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#### **18 OCTOBER 2017**

(Paper No. 154)

\*6915 AUSTRALIAN CENTRE FOR CANNABINOID CLINICAL AND RESEARCH EXCELLENCE—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

What steps will the Government take to support the research work of the Australian Centre for Cannabinoid Clinical and Research Excellence in Newcastle?

Answer-

I refer you to my media release dated 23 November 2017.

- \*6929 CARDIO-THORACIC PROCEDURES IN THE ILLAWARRA SHOALHAVEN LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) How many people from the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District have undergone cardiothoracic procedures in each year from 2015-16, 2016-17 and up to 2017 (as at 17 October 2017)?
  - (2) How many people living in the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District are on the waiting list for cardio-thoracic surgery (as at 17 October 2017)?
  - (3) Is the Minister aware that his predecessor pledged to appoint a cardio-thoracic surgeon to Wollongong Public Hospital?
  - (4) Why has the Government not implemented this pledge?

Answer-

During the financial year 2015-16, 238 patients had cardiothoracic procedures at South Eastern Sydney Local Health District. Data for the subsequent years is not yet available.

The development of thoracic services remains a part of the surgical planning for Local Health District.

## 19 OCTOBER 2017

(Paper No. 155)

- \*6944 GOSFORD TAFE ENROLMENT TARGET—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) What was the enrolment target for the Gosford Campus of TAFE in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?
  - (2) What was the enrolment marketing budget for the Gosford Campus of TAFE in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?

Answer-

- (1) TAFE NSW operates in a competitive environment and does not provide enrolment target information. TAFE NSW does provide data on enrolments as part of its Annual Report which can be found at https://www.tafensw.edu.au/about-tafensw/annual-report.
- (2) TAFE NSW does not apportion its marketing budget by location.
- \*6945 NSW METERING SCHEME—Ms Julia Finn 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) What is the total cost of the NSW Metering Scheme?
  - (2) How much funding has been expended to date (as at 17 October 2017)?
  - (3) How much funding has been provided to date (as at 17 October 2017) by the:
    - (a) Government;
    - (b) Commonwealth Government?
  - (4) How many meters have been installed to date (as at 17 October 2017)?
  - (5) How many meters are yet to be installed (as at 17 October 2017)?
  - (6) When will the project be complete?

Answer-

(1) \$53.9 million. The NSW Metering Scheme was funded under the Commonwealth's Sustaining the Basin Program and included two projects: the original Murray Pilot Project installed 718 meters in the

Upper Murray at a cost of \$22.4 million; and the Southern Valleys Project installed 710 meters in the Lower Murray And Darling rivers at a cost of \$31.5 million.

Other than the NSW Metering Scheme, two other schemes have been delivered in New South Wales: 799 meters were installed in the Hawkesbury-Nepean at a cost of \$21.8 million funding by the Commonwealth's Water for the Future Initiative; and 527 meters were installed in the Murrumbidgee regulated river system at a cost of \$18 million funded by Water for Rivers, a joint initiative of New South Wales, Victoria and the Commonwealth.

(2) NSW Metering Scheme - \$53.9 million Commonwealth funding

Hawkesbury-Nepean - \$21.8 million Commonwealth funding

Murrumbidgee regulated - \$18 million through Water for Rivers, a joint initiative of the new South Wales, Victorian and Commonwealth Governments.

- (3) (a) and (b) Refer to answer to Question 2.
- (4) Refer to answer to Question 1.
- (5) None. These schemes have been completed.
- (6) These schemes have been completed in accordance with their funding arrangements
- \*6946 CESSNOCK ELECTORATE ROADS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) Considering the Minister's answer to a Question Without Notice in the Legislative Assembly Chamber on 18 October 2017 that addressed investment in Hunter and Central Coast roads, and specifically the Minister's claim that the Government had invested on average \$284 million per year into Cessnock roads, for each financial year from 2011-12 to 2016-17:
    - (a) How much money was spent on roads in the Cessnock electorate by the Government?
    - (b) What were the five largest, most costly, projects?
    - (c) How much was spent on each of these five largest, most costly, projects?

