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#### **14 OCTOBER 2014**

(Paper No. 7)

\*6255 REGISTERED TRAINING ORGANISATION STATUS OF BRUSH FARM ACADEMY—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—

What steps, if any, will be taken to ensure that the Brush Farm Corrective Services Academy retains its status as a Registered Training Organisation following changes currently being implemented?

Answer-

I am advised:

The status of Brush Farm Corrective Services Academy as a Registered Training Organisation has not changed; it remains an accredited Registered Training Organisation.

Changes to the Academy are not expected to affect the Registered Training Organisation status.

- \*6256 BRUSH FARM CORRECTIVE SERVICES ACADEMY—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) How many positions will be lost as a result of the implementation of change management at Brush Farm Corrective Services Academy?
  - (2) How many redundancies will result from these changes?
    - (a) How many of these redundancies will be voluntary?
    - (b) How many of these redundancies will be involuntary?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) The staffing structure of the Brush Farm Corrective Services Academy has not been finalised. Consultations with affected staff and the Public Service Association are continuing.
- (2) Staffing structures of the Brush Farm Corrective Services Academy have not been finalised.
- \*6257 BRUSH FARM ACADEMY—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—

What steps will be taken to ensure the ongoing quality of training of Corrective Services employees following the changes to Brush Farm Academy?

Answer-

I am advised:

A comprehensive review of the operation, structure and budget of the Brush Farm Academy has been conducted to identify the learning and development needs of Corrective Services employees. The review will ensure the Academy resources are appropriately aligned and high quality training continues to be provided to staff.

\*6258 PRACTICE MANAGER—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—

What is the role of the Practice Manager at the Public Defender's Office?

Answer-

I am advised:

There is no position of Practice Manager at the Public Defender's Office.

\*6259 LIVERPOOL TAFE BUILDING—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Education—

What long term plans are there for the pre-1825 sandstone basement with vaulted ceilings at the Liverpool TAFE building bearing in mind its great heritage significance?

Answer-

The building has high operating costs due to its design and heritage status and requires significant upgrading to meet modern VET delivery requirements.

- \*6260 LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Education—
  - (1) Is there any proposal for Liverpool Hospital to take over the adjacent Liverpool TAFE site?
    - (a) If so, what is the timeframe proposed?

Answer—

No.

\*6261 CONSTRUCTION NOISE IN LIVERPOOL—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, Minister for the Central Coast, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

What action, if any, has the Environment Protection Agency (EPA) taken in relation to complaints by Bassam Saeed about noise emanating from a construction site at the intersection of Campbell Street and Castlereagh Street, Liverpool?

Answer-

I am advised as follows:

The EPA does not have any record of complaints being made with respect to premises at the intersection of Campbell Street and Castlereagh Street, Liverpool.

\*6262 CLOCK AT LIVERPOOL RAILWAY STATION—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—

Will the clock at Liverpool Railway Station be adjusted for daylight savings?

Answer-

I am advised:

The clock above Liverpool Railway Station is showing the correct time.

\*6263 CRIME IN LIVERPOOL—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—

What action does the Minister propose in relation to the two drive-by shootings and a firebombing at an address in Lehmann Avenue, Liverpool this year?

Answer-

The NSW Police Force has advised me that investigations into these incidents are ongoing. I am therefore unable to provide details.

Both Operation Talon and Strike Force Raptor have proved effective in supporting local police to drive down gun and gang crime, illustrated by the fact that 2013 had the lowest incidence of shootings into premises since 1995.

As at 31 October 2014, Operation Talon had made 864 arrests and laid 1204 charges, while Strike Force Raptor arrested 2681 people and laid 6219 charges. Over 790 firearms have also been seized.

- \*6264 FLASHING LIGHTS AT LAKELANDS PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware that a school zone flashing light was installed behind a tree on the westerly approach to Lakelands Public School along Lakelands Drive?
  - (2) Will the Minister request that the tree be pruned or removed, or that the flashing light be re-installed at a position along Lakelands Drive where there is no visual obstruction to the flashing light?
  - (3) What was the cost of installing the flashing lights at Lakelands Public School?

