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- 1091 STAMP DUTY CONCESSION—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Treasurer—
- *1092 JOHN NESS PROTESTANT FEDERATION GIRLS HOME—Ms Linda Burney asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
 - (1) Who was responsible for the care and wellbeing of children accommodated at the former John Ness Protestant Federation Girls Home situated at 50 Garnet Street, Dulwich Hill that was established in 1921 and operated until the building was sold in 1983;
 - (2) If these children were Wards of the State, and it cannot be determined exactly who or what organisation was responsible for their care and well being, does this not mean that the NSW Government is ultimately responsible?

Answer—

- (1) The John Ness Protestant Federation Girls Home was not operated by the NSW Government, and the Department of Family and Community Services does not hold records concerning the administration of the home or the children who may have been accommodated there.
 - Publicly available records suggest that the home was operated under the authority of an organisation known as the NSW Protestant Federation. The Department of Family and Community Services does not hold further information about this organisation.
- (2) Under the practices of the 1920s and 1930s, children may have been placed in the home either voluntarily by their parents or by the courts with no involvement or oversight of the placement by NSW Government authorities. It is not known whether children at the home were wards of the State during the time of their placement, and without this information it cannot be determined whether the NSW Government held responsibility for them.
- 1093 CARDIFF RAILWAY STATION—EASY ACCESS UPGRADE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1094 BUS SERVICES PATRONAGE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport—
- *1095 VIOLENCE ON TRAIN STATIONS—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport—
 - (1) Has the Newcastle and Hunter Region dominated the list of the state's most violent train stations by rate of incidents per passenger and is Waratah Station the worst station in the Hunter?
 - (2) Will the Minister ensure that visible, uniformed staff patrol all railway stations each and every day, as well as all trains, to improve community confidence in public transport in the region?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) and (2) BOCSAR recently concluded that the recorded rates of personal offences on the NSW rail system are generally very low. Transit Officers are deployed to the areas and at the times they are most needed based on gathered intelligence. In May 2011, RailCorp increased the presence of Transit Officers in the Central Coast and Hunter areas from 7 on night shift on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays to 24 patrolling trains and stations 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.
- 1096 HUNTER CRIME STATISTICS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- 1097 DNA BACKLOG—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1098 CALVARY MATER HOSPITAL—CANCER TREATMENT AND RESEARCH CENTRE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1099 METHADONE PHARMACOTHERAPY TREATMENT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1101 2017 INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—
- 1102 NORTH COAST AREA HEALTH SERVICE JOB CUTS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1103 PORT MACQUARIE HOSPITAL—FOURTH POD—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1104 SUTHERLAND HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1105 NATIONAL BOWEL CANCER SCREENING—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1106 RENAL DIALYSIS—FORBES AREA—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1107 TOMAREE COMMUNITY HOSPITAL—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1108 MORISSET AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Greg Piper to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1109 JENOLAN CAVES TRUST—Mr Greg Piper to ask the Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1113 WINMALEE PUBLIC SCHOOL HALL—COVERED WALKWAY—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1114 SCHOOL ZONE FLASHING LIGHTS—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1115 BLAXCELL STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL AIR-CONDITIONING—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1116 HOMOPHOBIC BULLYING IN SCHOOLS—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1117 DEVELOPMENT AT KAMIRA COURT, VILLAWOOD—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—

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- 1118 PROPOSED TRIAL TO ADDRESS GRAFFITI DAMAGE—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1119 CAR WEIGHT TAX—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1121 GLENDALE POLICE STATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- 1122 MAINTENANCE WORKS—DOBELL BUILDING—Ms Kristina Keneally to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1123 AUSTRALIAN OPEN—TRAFFIC AND PARKING ARRANGEMENTS—Ms Kristina Keneally to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—
- 1124 AUSTRALIAN OPEN—TRAFFIC AND PARKING ARRANGEMENTS—Ms Kristina Keneally to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1125 HEALTH DIRECT TELEPHONE SERVICE—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1126 BRAIN INJURY RECOVERY CENTRE—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1127 ABORIGINAL HEALTH—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1128 REEFWAY ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

