown of these costs per category per annum over the forward four years?

(2) What procurement savings strategies will deliver the estimated \$169.7 million in savings over the forward four years in the categories of:

(a) Facilities Management?

(b) Information and Communication Technology (ICT) end user devices?

(c) Fleet Management services?

(3) Are the projected "agency specific savings of \$500 million" over the forward four years in addition to the efficiency dividends (referred to above)?

(a) If so, what specific targets are set for which specific agencies in each financial year ahead?

Answer—

(1) (a) This was set by the Financial Responsibility Regulation 2013.

(b) The 2017-18 Budget announced an increase to the efficiency dividend included in the 2016-17 Budget from the rate of 1.5 per cent to a rate of 2 per cent from 2018-19 for three years.

(c) The housing affordability package in the 2017-18 Budget included the expansion of stamp duty concessions for first home buyers.

(2) Savings of \$169.7 million over four years are forecast through the delivery of procurement-based savings relating to facilities management, ICT end user devices and fleet management based services.

(3) Agency specific savings targets of \$500 million over four years included in the 2017-18 Budget are in addition to the efficiency dividend savings.

*7483 SERVICE NSW CONTACT CENTRES AND ICARE—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

(1) How many Service NSW Contact Centres are there across New South Wales?

(a) Where are these centres located?

(2) How many staff are currently employed in Service NSW Contact Centres?

(3) How many staff are responsible for taking calls concerning icare?

(a) What is the staff breakdown for each centre?

(b) Do these staff undergo specialised training to deal with icare related matters or do they also manage Service NSW matters?

(4) How many icare related calls have been received by each of the Service NSW contact centres since November 2016 (to 8 February 2018)?

(5) How many of these calls have solely related to workers compensation?

(6) If contact centre staff are unable to answer questions relating to an individual's icare query, where are

they referred to?

Answer—

Service NSW operates two contact centres located at Parramatta and Newcastle.

On 31 January 2018, there were 325 Service NSW employees at the Parramatta and Newcastle Contact Centres. Depending on customer demand, there are approximately 15 team members at the Parramatta Contact Centre and between 55 and 85 team members at Newcastle Contact Centre that are trained to handle icare enquires.

Service NSW began providing contact centre support services on behalf of icare from March 2017 for workers compensation enquiries. Between March 2017 and February 2018, Service NSW handled over 300,000 calls. Team members are trained to handle complex enquiries and calls can be escalated to a team leader if needed.

*7484 BACKPACKER HOSTEL REGULATION—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

- (1) What action has been taken on the planned review of the Boarding Houses Act 2012 since March 2017 (to 8 February 2018)?
- (2) Does this review include consideration of regulation of backpacker hostels?
- (3) Will this include addressing:
 - (a) Minimum accommodation standards;
 - (b) Management of shared accommodation;
 - (c) Provision of facilities;
 - (d) Limits on overcrowding;
 - (e) Enforceable plans of management;
 - (f) Use of outdoor courtyards;
 - (g) Noise abatement;
 - (h) Overnight on-site managers;
 - (i) Consumption of alcohol on site?
- (4) What community consultation is planned?
 - (a) When will the consultation occur?
- (5) When does the Government expect to implement reforms?

Answer—

(1) The Department of Finance, Services and Innovation has been working with the Department of Family and Community Services and will shortly release a Discussion Paper on the statutory review of the Boarding Houses Act 2012.

(2) The review will seek comments on whether the Act should cover additional types of premises and hostels may be raised in this context.

(3) As stated in answer 2 above, the review will seek comments on whether the Act should cover additional types of premises and issues around hostels may be raised.

(4) The Discussion Paper will seek feedback on the operation of the Act and will be the basis for community consultation. An Easy English paper will be published for boarding house residents. Consultation with key stakeholders will also be undertaken.

(a) Consultation is expected to commence in March or April 2018 with the release of the Discussion Paper.

(5) The Government is required to table a report on the outcome of the statutory review in each House of Parliament in October 2018. The report will include the findings of the review and any reform recommendations. The timeframe for implementation of any reforms will depend on the nature of the reforms recommended.

*7485 LIGHT RAIL BIKE ROUTES—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) Does the approval for the CBD and South East Light Rail include the strategies in the Arup 'Pedestrian and Cyclist Network and Facilities strategy' published in September 2016?
- (2) Does the approval include the Table 5 Proposed Alternative Cycle Facilities for Impacted Routes (End-State) listed on page 30?
- (3) What steps have been taken to implement the alternative cycle routes identified to replace light rail impacted routes on?

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- (a) George Street,
 - (b) Chalmers Street;
 - (c) Devonshire Street?
- (4) What routes does the Government recommend to bike riders on these three routes given access has already been closed by light rail works?
- (5) What action has the Government taken to implement these routes?
- (6) Will these cycle routes be open when the light rail service is operating?
- (7) What consultation with bike riders and the adjacent community is planned?
- (8) What further steps will the Government take to implement these cycle routes?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1), (2) and (7) Information is available on the Sydney Light Rail project website.
- (3) and (4) Information about alternative cycle routes is available on the My Sydney CBD website.
- (5) Information about the City Centre Access Strategy is available on the Roads and Maritime Services website. Information about cycle routes will be made available on the My Sydney CBD website.
- (6) Information about cycle routes will be made available on the My Sydney CBD website.
- (8) Significant planning is underway to look at how the city will operate post-construction. Transport for NSW is working closely with City of Sydney to determine upgrades and new potential cycling routes.

*7486 SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY PROGRAM—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) What assessment was taken of whether School Chaplaincy Programs promoted discrimination against Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Intersex (LGBTI) people in programs during the marriage equality postal survey campaign period?
- (2) What oversight of School Chaplaincy Programs exists to ensure they do not promote discrimination against LGBTI people?
- (3) How can students, teachers or parents lodge complaints about the treatment of LGBTI issues under the School Chaplaincy Program?
- (4) What action is taken in response to complaints?
- (5) What action has the Government taken in response to the 2015 Human Rights Commission Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity and Intersex (SOGII) report recommendation to review complaints about SOGII issues lodged against the School Chaplaincy Program?
- (6) What conclusions has the Government made on the treatment of LGBTI issues under the School Chaplaincy Program?

Answer—

I'm advised that the National School Chaplaincy Program is a Commonwealth program. Any questions about the National School Chaplaincy Program should be directed to the Australian Government's Department of Education.

*7487 ILLEGAL COMMERCIAL POSTERS—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Is the review of the Graffiti Control Act 2008 required within three years of the 2012 amendments?
 - (a) If so, what action has been taken on this review?
 - (i) When will it be finalised?
- (2) What measures have been shown to improve enforcement of illegal commercial posters?
- (3) What recommendations is the Government considering to address commercial bill posting?
- (4) Does the Government plan to make changes to the Act's commercial bill posting provisions?
- (5) When does the Government plan to table the review report and its response to the review?
- (6) When does the Government expect reform to be implemented?

Answer—

I am advised:

I refer the Member to the response to his previous question on notice LA Q4234.