Answer—

I am advised:

The tree was trimmed in October 2014. The flashing lights were installed at an approximate cost of \$8,500.

- \*6265 M1 MOTORWAY BETWEEN FIGTREE AND DAPTO—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Has the Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) completed its study regarding improvements to the M1 Motorway between Figtree and Dapto (ref Q.6029)?
    - (a) When did the RMS study commence?
    - (b) When does the RMS expect to publish its report?
  - (2) Has the RMS completed any work on the following projects:

- (a) The Tallawarra on/off ramps;
- (b) The Emerson Road on/off ramps;
- (c) The Fowlers Road on/off ramps;
- (d) The Masters Road flyover; and
- (e) The Northcliffe Drive overpass.
- (3) If the RMS has completed any work on the projects in (2), what was the result of this work, including likely estimates of costs for each project listed?
- (4) If the RMS has yet to complete any work on the projects in (2), when is work likely to commence for each of these projects?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) (2) Refer to my previous answer Q.6029.
- (3) (4) This project is still in preliminary planning. Dates are yet to be finalised.
- \*6266 REGIONAL ROADS FUND—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Will the Wollongong Local Government Area be included in the Government's Regional Roads Fund?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (2) What are the project criteria to access the Regional Roads Fund?
  - (3) How will the Government determine funding arrangements for a road project whose proposed route includes local government areas which are both included and excluded from the Regional Roads Fund?

Answer-

I am advised:

I refer to the Premier's and Deputy Premier's media release of 10 June 2014 that announced a once-in-ageneration \$6 billion investment in regional New South Wales.

- \*6267 ILLAWARRA REGIONAL GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN ADVISORY GROUP—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Planning, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) Which individuals, government agencies, and peak organisations will make up the Illawarra Regional Growth and Infrastructure Plan Advisory Group?
    - (a) To whom will the Advisory Group report?
    - (b) Will the Advisory Group's advice be made public?
  - (2) Has work started on the development of the Annual Monitoring Report?
  - (3) On what date will the Annual Monitoring Report be published and released?

Answer-

I am advised:

Details for the establishment and operation of the group will be confirmed once the Plan is finalised and released.

The monitoring report will be prepared annually following the release of the final Illawarra Regional Growth and Infrastructure Plan.

- \*6268 DAPTO TAFE CAMPUS—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Education—
  - (1) How many students were enrolled at the Dapto TAFE campus for each of the years from 2012 to 2014?
  - (2) How many staff were employed at the Dapto TAFE campus for each of the years from 2012 to 2014?
  - (3) What are the "trigger points" relating to the 8 potential new primary schools and 3 potential new high schools that have been identified for the West Lake Illawarra urban release area (ref p.61 of the Draft Illawarra Regional Growth and Infrastructure Plan)?
  - (4) What are the timeframes for the planning involved in (3)?

Answer-

(1) TAFE NSW data is recorded by the number of enrolments, not students.

There were 348 enrolments at Dapto Campus in 2012, and 274 enrolments at Dapto Campus in 2013.

As previously advised by letter, TAFE NSW enrolments by campus are not publicly available, and from 2014 will no longer be provided as the release of enrolment data for individual colleges under the new VET environment of Smart and Skilled could commercially disadvantage those colleges. However, enrolments by Institute will be available in the 2014 TAFE NSW Statistical Compendium which will be loaded onto the TAFE NSW website by mid-2015.

- (2) The data is as at March for each year:
- 2012.84
- 2013 86.
- 2014 83.
- (3) The Department of Education and Communities analyses educational demand to determine when a new school is required for an area. Analysis includes researching:
- · Demographic characteristics of the area.
- Local enrolment patterns.
- The take-up and occupation rates of new developments.
- The sizes of dwellings.
- The capacity of existing schools to accommodate growth, and their opportunities to expand.
- (4) The Department's Planning and Demography Unit is continuously monitoring rates of development in the as well as student enrolment trends within the area.