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- 1134 ROOTY HILL ROAD NORTH, LAMB STREET AND JERSEY ROAD INTERSECTION—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1135 SUNDAY AND PUBLIC HOLIDAY TIMETABLES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1136 CESSNOCK GAOL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1137 CESSNOCK HOSPITAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- *1138 JOB CUTS TO COMMUNITY SERVICES—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—

With respect to the role of Community Services in the Electorate of Cessnock:

- (1) How many jobs will be cut in Community services in the Electorate of Cessnock?
- (2) How will the Government's cuts to public sector jobs and cap on public sector wages affect Community Services in the Electorate of Cessnock?
- (3) Were these human effects considered when the decision was made to make these budget cuts?

Answer-

There are no plans to cut Community Services positions in Cessnock.

- 1139 HOUSING NSW AND COMPASS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1140 PUBLIC HOUSING—HUNTER VALLEY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1141 PUBLIC HOUSING MAINTENANCE BUDGET—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1142 HOUSING PATHWAYS—FACSIMILE SYSTEM—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1143 PUBLIC HOUSING WAITING TIMES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—

- 1144 KURRI KURRI HOSPITAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1145 NORTHLAKES DRIVE AND MINMI ROAD ROUND-A-BOUT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1146 JOB CUTS—RECRUITMENT TO TEACHING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1147 TASKFORCE ON ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—
- 1148 CUTS TO THE OFFICE OF ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—
- 1153 HIGHWAY SAFETY AUDIT—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1154 BARTON HIGHWAY UPGRADE—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1155 BEGA BYPASS—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1156 FIXED SPEED CAMERAS—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1157 RESEALING OF MACQUARIE ROAD—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1158 MOBILE SPEED CAMERAS—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1159 WIDENING OF NELSON BAY ROAD—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1160 NEWELL HIGHWAY OVERTAKING LANES—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1161 PEDESTRIAN FENCING—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1162 SCHOOL ZONE FLASHING—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1163 TILLEGRA DAM—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
- 1164 REGISTERED DENTAL PROFESSIONALS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1165 DENTAL WAITING LISTS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1166 HYDROTHERAPY POOL—ROYAL NORTH SHORE HOSPITAL SITE—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1167 GRAFFITI—ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1168 RIFLE SHOOTING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1169 HENRY LAWSON DRIVE UPGRADE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1170 ADDITIONAL RAIL SERVICES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 1171 BANKSTOWN LINE SERVICES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1172 RESTRICTIONS ON TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1173 STRONGER TOGETHER TWO—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Ageing, and Minister for Disability Services—
- 1174 BANKSTOWN HOSPITAL—RADIOTHERAPY FACILITIES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1175 FUNDING FROM GRANTS PROGRAMS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Ageing, and Minister for Disability Services—
- 1176 ELECTION FUNDING EXPENDITURES AND DISCLOSURES BILL 2011—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1178 ELECTION FUNDING EXPENDITURES AND DISCLOSURES BILL 2011—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1179 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AMENDMENT BILL 2011—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1180 ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- HOUSING AND MENTAL HEALTH AGREEMENT—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1182 ASSISTANCE ANIMALS—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Ageing, and Minister for Disability Services—
- *1183 EDGECLIFF INTERCHANGE—Ms Clover Moore asked the Minister for Transport—

With respect to the easy access upgrade to link Edgecliff Bus Interchange, Edgecliff Railway Station and the Eastpoint Food Fair/Edgecliff Centre listed for the 2011-2016 Easy Access Program:

- (1) What work has been carried out to plan for this upgrade?
- (2) When will design work be completed?
- (3) What will be done to ensure full access to this facility for people with limited mobility, those with shopping, and those using prams and wheelchairs?
- (4) When will construction tenders and upgrade work begin?
- (5) What disruption to the use of train and bus services is expected during construction?
- (6) What opportunities are there to bring forward the Edgecliff upgrade?
- (7) When will residents, shoppers and visitors be able to use a fully accessible transport facility in Edgecliff?