Answer-

I am advised:

Since 2011, the Government has invested over \$1.7 billion in roads in the Cessnock Electorate.

This includes investments of more than:

- \$1.58 billion in the Hunter Expressways;
- \$20 million for Wine Country Road upgrades;
- \$15 million in grants to councils;
- \$13 million on safety improvement works; and
- \$52 million on state road maintenance and minor works.
- \*6949 INDUSTRIAL NOISE POLICY—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) Is there currently a review underway of the Industrial Noise Policy in New South Wales?
    - (a) If so, when it is expected to be finalised?
  - (2) Will a change in the Industrial Noise Policy require a legislative amendment, a regulation change by Government Gazette, or some other public declaration?
  - (3) Is the Minister aware of the Low Frequency Noise (LFN) research undertaken by the Department of Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) in the United Kingdom?
  - (4) If so, is the LFN research by DEFRA in the United Kingdom being considered in the review of the Industrial Noise Policy?
  - (5) Is the Minister aware that the DEFRA research paper states that the research is not intended as a means of predicting when disturbance might occur?
  - (6) Has the DEFRA research been used to determine or advise on any projects which the Environmental Protection Agency has made comment on?
  - (7) Will the issue of Low Frequency Noise research be referred to the New South Wales Chief Scientist?

    (a) If so, will this be done prior to any changes to the Industrial Noise Policy?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) The revised Noise Policy for Industry was released on 27 October 2017.
- (2) No.
- (3) Yes.
- (4) Yes. The conservative nature of the DEFRA criterion was considered in developing the Noise Policy for Industry.
- (5) Yes. In 2014 the Environment Protection Authority (EPA) liaised with the lead author of the DEFRA study, Prof Andy Moorhouse of the University of Salford, about this statement. Prof Moorhouse confirmed that the statement was included because levels of noise above the criteria are commonly acceptable and the approach may be conservative when used in predicting potential disturbance.
- (6) On some proposed projects the EPA provides advice to consent authorities on noise impacts.
- (7) See answer to Question 1.
- \*6950 CESSNOCK ELECTORATE SCHOOL CANTEENS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Education—
  - (1) Which schools in the Cessnock electorate have external operators running their canteen?
  - (2) How are these external operators selected?
  - (3) Is there a tender process involved?
    - (a) If so, what does this process involve?
    - (b) If so, what criteria must these external operators meet?
  - (4) Are these external operators required to implement the Healthy School Canteen Strategy?
    - (a) If so, how does the Department ensure the requirements of the Strategy are met?

#### Answer-

(1) to (4) I'm advised that canteens at Cessnock Public School and Cessnock East Public School have external operators, which are selected through a tender process in accordance with Department of Education and Government procurement policy.

Details of this policy are available on the NSW Department of Education website.

All New South Wales public schools are required to implement the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy by the end of 2019. The Department of Education will monitor implementation through its usual policy reporting processes.

- \*6951 FIREWORKS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
  - (1) What processes and costs are involved in obtaining an explosives licence, as per Part 3 of the Explosives Act 2003?
  - (2) What notification or information is provided to residents who live close to where fireworks will be displayed?
  - (3) What provisions or rights do those residents who object to fireworks close to their homes have?
  - (4) Can residents prevent fireworks from being displayed near their home?

#### Answer-

(1) SafeWork NSW issues a range of explosives licences under Part 3 of the Explosives Act 2003, which vary in fees and processes depending on the licence type sought. If a person wants to use fireworks there are two types of licences – a pyrotechnician's licence and a fireworks (single use) licence.