#### \*6269 SHELLHARBOUR JUNCTION—Ms Anna Watson asked the Minister for Finance and Services—

- (1) How many public submissions were received by the Geographical Names Board (GNB) of New South Wales in relation to the proposal to assign the name "Shellharbour Junction" to the new railway station under construction between Flinders and Dunmore?
- (2) Of the public submissions in (1), how many:
  - (a) Agreed with the proposed name of "Shellharbour Junction"?
  - (b) Disagreed with the proposed name of "Shellharbour Junction"?
  - (c) Proposed the assignment of another name?
- (3) Have all of the submissions received by the GNB been made public?
  - (a) If not, why not?
- (4) What are the names of the individuals and organisations that made submissions to the GNB in relation to the proposal to assign the name "Shellharbour Junction" to the new railway station?

#### Answer-

Thirty four submissions were received by the Geographical Names Board. The purpose of these submissions is to assist the Geographical Names Board in coming to a recommendation on the proposal. Details of the submissions are not released to retain the integrity of the recommendation process and to encourage honest feedback. Names of the individuals and organisations remain confidential.

- \*6270 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES FORWARD PLANNING AGENDA—Dr Andrew McDonald asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Has the possibility of a grade separation, using either a bridge above or a tunnel below the road, at the intersection of Hoxton Park Road and the Hume Highway in Liverpool been investigated by either Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) or Liverpool Council?
    - (a) If so, when?
    - (b) If so, what would be the estimated cost of such work?
  - (2) Is a project of this type on the forward planning agenda for RMS?
    - (a) If so, for which year?

#### Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) Yes.
- (a) Approximately eight years ago to set property boundaries so an adjacent development would not preclude future upgrade.
- (b) The cost of a grade separation would depend on project scoping, feasibility and planning.
- (2) No.

- \*6271 HOXTON PARK ROAD AND HUME HIGHWAY INTERSECTION—Dr Andrew McDonald asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Has the Minister been approached by Liverpool Council asking about the possibility of a grade separation, using either a bridge above or tunnel below, at the intersection of Hoxton Park Road and the Hume Highway?
    - (a) If so, when did this approach occur?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) Yes. (a) October 2014.
- \*6272 UPTODATE.COM PROGRAM—Dr Andrew McDonald asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) In which Local Health Districts is the UpToDate.com program available to clinical staff on the health intranet site?
    - (a) In which Local Health Districts is this program not available to clinical staff on the health intranet site?
  - (2) What plans exist to ensure that all clinical staff employed by NSW Health are able to access the UpToDate.com website if needed?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) (2) All NSW Health Staff can access the Clinical Information Access Portal (CIAP), which provides online clinical information resources to support evidence-based practice at the point of care.
- \*6273 RAILWAY STREET ENTRANCE TO MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Richard Amery asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Has the Roads and Maritime Services studied the traffic flow in Railway Street, Rooty Hill at the entrance to the Mount Druitt Hospital?
  - (2) How many motor vehicle accidents have occurred at this location over the past three years?
  - (3) Does the Government plan to take action to improve the safety facilities at this location?
    - (a) If so, what plans have been recommended to protect motorists entering and leaving Mount Druitt Hospital onto Railway Street?

Answer—

I am advised:

Roads and Maritime Services is developing a corridor strategy which will look at Railway Street, Mount Druitt. There has been one reported crash in the last three years on Railway Street at the entrance to Mount Druitt Hospital. There are currently no plans to upgrade the road at the entrance to the Hospital.

- \*6274 COMO RAILWAY STATION EASY ACCESS UPGRADE—Mr Barry Collier asked the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) Are there any plans for the Government to provide a lift and an easy access upgrade at Como Railway Station?
  - (2) When will work commence on the installation of a lift and easy access upgrade at Como Railway Station?

Answer-

In 2012, the Government announced the Transport Access Program which is delivering accessible, modern, secure and integrated transport infrastructure where it is needed most. This includes station upgrades, better interchanges and commuter car parks. This program includes more than \$770 million for improvements over four years.

Planning and design work is now underway to see which projects will come next. A lift at Como Station will be considered as part of this process.

The Transport Access Program is part of the Government's commitment to improve public transport services and provide a world class transport system people want to use.