Answer-

I am advised:

(1) to (7) RailCorp and Transport for NSW are currently reviewing station upgrade priorities under the Easy Access Program. Once this review is complete, the timing of the future upgrade of Edgecliff Station can be determined.

Preliminary design work has been completed for Edgecliff Station under the Easy Access Program, with a review of design options to occur in the future.

Any potential construction program will be developed in a way to minimise impacts on customers and the community.

- 1184 ELECTRIC BUSES—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Transport—
- *1185 PADDINGTON BOWLING CLUB—Ms Clover Moore asked the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Small Business—

With respect to Crown Land leased by the Paddington Bowling Club:

(1) What action has been taken in transferring the Club's Perpetual Lease to a Special Lease since 2009?

- (2) What is the current rent charged on this lease?
- (3) What do the current lease conditions specify as the permitted use of this land?
- (4) What protections have been or will be included in the lease to ensure that this land remains used for a non-profit recreation club, and not for commercial activity?
- (5) What action has been taken to ensure public and vehicle access to Trumper Park, Paddington Community Garden and The Palms Tennis Courts adjacent to the club?
- (6) What further action does the Government intend to take to ensure this Crown Land is used for approved purposes?

Answer-

- (1) Paddington Bowling Club Limited's perpetual lease was surrendered on 1 December 2010. It was replaced by a new 50-year lease granted under the provisions of the Crown Lands Act 1989.
- (2) Although the market rent has been determined at \$52,000 per annum, a 50% rebate applies because the holder qualifies as a community service, sporting or recreational organisation. Hence an annual rent of \$26,000 (plus GST) is payable.
- (3) The permitted uses are "Community and Sporting Club Facilities, Tourist Facilities and Services and Access".
- (4) No particular conditions limit the club's operations to non-profit recreational activities. However, conditions attaching to the lease require the lessee to use the leased land only for the specified permitted uses; and to comply with the requirements of all statutes regulations or by-laws and requirements of all relevant public and local authorities.
- (5) Woollahra Municipal Council is in the process of compulsorily acquiring Crown land within Trumper Park (3,262 square metres) to the south-west of the bowling club lease for the purpose of public road. Dedication and construction of this road by Council will facilitate permanent public access to Trumper Park, the Palms Tennis Courts and Paddington Community Garden.
- (6) No further action is contemplated as the conditions and the specified permitted uses limit the type of acceptable activities. Any change would require my consent, as Minister administering the Crown Lands Act 1989.
- 1186 PLATFORM 70 PROJECT—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1187 PRISONERS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1188 WILDLIFE INFORMATION, RESCUE AND EDUCATION SERVICE (WIRES)—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1189 352 BUS SERVICE—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1190 HOUSING NSW GUTTERS—Ms Clover Moore to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1192 PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR MURRUMBATEMAN—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1193 GLENMORE PARK HIGH SCHOOL AIR-CONDITIONING—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1194 FREE TRAIN TRAVEL TO WESTERN PLAINS ZOO—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1195 NEW HIGH SCHOOL AT MEDOWIE—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1196 FULL-TIME ASSYRIAN YOUTH WORKER—Ms Carmel Tebbutt to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1197 PUBLIC HOUSING STOCK IN THE FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
- 1198 REPLACEMENT BUSES—FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1199 BUSES FOR GROWTH—FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 1200 TEACHER RATIOS—FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1202 ESTIMATE OF QUARTERLY ELECTRICITY CHARGES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1203 SAFETY OF WOMEN TENANTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—