SafeWork NSW maintains comprehensive factsheets and guides on obtaining these types of licences. The process and costs are best explained by these guides and therefore:

- SafeWork's guide to applying for a pyrotechnician's licence can be obtained here: http://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/\_data/assets/pdf\_file/0006/49884/guide\_pyrotechnicians\_licence\_4691.pdf
- SafeWork's guide to applying for a fireworks (single use) licence can be obtained here: http://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/media/publications/licences-and-registrations/SW08140-Guide-for-fireworks-single-use-licence-applicants.pdf

The most up to date licensing fees are maintained online by SafeWork NSW. The schedule outlines fees for all applications administered by SafeWork NSW and can be accessed here: http://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/media/publications/health-and-safety/licensing-fees

(2) Notification and other requirements can be found in the 'Operational Conditions for Pyrotechnicians and Single Use Fireworks Licences' (the Conditions). Specifically, notification guidelines are outlined in section 3 of the Conditions. The Conditions are available online here: http:/

/www.safework.nsw.gov.au/media/publications/licences-and-registrations/operational-conditions-for-pyrotechnicians-and-single-use-fireworks-licences.

All notifications for fireworks displays are entered onto the SafeWork NSW website advising of the date, time and location of notified fireworks displays; the website is located at: www.safework.nsw.gov.au/information-searches/fireworks-display/search.

SafeWork NSW may suspend or cancel a licence, impose penalties on licence holders (fines), and can prosecute those who do not comply with licence requirements.

(3) Residents can lodge a complaint with their local council or SafeWork NSW on 13 10 50, when they receive notification of an intention to use fireworks. Further information on how to make complaints is available for neighbours and community members on the SafeWork NSW website and in the SafeWork NSW publication entitled Guidelines for Council which can be obtained here: www.safework.nsw.gov.au/\_data/assets/pdf\_file/0018/113346/SW08352-Guidelines-for-Council-when-notification-of-an-intention-to-use-fireworks-.pdf

Impacts of fireworks displays in any area are considered through the right of objection of local councils. If council objects to the display, SafeWork NSW will not issue a fireworks (single use) license or a display acknowledgement number and the display cannot go ahead.

SafeWork NSW works with local councils to ensure that fireworks displays meet the health and safety needs of the community and the licence conditions. SafeWork also ensures that displays meet Australian Standard AS 2187.4 Explosives - Storage, transport and use - Pyrotechnics – Outdoor displays.

(4) Please refer to my answer to Question 3

# \*6952 SCHOOLS DEEMED AT CAPACITY IN THE FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) Which public schools in the Fairfield electorate are deemed as 'at capacity' and cannot accept 'out of zone' enrolments?
  - (a) Are any of these schools scheduled to have permanent buildings constructed to increase capacity?
  - (b) Are any of these schools scheduled to have temporary buildings installed to increase capacity?

#### Answer-

Every eligible student who wishes to attend a New South Wales public school will be given a place at their local school. Accordingly, the Department of Education does not have fixed enrolment capacities at New South Wales public schools. Schools have the capacity to adapt to fluctuating enrolments through the use of a combination of temporary and permanent teaching spaces.

- \*6953 CARRAMAR TRAIN STATION UNDERPASS—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) Considering Carramar Train Station's underpass is the only access to and from the platforms and regularly floods, has any consultation with the local council occurred to identify the problems and required works to resolve this problem?
  - (2) Has a plan been developed to resolve this ongoing problem?
  - (3) Has any funding for works to resolve this issue been allocated for the 2017-18 financial year?
  - (4) When are works projected to commence to resolve this matter?
  - (5) When are works projected to be completed?

## Answer-

## I am advised:

- (1) Yes. Sydney Trains has contacted the Fairfield City Council on several occasions to discuss a drainage solution for the area.
- (2) Sydney Trains has cleared all drainage within the subway and also installed additional drains along the subway walls to improve the drainage in the underpass.

It has been determined water enters the subway from street level, due to a blocked drain which is the Council's responsibility to maintain.

- \*6954 STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE 2017 EDUCATIONAL YEAR—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Education—
  - (1) How many students were enrolled at the commencement of the 2017 educational year for each year

group in each of the schools in the Fairfield electorate in Department of Education schools?

(2) What are the corresponding figures for the 2011 to 2016 educational years?

Answer-

I'm advised this information is available on the Department of Education's website.