#### **15 OCTOBER 2014**

(Paper No. 8)

- 6275 TRUNCATION OF THE NEWCASTLE RAIL LINE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6276 ADDITIONAL BUS SERVICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6277 REVIEW OF NEWCASTLE BUS ROUTES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6278 OUTREACH HEALTH PROGRAM RESOURCES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6279 SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH FUNDING—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6280 THE CSIRO IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- ASSISTANCE FOR PEOPLE UNDER 65 WITH A DISABILITY—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
- AMBULANCE STATION STAFFING SHORTAGES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
- 6283 FAMILY ENERGY REBATE APPLICATIONS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, and Special Minister of State—
- 6284 WOMEN'S REFUGES IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- 6285 STRUCTURAL DEFECTS IN RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
- 6286 LIMITING STATUTORY WARRANTIES UNDER THE HOME BUILDING ACT 1989—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
- 6287 MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR INDUSTRY NAME AND SHAME REGISTER—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
- 6288 MOTOR VEHICLE ASSESSOR NUMBERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
- 6289 MILLER ROAD AND HUME HIGHWAY INTERSECTION UPGRADE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 6290 REPLANTING OF TREES IN BASS HILL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 6291 STAFFING FIGURES AT BANKSTOWN RAILWAY STATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6292 PUBLIC HOUSING PROPERTIES IN BANKSTOWN—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- 6293 BANKSTOWN AIRPORT PRELIMINARY DRAFT MASTER PLAN 2014—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Planning, and Minister for Women—

- 6294 SMOKING INFRINGEMENTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6295 THE FREE GONG SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6296 MOUNT OUSLEY ROAD HEAVY VEHICLE REST STOP—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 6297 JORDAN SPRINGS PRIMARY SCHOOL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- \*6298 UNFLUED GAS HEATERS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Finance and Services—
  - (1) How many unsafe workplace type notifications have WorkCover received relating to the use of unflued gas heaters in New South Wales public schools in the last three years?
    - (a) How many of these notifications have WorkCover acted on?
  - (2) Does anyone monitor the operational safety, maintenance, and cross ventilation procedures in schools?
    - (a) If so, how is this data reported?

#### Answer-

- (1) Workplace complaints and incident notifications received by WorkCover are not categorised by specific equipment types.
- (2) This question would be more appropriately directed to the Minister for Education.
- \*6299 PARRAMASALA FESTIVAL—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services, Minister for Tourism and Major Events, Minister for Small Business, and Minister for the North Coast—
  - (1) How much funding was allocated to the Parramasala Festival each year from 2010 to 2014?
  - (2) How much funding will be allocated to the Parramasala Festival in 2015?

#### Answer-

- (1) Destination NSW's level of investment in the Parramasala Festival is commercial-in-confidence.
- (2) Destination NSW informed the Board of Parramasala Limited in May 2014 that 2014 would be the final year it would be investing in the Parramasala Festival.

#### **16 OCTOBER 2014**

(Paper No. 9)

- 6300 AUSGRID STAFF EDUCATION AND TRAINING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, and Special Minister of State—
- APPRENTICESHIPS AT GOVERNMENT OWNED ENERGY PROVIDERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, and Special Minister of State—
- 6302 SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED AS BEING IN RECESS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6303 FUNDING FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6305 FOSTER CARE PLACES IN THE HUNTER REGION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- \*6306 RESTART NSW—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Premier, Minister for Infrastructure, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) Were proceeds from the lease of Port of Newcastle deposited into Restart NSW?
    - (a) If so, what was the total amount deposited into Restart NSW?

- (2) What other sources of funding have been deposited into Restart NSW as a result of the lease of public assets?
- (3) What other sources of funding have been deposited into Restart NSW as a result of asset sales?