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- 1205 KARIONG JUVENILE JUSTICE CORRECTIONAL CENTRE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1206 ASBESTOS DISEASES FOUNDATION OF AUSTRALIA INC—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1207 REVIEW OF DNA LAWS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1208 BIRTHS DEATHS AND MARRIAGES REGISTRY—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1209 NATIONAL GUIDELINES FOR HANDLING OF DNA SAMPLES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1210 SHARED CELLS IN CORRECTIONAL CENTRES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1211 RURAL OUTREACH CLINIC PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1212 LEGAL AID—MORTGAGE HARDSHIP PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
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- 1215 COMMUNITY OFFENDER SUPPORT PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1216 MATTERS NOT PROCEEDED WITH BY DPP—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 1217 MOUNT OUSLEY ROAD REST STOP—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- 1218 FIGTREE HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1219 WOONONA HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE LABORATORIES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1220 HANDYMAN SERVICE PROGRAM—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1221 WORK ORDERS FOR GRAFFITI REMOVAL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1222 COAL SEAM GAS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Central Coast—

- 1223 FUNDING TO REDUCE GRAFFITI-Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Local Government, and
- 1224 PRIORITY CAPITAL WORKS PROJECTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—

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1225 CHANGES TO THE ENGINEERING CERTIFICATE SCHEME—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

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- 1228 PARENTS AND CARERS OF CHILDREN WITH AUTISM—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Ageing, and Minister for Disability Services—
- 1229 COSTS FOR LOCUM MEDICAL OFFICERS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1230 COSTS FOR AGENCY NURSES—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
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- 1234 WESTMEAD HOSPITAL ONCOLOGY UNIT LETTERS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1235 FUNDING FOR BEAR COTTAGE—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1236 BRAIDWOOD MPS DEMENTIA UNIT—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1237 UNOCCUPIED PROPERTIES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- 1238 ALLOWANCE FOR FOSTER PARENTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
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- 1241 BASS HILL SPECIAL NEEDS SCHOOL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
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- 1250 COAL SEAM GAS PRODUCTION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1251 CANCER TREATMENT AND SURVIVAL RATES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1252 CESSNOCK HOSPITAL PATIENTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1253 KURRI KURRI HOSPITAL PATIENTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1254 HOSPITAL ATTENDANCES—POSTCODE 2322—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 1255 CESSNOCK ELECTORATE POPULATION GROWTH—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1256 CESSNOCK COUNCIL SWIMMING POOL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Sport and Recreation—
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- 1336 CASES OF WHOOPING COUGH—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
 - (1) How many cases of whooping cough have been detected in NSW for the past year ending 31 October 2011?
 - (2) How does this figure compare to the last three years?
 - (3) How many cases were identified from persons attending the Mount Druitt Hospital for the period mentioned in question (1) above?
- 1337 MAIN ROAD, CLIFTLEIGH—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

With regard to Main Road, Cliftleigh:

- (1) Is this a State road?
- (2) Does the RTA have plans for the alteration of this road?
- (3) Will any such plans be available to local residents?
- (4) How would local residents access such plans?
- 1338 ACQUISITION OF ROADS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

Given that the State Budget identifies a cost impact of the State and RTA taking control over roads that have previously been considered local roads:

- (1) What is the process for determining which roads are to be acquired?
- (2) Can a local council make application to the RTA to have a road acquired?
- (3) Will any roads in the Cessnock electorate be acquired?
- 1339 GREEN SLIPS FOR OLDER DRIVERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

With regard to Green Slips for registration of vehicles:

- (1) Why do Green Slip prices increase dramatically for older New South Wales drivers once they reach the age of 70 years?
- (2) Is there statistical proof that drivers 70 years and over cause more injuries to themselves and others than younger drivers?
- 1340 UPGRADE AND IMPROVEMENT TO EMERGENCY SERVICE UNITS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
 - (1) Will any money be spent on the upgrade and improvement of equipment and resources for the various Emergency Service units in the Cessnock electorate in 2011-12?
 - (2) If so:
 - (a) Which Emergency Service units?