- \*6955 INFRINGEMENT NOTICES NEAR SCHOOLS IN THE FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) What is the breakdown by school relating to how many infringement notices were issued for speeding offences in 40 kilometres per hour school zones in the Fairfield electorate for the years 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
  - (2) What is the breakdown by school relating to how many infringement notices were issued for parking offences in school zones in the Fairfield electorate for the years 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?

Answer—

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<u> </u>	2011	2012	2012	2014	2015	2016	2017
Suburb	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Canley Heights		4		2	129	727	501
Canley Vale			1		1		1
Carramar			4		1		
Fairfield	2	3	3	13	3	2	2
Fairfield East	1			4			2
Fairfield Heights		1	1	3			
Fairfield West	2	1	4	4	10	5	1
Guildford	92	99	100	120	220	243	129
Guildford West		1	1	1			
Old Guildford			3	5	12	8	13
Prairiewood	2					2	
Smithfield	121	38	25	20	52	63	17
Villawood		1	2	7		1	2
Wakeley		1			1		
Yennora			5	2			
Grand Total	220	149	149	181	429	1,051	668
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Suburb	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Canley Heights	15	57	23	24	39	51	7
Canley Vale	91	195	138	146	158	97	98
Carramar			3	10	33		

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Fairfield Heights	25	79	152	83	94	57	88
Fairfield West	149	271	77	179	97	184	147
Guildford	108	134	73	102	103	197	139
Guildford West	19	14	14	3	28	27	19
Old Guildford	12	46	60	29	42	43	75
Prairiewood	45	54	45	68	53	53	22
Smithfield	80	130	82	218	319	143	121
Villawood	12	96	18	43	30	14	8
Wakeley	81	49	38	29	49	95	70
Yennora	15	51	26	29	38	55	25
Grand Total	814	1,460	1,078	1,273	1,630	1,322	1,148

#### Notes:

- Offence location is only provided as street name and suburb by the issuing officer and does not indicate the name of a school.
- Data as at 25 October 2017.
- Data includes all penalty notices with an offence date between 1 January 2011 and 19 October 2017.
- Data is only as accurate as the information provided by the issuing agency.
- \*6956 UPGRADES TO THE FAIRFIELD HOSPITAL CAR PARK—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Since the recent upgrades to the Fairfield Hospital Car Park were completed, how much revenue has been raised (to 19 October 2017) from:
    - (a) Standard parking tickets:
    - (b) Lost tickets;
    - (c) Penalties for parking illegally?
  - (2) How much of this revenue has gone back into funding for Fairfield Hospital's facilities?

## Answer-

Standard parking and lost tickets attract the same fee. Parking penalties are managed by the State Debt Recovery Office and cannot be ascertained by the Hospital.

Car parking revenues are retained by Fairfield Hospital.

- \*6957 TRADE AND SKILL RECOGNITION IN AUSTRALIA—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
  - (1) Who are the Government and Non-Government Organisation providers that cater to the needs of migrants and refugees seeking assistance with trade and skill recognition in Australia?
    - (a) How much funding has been granted to each service provider for this service in each year from 2010 to 2017 (as at 19 October 2017)?
    - (b) How many individuals accessed these trade and skill recognition services in New South Wales in each year from 2010 to 2017 (as at 19 October 2017)?

## Answer—

Details on Australia wide Government and Non-Government Organisation providers that cater to the needs of migrants and refugees seeking assistance with trade and skills recognition, the funding they receive and number of individuals accessing these services is a matter for the Commonwealth Government.

The NSW Department of Industry provides trade recognition services for those that have trade skills and experience but have never completed an apprenticeship or obtained formal qualifications in Australia. More details can be found at www.training.nsw.gov.au/skills recognition/trade/index.html.

\*6960 DECLARED RACING AREA FOR THE NEWCASTLE 500—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—

- (1) Why have areas of the Stockton foreshore and the slipways at Carrington been included in the Declared Racing Area for the Newcastle 500?
- (2) What will those areas be used for?

#### Answer-

The area in Stockton has been allocated for a park and ride service for patrons attending the event to accommodate demand for transport services. Patrons will be able to park their cars and then take a ferry to the event precinct in the Newcastle CBD.