*7488 EXPANDING PALLIATIVE CARE—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

- (1) Is funding for palliative care in New South Wales capped?
 - (a) If so, what criteria are used to set limits?

- (2) What criteria apply for hospital-based and for community/home-based palliative care?
- (3) What mechanisms does the government use to assess unmet need?
 - (a) What assessment has the Government carried out on unmet need?
- (4) Do community/home based palliative care services meet any of the national benchmarks?
- (5) What data does the Government have about how New South Wales services meet these benchmarks?
- (6) What plans does the Government have to increase access to community based palliative care?
- (7) What are the current standards for access to palliative care in the inner city for the national benchmarks for:
 - (a) Hospital based care;
 - (b) Community based care?
- (8) What further action has the Government taken since LA Q5516 to increase the number of specialist palliative care trained physicians and nurses?
- (9) What action has been taken to develop a plan to replace the 2012-2016 palliative care plan?
- (10) When will a new plan be available for community comment?
- (11) What further action will the Government take to expand palliative care in hospitals and at home?

Answer—

(1) to (11) The Government has increased choices available to support people at the end of their life by delivering a range of community-based palliative care services that have enabled people to remain at home if that is their wish.

In 2017-18, the Government invested a record \$210 million in palliative care services.

In the 2017-18 State Budget, the Government announced an additional \$100 million funding over four years for palliative care services, including \$17.4 million in 2017-18. This investment includes:

- palliative care training for 300 nurses and allied health staff (\$900,000)
- 300 scholarships for rural and regional staff to enhance palliative care skills (\$300,000)
- an additional nine palliative care specialists in rural and regional areas (\$3.06 million)
- two specialist positions to provide relief to other specialists in rural and regional areas (\$795,000)
- an additional 30 palliative care nurses providing care in hospitals, homes and nursing homes (\$5 million)
- developing and implementing comprehensive and integrated palliative care services, in line with community expectations and need.
- improving medication management for palliative care patients through community pharmacy initiatives (\$200,000)

Specialist palliative care services are delivered in a range of settings including public and private hospitals, hospices, community clinics, residential aged care facilities and in the home.

Palliative care services are provided in a networked arrangement, by specialist palliative care services which support and complement the care provided by primary care

The arrangement allows patients to have their palliative care needs met in a range of locations and settings.

*7489 2015 SEXUAL ORIENTATION, GENDER IDENTITY AND INTERSEX RIGHTS REPORT—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Considering your response to LA Q4792, what measures did the Government adopt in response to the Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity & Intersex Rights (SOGII) report 'A road map for inclusion' recommendations to:
 - (a) Review coverage of SOGII issues in anti-discrimination laws and amend laws so that they are inclusive of all SOGII issues?
 - (b) Bring anti-discrimination law into conformity with the Commonwealth Sex Discrimination Act 1984?
 - (c) Make a self-identified legal declaration, such as a statutory declaration sufficient proof to change a person's gender for their birth certificate and other government records and proof of identity documentation?

Answer—

I am advised:

As noted in response to LA Q4792, the Government is committed to ensuring that everyone in New South Wales is treated equally and fairly under the law.

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The Government has already implemented measures that comply with the majority of the recommendations in the Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity & Intersex Rights report, 'A road map for inclusion'. For example, under the Anti-Discrimination Act 1997, it is currently unlawful to discriminate against, or vilify homosexual and transgender people.

While intersex people are not covered by the Anti-Discrimination Act 1997, it is open to people who identify as intersex, and who experience discrimination, to make a claim under the Commonwealth Sex Discrimination Act 1984.

There are currently no plans to amend the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1995 to change the requirements for a person to alter the record of their sex.

*7490 CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME: RETURN AND EARN COLLECTION POINTS—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) What action is being taken to increase the number of return and collection points in the Sydney electorate?
- (2) How does the Government intend to ensure all areas have access to a return and earn collection point, particularly Darlinghurst, Woollahra and Paddington which currently don't have one?
- (3) What work is being done to improve access to return and earn collection points in the CBD, where drinks are regularly consumed in drink containers?
- (4) How will the Government ensure that areas where people consume drinks from drink containers in public places like malls, squares, parks and public transport hubs have easy convenient access to a return and earn collection point?
- (5) What stakeholders is the Government working with to increase access to return and earn collection points while the container deposit scheme is being rolled out?

Answer—

I am advised:

The network operator, TOMRA Cleanaway, is responsible for determining the location of collection points and deployment of the scheme.

*7491 RENTER ACCESS CARDS—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

- (1) Considering your response to LA Q2069, what assessment did the recent statutory review into the Residential Tenancies Act 2010 make on the practice of owners corporations deactivating renters' building access cards in response to alleged by-law breaches?
- (2) What risks did the Government identify with this practice?
- (3) What options for redress do renters have if their access card is deactivated without a court or tribunal order if they have an informal lease arrangement with a head tenant instead of a signed lease with a landlord?

Answer—

(1) The recent statutory review of the Residential Tenancies Act 2010 (the Act) examined the issue of tenants' building access cards being deactivated for by-law breaches. The review determined that this issue was more appropriately addressed under the Strata Scheme Management Act 2015 (the Strata Act).

(2) I am advised that Fair Trading has received a low level of complaints on this practice. Access card deactivation appears to be relatively infrequent and is generally resolved by Fair Trading's tenancy service.

(3) I am advised that when a sub-tenant enters into a residential tenancy agreement with a head-tenant, the head-tenant automatically becomes a landlord and must fulfil the obligations of a landlord under the Residential Tenancies Act 2010 (the Act) and associated Regulations. Should the Owners Corporation deactivate the sub-tenants access card, the sub-tenant has the following options for redress:

- Report the issue to the landlord (head-tenant), The landlord can address the issue with the Owners Corporation (OC) themselves or through the Owner or Property Manager to have the matter resolved.
- Failing that, the sub-tenant may lodge a tenancy complaint with NSW Fair Trading. Our complaint service may assist with all parties negotiating a successful outcome.
- Should a satisfactory outcome not be achieved they may have the option to lodge an application with the NSW Civil and Administrative Tribunal. However, it will be the responsibility of the sub-tenant to demonstrate supporting evidence to the Tribunal member that they are a tenant under the Act.
- Should this be unsuccessful the sub-tenant will need to seek legal advice.

In the case where the subtenancy is considered unlawful, the tenant cannot apply for mediation under the Strata Act, as the Strata Act defines an occupier of a lot as a person in lawful occupation of the lot.

*7492 CROSSROADS PROGRAM: SEXUALITY AND SEXUAL HEALTH—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) When will the report from the Loudon Review on Crossroads that led the government to discontinue the sexuality and sexual health component of the program be publicly available?
 - (a) Why has it not been released yet?
- (2) What evidence of harm and benefit were considered before the decision was made to discontinue the component?
- (3) What aspects of sex education will continue to be provided as part of the program?
- (4) What aspects of sexuality will continue to be provided as part of the program?
- (5) Following the changes, what education will Year 11 and 12 students receive on:
 - (a) Sexually transmitted infections;
 - (b) Bullying associated with lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and intersex (LGBTI) status;
 - (c) Discrimination associated with LGBTI status;
 - (d) Sexting;
 - (e) Sexual coercion;
 - (f) Gender diversity and gender questioning;
 - (g) Reproductive health;
 - (h) Experiences of same sex attraction?
- (6) How does the Government intend to address any gaps in education on sexuality and sexual health for Year 11 and 12 students that could affect their health and wellbeing?