- (b) How much will be spent?
- (c) What improvements will be made or equipment purchased?
- BACKBURNING—CESSNOCK ELECTORATE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

What plans does the Minister have for backburning to be undertaken in the Cessnock electorate?

1342 REGISTERED TRAINING ORGANISATIONS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—

With regard to registered training organisations in the Cessnock electorate:

- (1) What companies/institutions receive State Government funding?
- (2) What training courses do they offer?
- (3) Do any of these course compete directly with TAFE-run courses and if so, which ones?
- (4) How much State Government funding is provided for these institutions?
- 1343 KURRI KURRI TAFE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—

With regard to Kurri Kurri TAFE:

- (1) What courses have been offered in 2011?
- (2) What courses were run in 2011?
- (3) How many students are enrolled in courses at Kurri Kurri TAFE in 2011?
- (4) What is the staffing FTE at Kurri Kurri TAFE?
- (5) For questions (1) to (4) above, what were the equivalent figures in 2010?
- (6) For questions (1) to (4) above, what were the equivalent figures in 2009?
- 1344 CESSNOCK TAFE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—

With regard to Cessnock TAFE:

- (1) What courses have been offered in 2011?
- (2) What courses were run in 2011?
- (3) How many students are enrolled in courses at Cessnock TAFE in 2011?
- (4) What is the staffing FTE at Cessnock TAFE?
- (5) For points (1) to (4) above, what were the equivalent figures in 2010?
- (6) For points (1) to (4) above, what were the equivalent figures in 2009?
- WOMEN'S REFUGE/SHELTERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—

With regards to women's refuge/shelters:

- (1) What facilities are available in the Cessnock electorate and what is their occupancy rate?
- (2) If no such facilities are available in the Cessnock electorate, what would be the nearest facilities available and what is their occupancy rate?
- 1346 VISITING MEDICAL OFFICERS AND RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

With regard to Visiting Medical Officers and Resident Medical Officers:

- (1) What is the current cost to the Health budget in NSW for VMOs (Visiting Medical Officers) per annum?
- (2) If each hospital is billed separately what is the total cost, as advised to the Minister, for Cessnock Hospital and Kurri Kurri Hospital per annum?
- (3) How many RMOs (Resident Medical Officers) could be employed at Cessnock Hospital and Kurri Kurri Hospital for the same cost per annum?
- 1347 EMERGENCY DENTAL TREATMENT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
 - What is the Government doing to reduce the waiting period for patients to receive emergency dental treatment from public oral health services?
- 1348 ISOLATED PATIENTS TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

What is the Government doing to reduce the waiting period for patients to receive payments for claims they have made under the Isolated Patients Travel and Accommodation Assistance Scheme (IPTAAS)?

1349 TYNAN ROAD AND HUME HIGHWAY INTERSECTION—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

With regards to the Tynan Road and Hume Highway intersection at Table Top:

- (1) What works are proposed for the intersection?
- (2) How much funding has been allocated to the project in 2011-2012?
- (3) How much funding was provided in 2010-2011?
- (4) How much funding has been allocated to the project in 2012-2013?
- (5) What is the expected completion date for each stage of the project?
- (6) What is the expected date of completion for the project?
- 1350 FUNDING ALLOCATED TO ROAD SAFETY PROJECTS—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
 - (1) What was the total funding that has been allocated to road safety projects and programs in the 2010-2011 financial year?
 - (2) In relation to the total funding provided to road safety in the 2010-2011 financial year, what were the specific programs and projects funded?
 - (3) What is the total funding allocated to road safety projects and programs for 2011-2012 and what specific projects and programs will this allocation fund?
 - (4) What is the funding allocated to road safety projects and programs for 2012-2013?
- 1351 PORT BOTANY LANDSIDE IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
 - (1) What funding has been allocated to the Port Botany Landside Improvement Strategy (PBLIS) in 2011-2012?
 - (2) By how much has PBLIS reduced wait time and congestion?
 - (3) What is the value of the economic benefit as a result of any efficiency gains brought by the PBLIS reform?
 - (4) What is the value of penalties paid by road freight carriers under the PBLIS reform?
 - (5) What is the value of the penalties paid by stevedores under the PBLIS reform?
 - (6) (a) Are any further changes proposed as part of the PBLIS?
 - (b) What further changes are proposed for the next phase of PBLIS and when will the further reforms be introduced?
 - (7) What will be the total cost of implementing PBLIS?
 - (8) When will PBLIS reforms be completed?
- 1352 HUME HIGHWAY AND STACEY STREET INTERSECTION—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