The area in Carrington is required for the housing of event vehicles during the Motor Racing Period. Racing will only take place on the motor racing circuit.

- \*6961 NURSE TO PATIENT RATIOS AT JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware that the John Hunter Hospital was short 6,695 nursing care hours from December 2016 to June 2017?
  - (2) What actions have been taken to address this?
  - (3) What actions, if any, are being taken to address the issue of understaffing generally at the John Hunter Hospital?
  - (4) Can an assurance be given that patients at the John Hunter Hospital will receive six hours of nursing care per day?

#### Answer—

I am advised that this figure of 6,695 nursing care hours cannot be verified by Hunter New England Local Health District.

The rostering and staffing practices of the hospital have been closely monitored by nursing management. The Hospital will continue to comply with the Award required minimum staffing, with additional staffing to be supplied to meet demand if and when required.

- \*6962 GOSFORD STATE SIGNIFICANT SITES—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
  - (1) What are the State Significant Sites in the Gosford electorate?
  - (2) Considering Gosford Waterfront was designated a State Significant Site in 2014, why doesn't it appear on the list of State Significant Sites now (as at 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) When was it removed?
    - (b) Why was it removed?

## Answer-

## I am advised:

- (1) There are no gazetted State Significant Sites in the Gosford electorate.
- (2) It was not removed. The site was declared a potential State Significant Site in 2010. However, in February 2014, the Gosford Waterfront was rezoned using a State Environmental Planning Policy Amendment process. The planning provisions for the land are contained in the Gosford Local Environmental Plan 2014.
- \*6963 ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS AT GOSFORD TAFE—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—

How many new administrative positions have been created at the Gosford Campus of TAFE for each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?

#### Answer-

TAFE NSW operates in a competitive environment and does not provide data by location. TAFE NSW provides full-time equivalent data as part of its Annual Report, refer https://www.tafensw.edu.au/about-tafensw/annual-report \.

- \*6964 ADDITIONAL TAFE COURSES—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) How many courses have been added at the Gosford Campus of TAFE for each financial year from

2012-13 to 2016-17?

(2) How many courses have been added to TAFEs across the State in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?

Answer-

Information on the number and location of qualifications offered by TAFE NSW is available on the TAFE NSW website at http://www.tafensw.edu.au.

- \*6965 GOSFORD TAFE SHORT COURSES—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) How many short courses have been added at the Gosford Campus of TAFE in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?
  - (2) How many short courses have been added at TAFE campuses across the state in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?
  - (3) What is the percentage of enrolments at TAFE across New South Wales for short courses in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?
  - (4) What is the percentage of enrolments at the Gosford Campus of TAFE for short courses in each financial year from 2012-13 to 2016-17?

Answer-

- (1) and (2) Information on the number and location of qualifications offered by TAFE NSW is available on the TAFE NSW website at http://www.tafensw.edu.au.
- (3) and (4) TAFE NSW operates in a competitive environment and does not provide enrolment data by location. TAFE NSW does provide data on enrolments as part of its Annual Report which can be found at https://www.tafensw.edu.au/about-tafensw/annual-report.
- \*6966 TAFE ENROLMENTS—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) How many people with disability enrolled at TAFE as at 19 October 2017:
    - (a) At the Gosford Campus;
    - (b) Across New South Wales?

Answer-

TAFE NSW operates in a competitive environment and does not provide enrolment data by location. TAFE NSW does provide data on enrolments by people with a disability as part of its annual reporting which can be found at https://www.tafensw.edu.au/about-tafensw/annual-report.

- \*6969 THE STORE'S FACADE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) Noting the planned demolition of the iconic Newcastle shopfront known as 'The Store', is it true that the building's façade will not be retained?
  - (2) Can any relevant documentation supporting this decision be provided?

Answer-

I am advised:

The former Cooperative Store façade is in poor condition and poses a safety hazard for the community. Temporary hoarding is in place to protect the public from the risk of falling debris from the building's facade. Controlled removal of the materials by accredited contractors will ensure the future safety of the site.