Answer—

I'm advised the Review of Sexuality and Gender Education by Emeritus Professor William Loudon (Loudon report) has been released and is published on the Department of Education's website. The findings of the report have been accepted by the department.

*7493 COST OF MEMBERS OF REMUNERATED BOARDS AND COMMITTEES—Mr Ryan Park asked the Premier—

What is the total annual cost of members of remunerated boards and committees as listed on the Public Service Commission website in each financial year from 2011-12 to 2016-17?

Answer—

Information about the remuneration payable to members of New South Wales Government boards and committees is publically available.

*7494 SOUTH EAST REGIONAL HOSPITAL BEGA—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

- (1) What were the criteria used by the Government to commission the inquiry into the South East Regional Hospital in Bega?
 - (a) Were the criteria, among other factors, based on:
 - (i) Analysis and assessment of the role of the hospital and local health district management;
 - (ii) Identifying any deficiencies in the management of the hospital; and
 - (iii) Assessing systems and the capacity to detect, respond to and manage emerging critical issues?
- (2) What were the recommendations of the inquiry?
- (3) Has the Government implemented the recommendations from the inquiry?

Answer—

The Reid Review is publicly available on the NSW Health website at www.health.nsw.gov.au. The Inquiry's recommendations are set out in the Review I am advised that NSW Health and the Southern NSW Local Health District have accepted and are acting upon all of the Inquiry's recommendations.

*7495 SYDNEY STADIUMS—Mr Paul Scully asked the Premier—

What are the specific benefits to the Illawarra region of the Government's \$2.5 billion proposal to knock-down and rebuild Sydney stadiums?

Answer—

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The Governments stadia investment will ensure New South Wales remains the number one destination for major sporting and entertainment events, creating jobs and generating economic activity across the State.

Thanks to the Government, the Illawarra region is receiving record investments in services and infrastructure.

*7496 WOLLONGONG SHUTTLE SERVICE—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) What is the latest date that Transport for New South Wales would be willing to sign a formal agreement with the University of Wollongong and Wollongong City Council in relation to the ongoing funding of the Wollongong Shuttle service beyond 30 June 2018?
- (2) How long after signing the formal agreement will it be made public?
 - (a) If it will not be made public, why not?
- (3) Will Opal fares now be imposed on the 'Gong Shuttle service'?

Answer—

Transport for NSW has met with Wollongong City Council. The Council has committed to providing a joint proposal with the University of Wollongong for consideration.

*7497 WESTCONNEX FORCED WAIVERS ON NOISE ABATEMENT TREATMENTS—Ms Jenny Leong asked the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—

- (1) Why is it a requirement by Roads and Maritime Services, WestConnex M5 Project Company Group and CPB Contractors, Dragados and Samsung (New M5 Contractor) for eligible residents to sign agreements releasing the New M5 Contractor unconditionally and forever from all future claims and actions before they receive the noise abatement to which they are entitled under Condition E32 of the Ministerial Consent SSI 6788?
- (2) Has the Minister or the Department received and/or responded to any correspondence regarding this compulsory waiver being imposed on residents before they get noise abatement treatment in relation to WestConnex ?
- (3) Will any action be taken to have this Agreement withdrawn from all current and future WestConnex noise mitigation works?

Answer—

I am advised that prior to any work being carried out, property owners are required to sign a deed of agreement- this is standard practice.

The deed of agreement does not absolve the New M5 contractor from meeting its obligations under the New M5 Conditions of Approval.

The New M5 project team is liaising directly with property owners who are eligible for architectural treatment.

*7498 ESSENTIAL BUS SERVICE IN NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) Is the Minister aware that essential bus services in Newcastle have been discontinued?
- (2) Considering that residents are reporting that the new Transport network has left many with longer journey times, more changes and no improvements in frequency, will the Minister ask Keolis Downer to urgently review the whole network?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) Once again, the Member for Newcastle is making false assertions regarding the Newcastle bus network.
- (2) I refer you to my comments in the House on 6, 7 and 15 February 2018.

*7499 HUNTER STREET BUSINESSES—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Premier—

Considering that you have previously indicated that in cases where there is economic loss rental assistance will always be considered and this has been done in other areas, is rental assistance being considered for businesses on Hunter Street?

Answer—

This question would be more appropriately addressed to the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure.

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- 7501 INSTALLATION OF LIFTS AT UNANDERRA STATION—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7502 PUBLIC PURPOSE FUND—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7503 ON DEMAND SHUTTLE IN FIGTREE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7504 FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT PARAMEDICS IN THE ILLAWARRA—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- *7505 UNANDERRA ACCESS GROUP MEETINGS—Mr Paul Scully asked the Premier—
- (1) On what dates did the Unanderra Access Group seek a meeting with you as Premier?
(a) On what dates did these meetings take place?
- Answer—
Ministerial meeting disclosures are publicly available.
I note Shadow ministers continue to refuse to disclose their diaries and the Leader of the Opposition has repeatedly breached his election commitment to disclose his diary every two months.
- 7506 TRAIN SERVICES ON THE SOUTH COAST LINE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7507 WOLLONGONG HOSPITAL CONCESSION PARKING—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7508 PASSENGER DATA ON NEWCASTLE BUSES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7510 SCHOOLS IN FLETCHER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7511 OLD WALLSEND FIRE STATION SITE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7512 2018 LEGAL TOPICS FOR OLDER PEOPLE DIARY—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7513 JUST REINVEST NSW PRE-BUDGET SUBMISSION—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7514 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CLAIMS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7516 LEGAL EXPENDITURES REPORTED TO NSW PROCUREMENT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7517 CAMDEN COURT HOUSE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7518 LIFELINK PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7519 PRIVACY MANAGEMENT PRACTICES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7520 FREE BUS TRAVEL FOR YEARS 3 TO 6 STUDENTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7521 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN ORANGE—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—

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- 7523 RESPONSE TO CORRESPONDENCE—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7524 TRANSPORT FOR NSW OFFICIAL TRAVEL—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7525 ADVERTISING OF INSTANT CASH LOANS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7526 NSW STOLEN GENERATIONS REPARATIONS SCHEME AND FUNERAL ASSISTANCE FUND—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Assistant Minister for Education—
- 7527 48 BUS SERVICE—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7528 LAKE MACQUARIE TRANSPORT INTERCHANGE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7529 STAGE 5 OF THE NEWCASTLE INNER CITY BYPASS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7530 FIRST RESPONSE GENERAL DUTIES POLICE OFFICERS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—