  (a) What was the total deposited as a result of such sales?
- (4) Is a cost-benefit analysis required in order to access any or all funds from Restart NSW? Answer—
- (1) (3) Information regarding Restart NSW is available in Budget Paper 4 of NSW Budget Papers 2014-15.
- (4) An economic appraisal in accordance with NSW Government Guidelines is required by Infrastructure NSW as part of Restart NSW project assessments.
- 6307 REVENUE FROM PRIVATELY OWNED RADARS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
- 6308 STRATEGIC REGIONAL LAND USE PLANS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning, and Minister for Women—
- 6309 WALLA MULLA PARK—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- 6310 COMMUNITY HOUSING AT MILLERS POINT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- THE CENTRAL TO EVELEIGH REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning, and Minister for Women—
- 6312 ENERGY BILLS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, and Special Minister of State—
- 6313 WHITE BAY TERMINAL NOISE AND AIR POLLUTION—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, Minister for the Central Coast, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 6314 SUPPORT FOR STARTUP ENTERPRISES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services, Minister for Tourism and Major Events, Minister for Small Business, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 6315 SHORT TERM LETTING AND OVERCROWDING IN APARTMENTS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 6316 COMPULSORY MANAGEMENT OF STRATA TITLES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
- 6317 INNER CITY SATELLITE CLASSES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6318 NSW GOVERNMENT IMMIGRATION AND SETTLEMENT PLANNING COMMITTEE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 6319 IMPROVING ACCESS TO SERVICES FOR HUMANITARIAN ENTRANTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 6320 MULTICULTURAL TOURISM STRATEGY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 6321 MULTIPLE MULTICULTURAL NSW GRANT APPLICATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—

- 6322 AVAILABLE GRANT FUNDS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 6323 MULTICULTURAL NSW GRANTS PROGRAM—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 6324 MULTICULTURAL NSW GRANT APPLICATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Minister for Veterans Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 6325 TRAFFIC OFFENCES AND MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 6326 TAFE NSW OUTREACH PROGRAMS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6327 SOUTH COAST TRAIN LINE COMPLAINTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6328 OVERCROWDING ON THE SOUTH COAST LINE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6329 NSW HEALTHY SCHOOL CANTEEN STRATEGY—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6330 PUBLIC HOUSING SALES IN KEIRA—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- 6331 COAL STRATEGY UPDATE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, and Special Minister of State—
- 6332 RELOCATED GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
- 6333 NEW BUS SERVICES UPDATE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6334 X-RAY MACHINES AT MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6335 ABORIGINAL TEACHING POSITIONS AT MOUNT DRUITT TAFE—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6336 INSTALLATION OF A LIFT AT JANNALI RAILWAY STATION—Mr Barry Collier to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6337 THE DREDGING OF PORT HACKING—Mr Barry Collier to ask the Minister for Natural Resources, Lands and Water, and Minister for Western NSW—
- 6338 GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE TO STORM AFFECTED RESIDENTS—Mr Ron Hoenig to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
- 6339 COMMUNITY SUPPORT PROGRAM CHANGES—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Education—
- \*6340 RESTRUCTURE OF NSW PROCUREMENT—Ms Carmel Tebbutt asked the Minister for Finance and Services—
  - (1) What is the purpose of the restructure of NSW Procurement?
  - (2) Why are high performing internal staff who have received positive feedback from their managers being replaced by external candidates?
  - (3) Is the objective of the recruitment exercise at NSW Procurement to have 75 per cent of successful candidates sourced externally?

#### Answer-

- (1) The purpose of the NSW Procurement restructure is to reflect the objectives of the broader reform of the whole of government procurement system.
- The NSW Procurement restructure is being implemented in line with the new Government Sector Employment Act 2013 which came into effect on 24 February 2014 and supports capability and performance management requirements.
- (2) In accordance with the restructure plan, internal staff had the first opportunity to apply before external recruitment commenced.
- (3) No.

#### **21 OCTOBER 2014**

(Paper No. 10)

- 6342 BUSES REPLACING TRAINS INTO NEWCASTLE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6343 2014 HUNTER REGIONAL TRANSPORT PLAN—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6344 WICKHAM BUS TIMETABLES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6345 MEDIAN WAITING TIMES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6346 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EYE CLINIC—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6347 FUTURE LOWER HUNTER HOSPITAL—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6348 TAFE FEES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6349 NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME TRIAL SITES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
- 6350 DRIVER LICENCE TESTING OFFICERS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—
- 6351 RESPONSE TO OMBUDSMAN'S REPORT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 6352 LIVERPOOL LOCAL COURT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 6353 JOHN MORONY CORRECTIONAL CENTRE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 6354 PROTECTION FROM CONVICTED TERRORISM OFFENDERS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 6355 COMPUTERISED OPERATIONAL POLICING SYSTEM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 6356 SHERIFF'S OFFICE BUDGET—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
- 6357 SHERIFF'S OFFICERS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
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- 6501 WATER COMPLAINTS IN THE HUNTER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Natural Resources, Lands and Water, and Minister for Western NSW—