With regards to the Hume Highway and Stacey Street intersection at Bankstown:

- (1) What works are proposed for the intersection?
- (2) How much funding has been allocated to the project in the 2011-2012 financial year?
- (3) How much funding has been allocated to the project across the forward estimates period?
- (4) When is work scheduled to begin?
- 1353 SCHOOL ZONE FLASHING LIGHTS—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

With regards to school zone flashing lights in the Blue Mountains electorate:

- (1) Has work started on the installation of school zone flashing lights at Blaxland East, Faulconbridge and Springwood public schools and if so, at which of these schools has work started?
- (2) If work has not started, when will work start at each of the schools listed in (1) above?
- (3) How much funding has been allocated to install school zone flashing lights at Blaxland East, Faulconbridge and Springwood public schools in the 2011-2012 financial year?
 - (a) What are the expected completion dates for each stage of the projects?
 - (b) What is the expected completion date for the installation?

1354 TIME-OF-DAY TOLLING—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

With regards to time-of-day tolling on the Sydney Harbour Bridge:

- (1) Before January 2009, what was the traffic volume for the Sydney Harbour Bridge on weekdays between:
 - (a) 6.30 am to 9.30 am;
 - (b) 9.30 am to 4.00 pm;
 - (c) 4.00 pm to 7.00 pm;
 - (d) 7.00 pm to 6.30 am?
- (2) Before January 2009, what was the traffic volume for the Sydney Harbour Bridge on weekends between:
 - (a) 8.00 am to 8.00 pm;
 - (b) 8.00 pm to 8.00 am?
- (3) What is the current traffic volume for the Sydney Harbour Bridge on weekdays between:
 - (a) 6.30 am to 9.30 am;
 - (b) 9.30 am to 4.00 pm;
 - (c) 4.00 pm to 7.00 pm;
 - (d) 7.00 pm to 6.30 am?
- (4) What is the current traffic volume for the Sydney Harbour Bridge on weekends between:
 - (a) 8.00 am to 8.00 pm;
 - (b) 8.00 pm to 8.00 am?
- (5) Since January 2009, what has been the percentage change in revenue collected from the Sydney Harbour Bridge?
- (6) Will the Government be introducing time-of-day tolling on any other tollway?
- (7) Does the Minister have any plans to remove time-of-day tolling from the Sydney Harbour Bridge?
- 1355 REDIRECTION OF SPEEDING AND TRAFFIC FINES REVENUE—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—

Given that the NRMA and Police Association petition calls on the Government to direct all revenue from speeding and traffic fines back into road safety:

- (1) Has Roads and Maritime Services and formerly the Roads and Traffic Authority, ever conducted any studies, reviews, research, assessments or analysis into this or any other similar proposals to redirect speeding and traffic fines back into road safety?
 - (a) If so, what have been the findings?
 - (b) If not, will the Minister undertake to review and assess the NRMA's proposal?
- (2) If the Minister commissions a review and/or assessment of the NRMA's proposal, will the Minister publicly release the findings?
 - (a) If so, when will the review/assessment be completed?
 - (b) If not, why not?
- REVENUE COLLECTED FOR SPEEDING AND TRAFFIC FINES—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
 - (1) (a) How much revenue was collected from speeding and traffic fines in the 2010-2011 financial year?
 - (b) What is the break-down of revenue collected for each of the different categories of speeding and traffic fines?
 - (2) For the 2011-2012 financial year, how much revenue has been collected from speeding and traffic fines to date?
 - (3) Given that the NRMA and Police Association proposes to redirect speeding and traffic fines back into road safety:
 - (a) Has the Minister received any advice in relation to the hypothecation of speeding and traffic fines?
 - (b) If so, what is that advice?
 - (c) If not, will the Minister request advice on the NRMA's proposal to hypothecate speeding and traffic fines?

1357 ONE MINTO PROJECTS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—

With regards to Housing NSW tenants who have been rehoused/relocated from Minto as a result of the One Minto projects:

- (1) In total, how many tenants/tenancies have been relocated?
- (2) Of those, how many have been:
 - (a) relocated to existing Housing NSW properties;
 - (b) relocated to community housing properties;
 - (c) offered rental assistance to rent in the private market?
- (3) How many have been relocated within the Campbelltown LGA?
- 1358 DEATH AND DISABILITY SCHEME—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
 - Will the Minister maintain the existing level of entitlements for those police currently receiving support from the Death and Disability scheme?
- 1359 ASSISTANCE TO SOLE TRADERS TO RECOUP MONIES OWED—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
 - What action will the Government take to assist sole traders recoup monies owed to them?
- 1360 PLUMBING LICENSING REGULATORY COUNCIL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
 - Will the Government establish the Plumbing Licensing Regulatory Council in order to increase cooperation between existing plumbing regulatory bodies?
- 1361 ESTABLISHMENT OF "SPECIALIST TRADESMEN"—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
 - What advice, if any, has the Minister received from Fair Trading regarding the possibility of establishing "specialist tradesmen" in the plumbing industry?
- 1362 UNQUALIFIED TRADESMEN—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
 - What action will the Minister take to prevent tradesmen from engaging in work for which they are not qualified?
- 1363 UNSAFE GAS INSTALLATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
 - (1) Has the Minister received any advice about a gas fitter at Mount Colah who was responsible for a gas installation which was proven to be unsafe by two independent gas experts?
 - (2) What action has Fair Trading taken to ensure other work undertaken by this gas fitter is of an acceptable standard?
- WARATAH TRAINS—BANKSTOWN LINE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport—How many of the new Waratah trains are currently in use on the Bankstown Line?
- 1365 WARATAH TRAINS—EAST HILLS LINE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport—How many of the new Waratah trains are currently in use on the East Hills Line?
- 1366 FUNDING PROGRAMS FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANISATIONS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—

What funding programs are available for non-profit organisations providing services or support for young people in NSW from:

- (a) Department of Attorney General and Justice;
- (b) Department of Education and Communities;
- (c) Department of Family and Community Services;
- (d) Department of Finances and Services;
- (e) NSW Ministry of Health;
- (f) Department of Premier and Cabinet;
- (g) Treasury;

- (h) Department of Trade and Investment, Regional Infrastructure and Services;
- (i) Transport for NSW?
- 1367 MINISTER FOR VOLUNTEERING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
 - Will the Premier appoint a specific Minister for Volunteering to ensure that the growing volunteering sector has a voice inside Government?
- 1368 PROTECTION FOR VOLUNTEERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
 - (1) What action will the Premier take to ensure that organisations do not take advantage of their volunteers?
 - (2) What protection or opportunities for recourse are available to volunteers who are unfairly dismissed?
- INCREASING PREVALENCE OF DIABETES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Healthy Lifestyles, and Minister for Western New South Wales—

What action is the Government taking to counter the increasing prevalence of diabetes in NSW?

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