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- 7531 RETURN AND EARN SCHEME—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7532 DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING'S CHARACTER STATEMENTS—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- 7533 SECONDARY MATHEMATICS TEACHERS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7534 MACQUARIE FIELDS POLICE STATION—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7535 LEACOCK REGIONAL PARK MAINTENANCE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7536 CAMPBELLTOWN CITY POLICE AREA COMMAND—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7537 SINGLE-VEHICLE ACCIDENTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7538 COMPLAINTS LODGED BY PUBLIC HOSPITAL STAFF—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7539 COMPLAINTS AGAINST OFFICERS AND STAFF—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7540 FUELCHECK COMPLIANCE OPERATION—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7542 PRE-EXPOSURE PROPHYLAXIS MEDICATION—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

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- 7543 LOVE MAKES A FAMILY REPORT—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Attorney General—
- 7545 NEW SOUTH WALES PUBLIC SCHOOL TOILETS—Mr Jihad Dib to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7546 AIR CONDITIONING IN SCHOOLS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—
- 7547 ILLEGAL LAND-CLEARING RATES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

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- 7548 MACARTHUR SERVICE CENTRE GREGORY HILLS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7549 STATE FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT PROGRAM AND THE FLOODPLAIN RISK MANAGEMENT GRANTS SCHEME—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7550 DEVELOPMENT HEIGHT LIMITS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- 7551 FUELCHECK NSW—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7552 SERVICE NSW CENTRES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7553 PRIVATE OPERATORS AND SERVICE NSW CONTACT CENTRES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7554 DIVERSITY AT SERVICE NSW—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
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- 7556 SERVICE NSW POSTAGE COST—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7562 REGIONAL FOREST AGREEMENTS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7563 EDGECLIFF STATION AND INTERCHANGE ACCESS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7565 ON-DEMAND BUS SERVICE BANKSTOWN—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7568 NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE SERVICE—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7569 PALLIATIVE CARE SERVICES GOSFORD—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7570 FIRST HOME BUYERS ASSISTANCE—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
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- 7573 OLD PYRMONT COTTAGES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
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- 7579 ELECTRIC BUSES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
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- 7584 DONATION STATION AT EAST MAITLAND SERVICE NSW—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
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- 7591 AIR-CONDITIONED TRAINS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
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- 7602 ILLEGAL DUMPING—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
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- 7687 TENANCY EVICTIONS AT THE SOLANDER BUILDING IN WATERLOO—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
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- 7820 WOMEN'S ONLINE NETWORK—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- (1) How many women have signed up to the Women's Online Network (WON) since it was launched in August 2016 (as at 15 March 2018)?
 - (2) What activities have been undertaken by the network?
 - (3) What communications have been held by the Government with members of the WON?
 - (4) What resources have been shared by Government with the WON?
 - (5) How do women small business owners un-enrol from the network and remove their details from the website?
 - (6) What password protections and forgotten password options are available for accessing the website?
 - (7) What contact details are there for the administrators of the site?

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- 7821 SMALL BUSINESS COMMISSIONER ANNUAL REPORT 2017—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- When will the Small Business Commissioner post the 2017 Annual Report on the Small Business Commissioner's Website?
- 7822 INNER WEST TRAIN LINE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- Will the Inner West Train Line be restored in light of the impending closure of the Bankstown Line?
- 7823 OFFSHORE PETROLEUM EXPLORATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State representing the Minister for Resources, Minister for Energy and Utilities, Minister for Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- (1) Given the Minister's concerns regarding PEP11 and offshore petroleum exploration in Newcastle (LC Hansard 15/2/18), what action has the Minister taken to prevent the exploration from proceeding?
 - (2) Is the Minister satisfied that the exploration will not damage Newcastle's marine environment?
 - (a) If not, what actions has the Minister taken to address this risk?
- 7824 FUTURE TRANSPORT STRATEGY PUBLIC CONSULTATION—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) Will the Minister update LA Q7412 by providing a list of the individuals and organisations that provided a submission as part of the Future Transport Strategy?
 - (2) On what date will the finalised Future Transport Strategy be publicly released?
- 7825 OLD BAGOTVILLE ROAD FAUNA FENCING, RAMPS AND GRIDS—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- (1) Did Roads and Maritime Services commission any external parties to conduct a review of the effectiveness of temporary fauna exclusion fencing, koala grids and fauna escape ramps before they were installed at Old Bagotville Road NSW 2477?
 - (a) If so, please advise of the name(s) of these parties and the dates on which their reports were received by Roads and Maritime Services?
- 7826 BOTANY BAY CRUISE SHIP TERMINAL—Mr Michael Daley to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
- (1) Has the Government investigated the feasibility of a cruise ship terminal within Botany Bay?
 - (2) Does Destination NSW hold any documents investigating the possibility of a cruise ship terminal within Botany Bay?
 - (a) If so, will Destination NSW release these documents?
 - (b) If so, when will the cruise ship terminal be announced?
- 7827 BOTANY BAY CRUISE SHIP TERMINAL—Mr Michael Daley to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- (1) Has the Government investigated the feasibility of a cruise ship terminal within Botany Bay?
 - (2) Does Roads and Maritime hold any documents investigating a cruise ship terminal within Botany Bay?
 - (a) If so, will Roads and Maritime release these documents?
 - (b) If so, when will the cruise ship terminal be announced?
- 7828 CLARENCE STREET MACQUARIE FIELDS MINIMUM HEIGHT LIMIT—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- (1) What is the proposed minimum height limit for Clarence Street, Macquarie Fields under the Macquarie Fields Precinct Plan which was released in December 2017?
- 7829 EDMONDSON PARK RAILWAY STATION CAR PARKING—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) What is the plan to increase commuter car parking at Edmondson Park Railway Station?

- 7830 INNER CITY HOMELESSNESS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) Considering it is now six months since a large number of homeless people were moved out of Martin Place, how many people in the inner city who have been sleeping rough have been housed in the last six months?
 - (a) How many of those people that have been housed have maintained their housing?
 - (2) How many people have been provided with Temporary Accommodation in the last six months?
 - (a) What options exist for those receiving Temporary Accommodation to move into ongoing accommodation?
 - (3) How many people are receiving post-crisis support?
 - (4) What plans are there to provide adequate housing for the large numbers of people experiencing homelessness in the inner city?
 - (5) What plans are there in place to provide affordable housing for homeless youth?
- 7831 EPIPENS AVAILABILITY—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- (1) Is the Minister aware that it is often difficult to buy Epipens due to stock shortages at pharmacies as a result of unreliable suppliers?
 - (2) What measures are in place to ensure that stock levels of Epipens and other lifesaving medical apparatus are adequately maintained at community level to service the people who rely on them?
 - (3) What recourse is available to members of the community if they are consistently unable to access Epipens or other lifesaving apparatus?
- 7832 CHARLESTOWN EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL SECURITY FENCING—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Education—
- On what date will security fencing be provided for the perimeter of Charlestown East Public School?
- 7833 ORANGE HEALTH SERVICE CAR PARK—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- When can my constituents expect the completion of the 160-space car park at the Orange Health Service?
- 7834 WOMEN'S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT ADVOCACY SERVICE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) Considering that the current funding cycle supporting the Women's Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Service ends on 30 June 2018, have tenders been issued for this program?
 - (a) Is there an expectation of re-tendering for current providers?
 - (b) What would the requirements of any such re-tendering be?
 - (c) What expectations should current providers have around continuing funding arrangements after this date?
 - (d) Will any new funding arrangements show an increase to acknowledge the increasing demand for services from current providers?
- 7835 HIGH SCHOOL IN WEST DAPTO—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Education—
- (1) Is the Government aware of any plans to build a Catholic or Independent high school in West Dapto?
 - (a) If so,
 - (i) when will these plans be made public?
 - (ii) what will the street address of this school be?
 - (iii) when is construction expected to begin?
 - (iv) what will the capacity of this school be?
 - (v) when is this school expected to open?
- 7836 REVERSE VENDING MACHINES IN CESSNOCK—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- (1) Will the City of Cessnock receive additional reverse vending machines?
 - (2) How many times a day is the reverse vending machine at Cessnock Woolworths emptied?
 - (3) Is there any possibility this occurrence could be increased?
 - (4) Are there additional locations in the Cessnock area that have been identified by the Office of