- 6502 JUVENILE JUSTICE FACILITIES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
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- 6533 ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
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- 6538 TEACHER AND SUPPORT OFFICER REDUNDANCIES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
- 6539 NURSE TO PATIENT RATIO AT BANKSTOWN-LIDCOMBE HOSPITAL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
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- 6551 TRAIN NOISE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6552 OXFORD STREET TRAFFIC—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Roads and Freight, Minister for the North Coast, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 6553 KINGS CROSS VENUES WITH A STRIKE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services, Minister for Tourism and Major Events, Minister for Hospitality, Gaming and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—
- 6554 METHAMPHETAMINE USE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 6555 DRAFT MASTER PLAN FOR THE ROYAL BOTANIC GARDENS, SYDNEY AND THE DOMAIN—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, Minister for the Central Coast, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 6556 VOLUNTEERS AT MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
- 6557 METHADONE CLINIC IN MOUNT DRUITT—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
- 6558 CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN ROOTY HILL—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 6559 AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Mr Robert Furolo to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
- 6560 CHEMOTHERAPY SERVICES—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

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6561 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE AT WALLSEND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—

Are there plans to convert the Roads and Maritime Services office at Wallsend into a Service NSW

centre?

- 6562 BEAUMONT STREET, HAMILTON, LEVEL CROSSING—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) Was a risk assessment conducted regarding the new signal box at the Beaumont Street, Hamilton, level crossing in light of the proposed truncation of the Newcastle Rail Line?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (2) Was a risk assessment conducted regarding the addition of up to 200 buses at the Beaumont Street, Hamilton, level crossing?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (3) Have any risk assessments conducted for the Beaumont Street, Hamilton, level crossing been made public?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 6563 UBER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) What is the Government doing to investigate the impact and legality of the Uber app on the taxi industry?
  - (2) Is it legal for an individual without a taxi or other transport licence to transport a person via a request from the Uber app?
- 6564 HAEMOCHROMATOSIS PATIENTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - How many patients were diagnosed with haemochromatosis in the Hunter New England Local Health District in the financial years 2012-13 and 2013-14?
- 6565 PUBLIC HOSPITAL X-RAY AND IMAGING DEPARTMENTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Is the Government planning to privatize the X-ray and imaging departments in New South Wales public hospitals?
    - (a) If so, when is this likely to occur?
- 6566 GLENDALE TAFE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) Will Glendale TAFE be affected by the Government's decision to reduce funding to TAFE NSW Outreach programs?
    - (a) If so, will staffing positions be affected by this reduction in funding?
- 6567 REGISTERED TRAINING ORGANISATIONS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) How will the Government ensure that, under the Smart and Skilled program, new successful training organisations will be able to meet the demand for employers who require customised training with a registered training organisation in light of the cuts to funding support to registered training organisations?
  - (2) How many jobs will be lost following the unsuccessful bids by many existing registered training organisations?
- NEW POLICE RECRUITS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
  - (1) When will the next round of new police recruits in New South Wales graduate?
  - (2) How many recruits will be allocated to police stations in the Hunter?
    - (a) Which stations will these recruits be allocated to?
- 6569 SUICIDE RATES IN THE NSW POLICE FORCE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
  - (1) How many police officers in New South Wales took their own lives in the period from:
    - (a) October 2013 to October 2014; and
    - (b) October 2012 to October 2013?
  - (2) What additional support is being implemented to support New South Wales police officers suffering from mental health disorders and their families?