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Environment and Heritage as potential sites for further reverse vending machines?

- 7837 FAILURE TO VOTE PENALTY NOTICES IN THE CESSNOCK ELECTORATE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Premier—
- (1) How many Local Government Election Failure to Vote penalty notices issued were issued for elections held in 2016?
 - (a) Of these, how many were issued in the Cessnock electorate?
 - (2) How many were excused upon return of the Notice?
 - (a) Of these, how many were excused in the Cessnock electorate?
 - (3) How many proceeded to enforcement of the Penalty Notice?
 - (a) Of these, how many were enforced in the Cessnock electorate?
- 7838 PUMPED HYDROELECTRIC POWER GENERATION FACILITIES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State representing the Minister for Resources, Minister for Energy and Utilities, Minister for Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- (1) What measures or programs have NSW Resources and Energy implemented or considered to assist the transition of the workforce from a coal fired power generation focus to that of renewables?
 - (2) Has NSW Resources and Energy undertaken research into the possible benefits of using coal mine final voids for pumped hydro energy storage?
 - (3) Has this research been conducted in the Hunter Valley?
 - (4) What have been the outcome/findings of these investigations?
 - (5) Is NSW Resources and Energy confident of the viability of using final voids in the Hunter Valley coal mines to create pumped hydroelectric power generation facilities?
 - (6) If no research or investigations have been undertaken, will NSW Resources and Energy consider conducting preliminary investigations into the use of final voids to create pumped hydroelectric power generation facilities?
- 7839 SALE OF PUBLIC HOUSING IN SOUTH WESTERN SYDNEY, WESTERN SYDNEY AND NEPEAN BLUE MOUNTAINS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- The 'Housing Pathways' section of the Family and Community Services website outlines the expected wait times of no less than five to ten years for social housing in the regions of South Western Sydney, Western Sydney and Nepean Blue Mountains so why is the Government selling public housing in these areas?
- 7840 NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE SERVICE RESTRUCTURE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- (1) Will the restructuring of the National Parks and Wildlife Service have an impact on the number of staff in front line services for the Georges River National Park?
 - (a) If so, how many staff will be cut at the Georges River National Park under the proposed restructure?
- 7841 STAGE 2 ROLLOUT OF CHILDSTORY SYSTEM—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) Will the Minister commit to halting the Stage 2 rollout of the ChildStory system until any deficiencies in the system are rectified?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 7842 PRIVATE RENTAL SUBSIDY—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- Will the Minister intervene to ensure that Peter Radovski can continue to receive the private rental subsidy he had been receiving from Housing NSW so that he can continue to look after his autistic and severely handicapped adult son?

- 7843 INVESTMENT IN SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- Considering the increasing nature of homelessness according to Australian Bureau of Statistics figures, will the Government commit to greater investment in social and affordable housing to tackle homelessness?
- 7844 PREVENTING YOUNG PEOPLE FROM BECOMING HOMELESS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- Considering the increasing number of homeless youth according to Australian Bureau of Statistics figures, what measures is the Government implementing to prevent young people from becoming homeless?
- 7845 ALBION PARK RAIL BYPASS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- (1) Why did the Government not meet their deadline for planning approval for the Albion Park Rail bypass to be granted by the end of 2016?
 - (2) Why did the Government not meet their deadline for planning approval for the Albion Park Rail bypass to be granted by the end of 2017?
- 7846 MINISTERIAL VISITS TO SHELLHARBOUR AND KIAMA—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Premier—
- (1) How many times has the Cabinet met in the electorate of Shellharbour since 2011?
 - (2) How many times has the Cabinet met in the electorate of Kiama since 2011?
 - (3) How many Ministers have visited the electorate of Shellharbour since Gladys Berejiklian became Premier in January 2017?
 - (4) How many Ministers have visited the electorate of Kiama since Gladys Berejiklian became Premier in January 2017?
- 7847 DAPTO PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Education—
- (1) What is the total monetary value of the Government's plan to upgrade Dapto Public School?
 - (2) What will these upgrades include?
 - (3) What will be the enrolment capacity of Dapto Public School after the upgrade is completed?
 - (4) When is the construction of these upgrades expected to begin and to be completed?
- 7848 CHILD PROTECTION HELPLINE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) How many complaints or calls of concern were made to the Child Protection Helpline in the last financial year?
 - (2) Are all welfare calls investigated?
 - (3) Are complainants advised of the outcome of these investigations?
- 7849 MORISSET RAILWAY STATION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) What are the operational hours of Morisset Railway Station?
 - (2) Between what hours is the station staffed by on-site transport officials?
 - (3) What are the operational hours of the bathrooms located at the station?
 - (4) If the bathrooms are locked, can commuters politely request for them to be opened for use?
 - (5) What avenues can commuters pursue if on-site staff advises them that the bathrooms will not be opened as the commuters "had an opportunity to use the toilets on the train"?
 - (6) Are transport staff directed to not open the bathrooms at Morisset Railway Station after a certain hour?
- 7850 NSW FAIR TRADING FEEDBACK—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- (1) How does NSW Fair Trading encourage consumers and traders to provide feedback on their experience?
 - (2) By what methods can consumers and traders provide the feedback?

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- (3) On average, how long does it take for a consumer or trader to complete the feedback exercise?
- (4) How many consumers and traders did NSW Fair Trading engage with during the 2016-17 period?
- (5) Are you satisfied that NSW Fair Trading only encouraged 578 traders and consumers to complete a feedback exercise during this period?
- (6) Did NSW Fair Trading staff personally contact those consumers and traders who provided:
- (a) Compliments;
 - (i) If yes, how was the contact made?
 - (b) Suggestions;
 - (i) If yes, how was the contact made?
 - (c) Complaints?
 - (i) If yes, how was the contact made?
- (7) What is the definition of "unjustified complaints" as outlined in the Department of Finance Services and Innovation Annual Report 2016-17?
- (8) How were "justified complaints" handled by NSW Fair Trading?
- (9) What does NSW Fair Trading complaints resolution entail?
- 7851 DISPUTE RESOLUTION SUBMISSIONS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) How many submissions were received by the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation concerning the discussion paper on potential reforms to the New South Wales workers compensation dispute resolution system?
 - (2) Who is responsible for analysing each submission and determining the findings and recommendations?
 - (3) When can members of the public expect the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation to release their findings?
- 7852 CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- How are excess funds collected under the Return and Earn scheme allocated?
- 7853 VEHICLE SAFETY INSPECTORS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- How many Vehicle Safety Inspectors were employed by Roads and Maritime Services in each financial year from 2015-16 to 2017-18 (as at 15 March 2018)?
- 7854 PRESCHOOL CAPITAL GRANTS PROGRAM—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Assistant Minister for Education—
- (1) How many preschools received funding from the preschool capital grants program in 2016-17?
 - (2) What was the average amount awarded by the preschool capital grants program in 2016-17?
 - (3) How much funding was awarded to Dubbo and District Preschool by this grants program in 2016-17?
- 7855 GOSFORD HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- (1) How many admissions were there to the Gosford Hospital Emergency Department in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?
 - (2) How many beds are there in the Gosford Hospital Emergency Department?
 - (3) What is the average occupancy rate for the Gosford Hospital Emergency Department?
- 7856 CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL PLAN—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- What resources and support are being provided to Central Coast Council to help them deliver action items from the Central Coast Regional Plan?
- 7857 PACIFIC HIGHWAY UPGRADE KOALA FOOD TREES PLANTED—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—

- (1) How many koala food trees have been planted in the section 10 and section 11 areas of the Woolgoolga to Ballina Pacific Highway upgrade (as at 7 March 2018)?
- (a) How many koala food trees have been planted in Wardell, Meerschaum Vale and Coolgardie?
 - (b) On average, how many years will it take for koala food trees planted in 2017 and 2018 to grow to maturity (i.e. a stage where koalas may feed from them)?
- 7858 OLD BAGOTVILLE ROAD FAUNA ESCAPE RAMPS—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- (1) Have the fauna escape ramps installed at Old Bagotville Road New South Wales 2477 by Roads and Maritime Services been used by Roads and Maritime Services in any other locations?
- (a) If so, please give a list of those locations?
- 7859 PACIFIC HIGHWAY UPGRADE FROM WOOLGOOLGA TO BALLINA—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- How many businesses based in the Ballina electorate are being or have been employed or contracted to work on the Pacific Highway upgrade from Woolgoolga to Ballina for the 2015-16 financial year?
- 7860 PACIFIC HIGHWAY UPGRADE WOOLGOOLGA TO BALLINA—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- How many businesses based in the Ballina electorate are being or have been employed or contracted to work on the Pacific Highway upgrade from Woolgoolga to Ballina for the 2016-17 financial year?
- 7861 FIRE AND RESCUE RESPONSE TIMES—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- (1) What was the average state-wide response time to call outs in 2016-17 for permanent fire and rescue crews?
 - (2) What was the average state-wide response time to call outs in 2016-17 for retained fire and rescue crews?
 - (3) What was the average response time to call outs in 2016-17 for fire and rescue crews from:
 - (a) Salamander Bay Station;
 - (b) Tea Gardens Station;
 - (c) Raymond Terrace Station?
- 7862 COASTAL MANAGEMENT SEPP—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- (1) What work has been undertaken on the draft Coastal Management State Environmental Planning Policy (SEPP) since consultation closed on 20 January 2016?
 - (2) Will a final version of this SEPP be released?
- 7863 RURAL FIRE SERVICE U-TURN BAY PROHIBITION—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- (1) Has the Rural Fire Service prohibited its units from using emergency U-turn bays on the M1?
 - (a) If so:
 - (i) On what basis has the prohibition been issued?
 - (ii) Has modelling been done to assess the impact of the prohibition on response times?
 - (iii) Is it intended to be a permanent prohibition?
 - (iv) When will it be revoked?
- 7864 GOSFORD HOSPITAL ELECTIVE SURGERY WAITING TIMES—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- What are the current elective surgery waiting times for Gosford Hospital (as at 15 March 2018)?
- 7865 HUNTER BUS ROUTES—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) Did Transport for NSW review the newly implemented Newcastle bus timetable prior to its introduction?

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- (2) Is the operator of Newcastle Buses obliged to work with surrounding bus operators (including Port Stephens Coaches and Hunter Valley buses) to ensure that the new Newcastle bus timetable connects with existing services from the broader Hunter area?
- 7866 TOMAREE COMMUNITY HOSPITAL PATIENT TRANSFER—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- How many patients who presented to Tomaree Community Hospital were transferred to a tertiary hospital in each month from October 2017 to January 2018?
- 7867 RURAL FIRE SERVICE FIRE CONDITION WARNING SIGNS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- (1) Is the Rural Fire Service (RFS) conducting any studies or trials into the use of fire condition warning signs by RFS units?
- (a) If so:
- (i) What is being trialled?
- (ii) When will it be completed?
- (iii) Will the findings be publicly available?
- (2) Does the RFS intend to control and fund the installation of fire condition warning signs for its RFS units?
- (a) If so, how and when will units be provided with the information they need to obtain signage?
- 7868 NEWCASTLE BUS PATRONAGE BY CARD TYPE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) When will the figures for bus patronage by card type for the Newcastle network be available on the Transport for NSW website?
- (2) Is the Newcastle Keolis Downer network the only region where data is not available?
- (a) If so, why?
- 7869 MARYVILLE POWER OUTAGE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State representing the Minister for Resources, Minister for Energy and Utilities, Minister for Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- (1) Is the Minister aware of the recent power outage on 22 February 2018 in Maryville that resulted in a power surge that has caused significant damage to resident's homes?
- (2) Is the Minister aware that Ausgrid is refusing to compensate the victims of the power surge as they claim it was caused by a bat?
- (3) Considering that high voltage power lines in New South Wales are designed to withstand strong winds, branches and wildlife such as birds, possums and bats, how does a single bat cause a high voltage wire to snap?
- (4) Will claims that poles and insulators were over 50 years old and were due to be replaced and contributed to the outage be investigated?
- (5) Will the Minister request Ausgrid accept claims for compensation from damage their infrastructure has caused to resident's homes?
- 7870 BROADMEADOW HERITAGE RAIL CENTRE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) What is the Government's plan for the parcel of rail land in the Broadmeadow Heritage Rail precinct bounded land and its contents including the turntable, rail carriages and other heritage rail items?
- (a) What is the Government's plan for the remainder of the land, outside the high security fence?
- 7871 NEWCASTLE TRANSPORT FARE EVASION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) How many compliance officers does Keolis Downer employ?
- (2) Has Keolis Downer more heavily enforced fare evasion?
- (a) If so, what is the estimated proportion of fare evasion since then?
- (3) What is the estimated number of passenger trips for each month (provided separately) now recorded that had previously been unrecorded due to fare evasion?
- (4) What was the estimated non-compliance by school students (SSTS) when Keolis Downer took control?