- 6570 MENTAL HEALTH WARDS—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) How many beds are currently available in the mental health wards at Liverpool and Braeside Hospitals?
  - (2) How many beds were available in the mental health wards at Liverpool and Braeside Hospitals in January 2011?
  - (3) Are there plans to increase the number of beds available in the mental health wards at Liverpool and Braeside Hospitals?
  - (4) How many staff are employed in the mental health wards at Liverpool and Braeside Hospitals?
  - (5) How many staff were employed in the mental health wards at Liverpool and Braeside Hospitals in January 2011?
- 6571 FUNDING FOR COMMUNITY NURSING—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) What amount of funds has the Government allocated to community nursing in the Fairfield and Cabramatta areas in the 2014-15 NSW Health budget?
  - (2) What amount of funds did the Government allocate to community nursing in the Fairfield and Cabramatta areas in the 2013-14 NSW Health budget?
- 6572 ELECTRICITY SUPPLY TO THE CABRAMATTA ELECTORATE—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, and Special Minister of State—
  - (1) How many electricity blackouts occurred in the Cabramatta electorate between 1 January 2014 and 18 November 2014?
    - (a) On what date and at which times did each of these blackouts occur?
    - (b) What was the duration of each of these blackouts?
    - (c) What were the causes of these blackouts?
  - (2) What is the Government doing to ensure a more reliable electricity supply to the Cabramatta electorate?
  - (3) Will the sale of the New South Wales electricity network improve or reduce the reliability of electricity supply for the Cabramatta electorate?
- 6573 PUBLIC HOUSING IN CABRAMATTA AND FAIRFIELD—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services—
  - (1) How many applications did the Government receive for public housing in the Cabramatta and Fairfield areas in 2013?
  - (2) How many applications did the Government receive for public housing in the Cabramatta and Fairfield areas from 1 January 2014 to 18 November 2014?
- 6574 PRIVATISATION OF DISABILITY SERVICES—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
  - (1) Has the Government conducted any analysis or review of the impact that the privatisation of disability services will have on people living with disabilities in the Cabramatta electorate?
  - (2) Will the Government publicly release any analysis or reports relating to the privatisation of disability services?
- 6575 MR FLUFFY ASBESTOS INSULATION—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—
  - (1) Has the Government uncovered any Mr Fluffy asbestos insulation installed in the Cabramatta electorate?
  - (2) Are there any plans to include the Fairfield Local Government Area in the free technical assessment eligibility testing?
- 6576 CABRAMATTA AND BONNYRIGG HEIGHTS FIRE STATIONS—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for Sport and Recreation, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Western Sydney—
  - Will the Government ensure that permanent staff at the Cabramatta and Bonnyrigg Heights Fire Stations are rostered on this summer instead of temporarily relocating staff from other stations to staff the Cabramatta and Bonnyrigg Heights Fire Stations?

- 6577 PUBLIC ART FUNDING—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services, Minister for Tourism and Major Events, Minister for Hospitality, Gaming and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—
  - How much funding has the Government committed to fund public art in the Cabramatta electorate for 2014-15?
- 6578 COUNCIL AMALGAMATIONS—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Local Government—
  - Will the Government rule out forcing Liverpool City Council and Fairfield City Council to amalgamate?
- 6579 CREDIT PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) What is the status of the Court referral of eligible defendants into treatment (CREDIT) program?
  - (2) What plans, if any, does the Attorney General or his Department have for the expansion of the CREDIT program?
  - (3) What changes, if any, are proposed for the CREDIT program arising out of the Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research reviews?
  - (4) Are there any proposals to outsource the CREDIT program to any faith based organisations or to any non-government organisations?
- 6580 JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTRE AT KARIONG—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) Has the Juvenile Justice Centre at Kariong now completely closed?
  - (2) When is it proposed that adult offenders will be held at the facilities at Kariong?
  - (3) What was the cost of alterations, additions, or necessary changes to the facilities at Kariong to detain adult offenders?
- 6581 DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) Which functions were the subject of requests under s.29 of the Director of Public Prosecutions Act 1986 by the Director of Public Prosecutions to the Attorney General in 2013-14, as referred to in the Annual Report of the Office of Director of Public Prosecutions?
    - (a) Which matters did these requests relate to?
- 6582 VICTIMS RIGHTS AND SUPPORT ACT 2013—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) What is the estimated cost of meeting all proper claims lodged under the Victims Support and Rehabilitation Act 1996 up until the introduction of the Victims Rights and Support Act 2013?
  - (2) What is the estimated cost of meeting proper economic loss claims by victims of criminal injury who were injured before the introduction of the Victims Rights and Support Act 2013 but whose claims under that 2013 Act are restricted by Schedule 2 Clause 5 of the Act?
- 6583 OFFICE OF THE LEGAL SERVICES COMMISSIONER—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - How many and which positions were vacant at the Office of the Legal Services Commissioner in the period from 1 July 2013 to 20 June 2014?
- 6584 MISS EARTH AUSTRALIA PAGEANT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Finance and Services representing the Minister for Fair Trading—
  - (1) Why did Fair Trading refuse to accept and pursue the complaint made by Ruben Grageda against Roselyn Singh and Miss Earth Australia that in the 2014 Miss Earth Australia Pageant Dayana Grageda was declared the winner on 14 September 2014 but was subsequently unilaterally and without justification replaced by the third runner up?
  - (2) What other complaints have been received by Fair Trading concerning Roselyn Singh or the Miss Earth Australia organisation?
  - (3) Is the Minister aware of any charitable status attached to the Miss Earth Australia organisation?
    (a) If so, what are the details of that status?
- 6585 FUTURE PLANS FOR THE LIVERPOOL ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES BUILDING—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—