- (5) What is the estimated non-compliance by school students (SSTS) since heavier enforcement (as at 15 March 2018)?
- (6) What is the estimated impact on recorded school student (SSTS) patronage for the calendar year 2017, due to the heavier enforcement?
- (7) What is the estimated impact on recorded school student (SSTS) patronage for the calendar year 2018, due to the heavier enforcement (as at 15 March 2018)?
- 7872 NUCOAL RESOURCES INVESTORS OPTIONS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Premier—
Can the Premier outline what options are available for innocent small investors in NuCoal Resources?
- 7873 MAITLAND TRAIN STATION ROUNDABOUT CONGESTION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- (1) What measures will the Government use to alleviate the significant traffic congestion at the Maitland Train Station Roundabout?
(a) When will these measures be implemented?
- 7874 ENGAGEMENT WITH WORKERS COMPENSATION INDEPENDENT REVIEW OFFICE AND STATE INSURANCE REGULATORY AUTHORITY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) Since your appointment as Minister for Finance, Services and Property, how many complaints concerning workers compensation have you referred to the following bodies after representations from Members of Parliament:
(a) Workers Compensation Independent Review Office (WIRO)
(b) State Insurance Regulatory Authority (SIRA)
- (2) What is the current strength of the WIRO workforce?
(3) What is the current strength of the SIRA workforce?
(4) On average, how many times a week does your office make contact with WIRO?
(5) On average, how many times a week does your office make contact with SIRA?
- 7875 REVIEW OF OUT-OF-HOME CARE SYSTEM—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
Will the review into out-of-home care in New South Wales by David Tune AO PSM be made publicly available?
- 7876 DAPTO TAFE SITE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
- (1) When do the current leasing arrangements with NSW Police at the old Dapto TAFE site expire?
(2) What are the Government's long term plans for the TAFE site at Dapto?
(3) Will the Government rule out selling the site during this term of government?
(4) Will the Government rule out selling the site during the next term of government?
- 7877 SPOIL MANAGEMENT PROJECT—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) Can the Minister provide an update on any plans to make improvements to Old Port Road or Flinders Street, Port Kembla to cater for additional truck movements expected as part of the Transport for NSW Spoil Management Project, as per LA Q6734?
(2) Has Transport for NSW finalised its response to Spoil Management Project Review of Environment Factors, published in August 2017?
(a) If so, when will it be made public?
(3) When will a final decision to proceed with this project be made?
- 7878 ILLAWARRA SHOALHAVEN LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT ELECTIVE SURGERY—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- (1) Did the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District make any other application for funding under the NSW Government's \$3 million on elective surgery apart from cataract procedures?

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- (a) If so, what other applications were made?
(b) How much was requested?
(c) What were the reasons for those applications not being successful?
- (2) What reviews have taken place to reduce the elective surgery waiting lists noted in the 2017 October-December quarter Bureau of Health Information report?
- (3) Will these reviews be made public?
(a) If not, why not?
- (4) What are vacant operating lists?
(5) How are vacant operating lists filled?
(6) Why are there vacant operating lists in the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District at Wollongong Hospital when elective surgery waiting lists are so long?
- 7879 NATIONAL RAIL PROGRAM WOLLONGONG TO SYDNEY RAIL CORRIDOR—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) What reasons did the Commonwealth Government provide for rejecting the application of the Government to improve the Wollongong-Sydney rail corridor under the National Rail Program?
(2) What specifically did the Government application propose in terms of improvements to the South Coast Line?
(3) Considering the Commonwealth Government's rejection of its application, how will the Government now proceed with improving the Wollongong-Sydney rail corridor?
- 7880 AMBULANCE JOURNEYS IN THE ENTRANCE ELECTORATE—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- (1) How many Ambulance Service patient journeys have occurred involving a resident of The Entrance in each year from 2011 to 2018 (as at 4 March 2018)?
(a) How many invoices for these journeys were issued?
(i) How many of these invoices remain unpaid?
(b) How many journeys were paid by a health insurance fund?
(c) How many journeys were paid for other than by an insurance fund?
- 7881 AMPUTEE DRIVER LICENCE REQUIREMENTS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- (1) What are the driver licensing requirements for amputees in New South Wales?
(2) What is the process for someone who has recently become an amputee to be assessed as capable of driving?
(3) Who identifies that an assessment is needed?
(4) Who undertakes the assessment as to whether an amputee is capable of driving without vehicular modifications?
(5) Who assesses whether an amputee is competent to drive?
(6) Who assesses what modifications if any are required to a vehicle if someone has become an amputee?
(7) How much training has the person who is making the assessment received in physical capabilities of amputees?
(8) At what level of impairment without a prosthetic does amputee status get reflected on a driver's licence?
- 7882 OVERCROWDING IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- Considering the increase in homelessness according to Australian Bureau of Statistics figures, what measures is the Government implementing to reduce overcrowding in New South Wales?
- 7883 SALE OF PUBLIC HOUSING IN SYDNEY, SOUTH EASTERN SYDNEY AND NORTHERN SYDNEY—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- The 'Housing Pathways' section of the Family and Community Services website outlines expected wait times of no less than five to ten years for social housing in the regions of Sydney, South Eastern Sydney and Northern Sydney so why is the Government selling public housing in these areas?

- 7884 RENSRAW MCGIRR WAY ORANGE ELECTORATE—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
What is the Government doing to improve the Renshaw McGirr Way?
- 7885 PUBLIC PATIENT WAITING LISTS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
What is the Government doing to reduce the waiting time for public patients requiring surgical procedures?
- 7886 STAMP DUTY FROM RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WOLLONGONG ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) How much revenue from stamp duty has been collected from residential property transactions between 1 April 2017 and 31 January 2018 in the following postcodes:
 - (a) 2500;
 - (b) 2502;
 - (c) 2505;
 - (d) 2506;
 - (e) 2526;
 - (f) 2528;
 - (g) 2518?
- 7887 ELDER ABUSE AGED CARE FACILITIES WOLLONGONG ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for Ageing—
- (1) Have there been any complaints of elder abuse recorded within aged care facilities in the Wollongong electorate in 2017?
 - (a) If so:
 - (i) Which aged care facilities have received complaints against them?
 - (ii) How many complaints have been recorded?
 - (iii) What was the outcome of the complaints?
- 7888 INTERSECTION OF MASTERS AND SPRINGHILL ROADS WOLLONGONG ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) What is the total number of fines issued to motorists at the Masters and Springhill Roads, Spring Hill, intersection since red light cameras were installed (as at 15 March 2018)?
 - (a) What is the total amount of revenue raised from the fines issued at this intersection since the red light cameras were installed (as at 15 March 2018)?
 - (2) What is the total number of fines for other motor vehicle offences not related to the red light camera at the Masters and Springhill Roads, Spring Hill, intersection since the red light camera was installed (as at 15 March 2018)?
 - (a) What is the total revenue generated from these fines (as at 15 March 2018)?
- 7889 WOLLONGONG ELECTORATE VISIT BY TREASURER AND INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- (1) Do you intend to visit the Wollongong electorate as Treasurer?
 - (2) Will you accept my invitation of 27 October 2017 to visit the Wollongong electorate to meet with stakeholders to discuss infrastructure needs?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 7890 WOLLONGONG INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Premier—
- (1) Can the Premier provide an update on Government investment of any of the electricity lease proceeds in the Wollongong Local Government Area as per LA Q6365 (as at 15 March 2018)?
 - (2) Will the Premier accept my invitation to visit the Wollongong electorate to meet with stakeholders to discuss infrastructure needs?
 - (a) If not, why not?

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- 7891 REPRESENTATION RESPONSE TIMES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- (1) What is the average length of time for a response to constituent representations sent from State Members to the Minister for Planning to be provided by the Department of Planning?
 - (2) What is the longest time for a response to be provided by the Department of Planning since 2014 (as at 15 March 2018)?
 - (a) How many representations are closed with receiving no response?
 - (3) What percentage of representation responses exceed one year?
 - (4) Are the figures provided for the above questions similar for representations sent directly from constituents to Minister for Planning?
- 7892 NEWCASTLE BUS AND FERRY SERVICES PASSENGER NUMBERS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- Has Newcastle Bus and Ferry Services lost on average over 3,400 passengers per week for financial years 2015-16 and 2016-17 during your time as Minister?
- 7893 NEWCASTLE BUS PATRONAGE BY CARD TYPE STATISTICS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) Will the Minister confirm that the comparison of statistics for Newcastle bus services between the months of January 2017 and January 2018 is a genuine like for like comparison?
 - (2) Are there any substantial issues that could affect the patronage results?
- 7894 CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES MOBILE PHONE JAMMING TRIALS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- (1) How many Correctional Centres are presently conducting mobile phone jamming trials?
 - (a) Which Correctional Centres are conducting these trials?
 - (b) How long have each of these trials been operating?
- 7895 HUNTER STREET BUSINESSES—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- Considering that the Premier has previously indicated that in cases where there is economic loss rental assistance will always be considered and this has been done in other areas, is rental assistance being considered for businesses on Hunter Street?
- 7896 CONTAMINATED WASTE AT THE OLD STOCKTON TIP—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State representing the Minister for Resources, Minister for Energy and Utilities, Minister for Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- (1) Will the Minister request Hunter Water remove all contaminated waste from the old tip at Stockton?
 - (a) If so, when will this be completed?
 - (b) If not, why not?
- 7897 FIRE AND RESCUE NSW AERIAL APPLIANCES BY REGION—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- (1) How many operational high-reach aerial appliances does Fire and Rescue NSW have available in the following regions:
 - (a) Hunter
 - (b) Central Coast;
 - (c) Illawarra;
 - (d) Western Sydney;
 - (e) Metropolitan East;
 - (f) Metropolitan North;
 - (g) Metropolitan South;
 - (h) Metropolitan West?
 - (2) What is the reach for each of these appliances?
- 7898 ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—

- (1) How many Active Kids vouchers have been redeemed in the Fairfield electorate since its inception?
(a) What is the breakdown by sport?
- 7899 FAIRFIELD HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT WORKS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- (1) When are the ongoing redevelopment works in the Emergency Department at Fairfield Hospital scheduled to be completed?
(2) How much has been spent on the works to date (as at 15 March 2018)?
- 7900 CORRECTIONAL CENTRES DRONE ACTIVITY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- On how many occasions has the Minister's office received written and/or verbal notification from Corrective Services NSW of drone activity in or around Correctional Centres in New South Wales?
- 7901 POLICE FORCE HIGHWAY PATROL VEHICLES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- Considering Ford Australia's cessation of production of the Ford Falcon V8, what plans have been put in place to source a suitable replacement vehicle for the NSW Police Force Highway Patrol units?
- 7902 NEW POLICE AREA COMMANDS AND POLICE DISTRICTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- When will figures become available for the new Police Area Commands and Police Districts?
- 7903 FIRE AND RESCUE NSW NUMBER OF HIGH-REACH AERIAL APPLIANCES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- (1) Has the Commissioner for Fire and Rescue NSW requested any additional funding to increase the number of high-reach aerial appliances for any of the following regions:
(a) Hunter;
(b) Central Coast;
(c) Illawarra;
(d) Western Sydney;
(e) Metropolitan East;
(f) Metropolitan North;
(g) Metropolitan South;
(h) Metropolitan West?
- 7904 TEACHERS DISMISSED FROM NEW SOUTH WALES SCHOOLS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- (1) How many teachers in New South Wales schools were terminated due to sex related offences in each calendar year from 2010 to 2017, disaggregated by:
(a) Whether the teachers were employed in the following education systems:
(i) Public;
(ii) Catholic;
(iii) Other Independent Schools
(b) whether they were referred to police?
- (2) How many teachers lost their teaching accreditation from the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) due to sex related offences in each calendar year from 2010 to 2017, disaggregated by:
(a) whether they were employed in the following education systems:
(i) Public;
(ii) Catholic;
(iii) Other Independent Schools?
(b) Whether they had been terminated by their employing school;
(c) Whether they were referred to police?
- (3) What notification systems are in place to advise the Minister, the Department of Education and NESA when teachers lose their NESA accreditation due to a sex related offence?

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- 7905 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REFUGES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) How many refuges did the Government fund to provide support only to female victims of domestic violence in each year from 2011 to 2017?
 - (2) How many refuges does the Government currently fund to provide support to victims of domestic violence?
 - (a) Of these, how many are specifically for female victims of domestic violence?
 - (b) How many of these refuges provide support to both homeless individuals and victims of domestic violence?
- 7906 NSW WOMEN'S STRATEGY—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for Ageing—
- (1) What stage is the delivery of the NSW Women's Strategy up to?
 - (2) What date will it be released?
 - (3) How many written submissions were received in the consultation process?
 - (4) How many online surveys were completed?
 - (5) How many focus groups and/or workshops were conducted and for each group:
 - (a) What location was it held in?
 - (b) How many women attended?
 - (6) Which community, professional or other social groups were consulted?
- 7907 SMALL BUSINESS COMMISSIONER MEDIATION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- (1) How many instances of mediation has the Small Business Commissioner and her staff presided over in each year from 2015 to 2017? Please disaggregate by type of mediation.
 - (a) How many of these disputes were resolved successfully at mediation?
 - (b) How many of these disputes were subject to further legal action?
- 7908 OPAL MACHINES ON THE NEWCASTLE BUS NETWORK—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- How many Opal machine faults were reported on the Newcastle bus network after the transfer of control to private provider Keolis Downer in July 2017 (to 13 March 2018)?
- 7909 WOMEN'S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURT ADVOCACY SERVICE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) Considering the current funding cycle supporting the Women's Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Service ends on 30 June 2018, in your capacity as Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault:
 - (a) Will service providers continue to receive the funding they need;
 - (b) What is being done to Increase funding to support the increasing demand for such services?