What does the Government propose as to the future of the old Roads and Traffic Authority/Roads and Maritime Services Building on the Hume Highway at Liverpool?

- 6586 REMEDIAL WORK ON PROPERTIES IN NELSON PARADE, HUNTERS HILL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Planning, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) When will the Department of Planning and Environment's assessment of the major project application, or other development applications, concerning remedial work on properties in Nelson Parade, Hunters Hill be completed?
  - (2) Once the Department's assessment has been completed, how long will it take for the Planning Assessment Commission to make a final determination on those applications?
- 6587 FUTURE PLANS FOR THE LIVERPOOL ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES BUILDING—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—

What does the Government propose as to the future of the old Roads and Traffic Authority/Roads and Maritime Services Building on the Hume Highway at Liverpool?

- 6588 PERITONECTOMY SURGERY—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Will the Ministry of Health submit Professor David Morris' application to the Nationally Funded Centres (NFC) Reference Group regarding peritonectomy surgery and the NFC program?
    - (a) If so, when?
    - (b) If not, why not?
  - (2) Will the Minister raise the issue of peritonectomy surgery with the NFC Reference Group in light of the growth in the amount of research into the issue?
- 6589 HEALTH SERVICES IN GOULBURN—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Has the Government committed to building a new health facility to replace Goulburn Base Hospital?
  - (2) Will the Minister guarantee that the new facility in Goulburn will remain in the "C1" peer group as a regional hospital?
  - (3) How much is a replacement hospital or health facility in Goulburn expected to cost?
  - (4) Over what period is the \$600,000 provided for a feasibility study going to be spent?
    - (a) Will the feasibility study be released to the public?
      - (i) If so, when?
  - (5) Will the completed business case for this hospital be released to the public?
    - (a) If so, when?
- 6590 SENIOR CLINICIAN AT LISMORE BASE HOSPITAL—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

Has the Minister, her office, or the Ministry of Health been made aware of the standing down of a senior clinician from Lismore Base Hospital in January 2013?

- NORTHERN NEW SOUTH WALES LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT BOARD MEETINGS—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) On what date or dates did the Board of the Northern New South Wales Local Health District discuss the standing down of a senior clinician at Lismore Base Hospital in 2013?
    - (a) What conclusion was reached at these board meetings?
    - (b) Were the minutes of these board meetings made available to affected parties?
- 6592 PETITION SIGNED BY SENIOR CLINICIANS AT LISMORE BASE HOSPITAL—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Has the Minister, her office, or the Ministry of Health received or been made aware of a petition of 84 senior clinicians requesting the resignation of the chief executive of the Northern New South Wales Local Health District in May 2013?
    - (a) If so, what response was given to the petition?
- 6593 BUS ROUTES IN MOUNT DRUITT—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Minister for Transport, and Minister for the Hunter—

(1)	Is the Government considering changing bus routes in the Mount Druitt area to allow clients who do
	not have access to a motor vehicle to access the new methadone clinic at the entrance to the Mount
	Druitt Hospital?

(a) If not, which of the bus routes currently in use are recommended for clients using this facility?

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