Investigations by engineering consultants Northrop and GHD both concluded it is necessary to remove the facade to achieve an acceptable level of public safety for the project.

- \*6971 PLASTIC FIBRES IN DRINKING WATER SUPPLY—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) What discussions have been undertaken with the National Health and Medical Research Council about plastic fibres and the Australian Drinking Water Guidelines?
  - (2) What consideration is being given to the health impacts of plastic fibres in the drinking water supply across New South Wales?

Answer\_

NSW Health has regular contact with the National Health and Medical Research Council to discuss

drinking water issues and priorities for inclusion in the Australian Drinking Water Guidelines.

The Public Health Act 2010 requires all water utilities to implement a risk-based quality assurance program, through which water utilities ensure good quality drinking water, including minimising the likelihood of environmental contaminants such as plastic fibres.

- \*6973 PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PARTICLE MONITORING STATIONS—Mr David Harris asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) How many public and private particle monitoring stations are currently operating in the:
    - (a) Lake Macquarie Local Government Area;
    - (b) Central Coast Local Government Area?

#### Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) (a) 46 ambient particle monitoring devices.
- (b) 18 ambient particle monitoring devices.
- \*6975 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VIDEO STATEMENTS—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) How many cases of domestic violence have used video statements at the time of a domestic violence incident since their introduction:
    - (a) In New South Wales:
    - (b) In each Local Area Command?

#### Answer-

The NSW Police Force (NSWPF) has advised me that it has identified 27,227 domestic violence events on the COPS system with a related Domestic Violence Evidence in Chief (DVEC) product between 1 June 2015 and 19 October 2017. A DVEC product may comprise still image, audio and/or video.

- \*6977 SUMMER HILL ELECTORATE ENVIRONMENT GRANT PROJECTS—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) How many applications were received in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 28 March 2017) for projects in the Summer Hill electorate for each of the following grant programmes:
    - (a) Building Resilience to Climate Change:
    - (b) Eco Schools;
    - (c) Education;
    - (d) Lead Environment Community Groups;
    - (e) Protecting our Places;
    - (f) Research;
    - (g) Restoration and Rehabilitation;
    - (h) Pollution Clean-up;
    - (i) Waste Less, Recycle More;
    - (j) Food Gardens in Schools;
    - (k) Saving our Species Partnership Grants;
    - (l) Urban Sustainability?
  - (2) How many applications were successful in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 28 March 2017) for projects in the Summer Hill electorate for each of the grant programmes listed in Question 1?
  - (3) What is the total value of successful grants for projects in the Summer Hill electorate in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 28 March 2017) for each of the grant programmes listed in Question 1?

## Answer—

(1)

Program	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Building Resilience to Climate Change	-	-	-	1	-	3	-
Eco Schools	-	-	-	-	4	3	-

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Education	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Lead Environment Community Groups	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Protecting our Places	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Research	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Restoration and Rehabilitatio n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollution Clean-up	7	7	2	2	-	6	6
Waste Less, Recycle More*	3	3	4	30	26	11	5
Food Gardens in Schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saving our Species Partnership Grants	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Urban Sustainabilit y	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	10	10	6	33	30	24	13
(2)							
Program	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Building Resilience to Climate Change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eco Schools	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lead Environment Community Groups	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Protecting our Places	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Research	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Restoration and Rehabilitatio n	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pollution Clean-up	7	7	2	2	-	6	6
Waste Less, Recycle More*	3	3	4	17	16	10	5

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\*6978 PLASTIC FIBRES IN DRINKING WATER SUPPLY—Ms Julia Finn 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—

What testing for plastic fibres in the drinking water supply is being undertaken by local water utilities? Answer—

The Australian Drinking Water Guidelines provide guideline values for known contaminants of drinking water that may present a health risk. The Australian Drinking Water Guidelines do not provide any guidelines for micro-plastics or plastic fibres in drinking water.

As a result, local water utilities in regional New South Wales do not test for micro-plastics or plastic fibres in the drinking water supply.

Further information and questions on the Australian Drinking Water Guidelines are a matter for NSW Health and should be referred to the Minister for Health, the Hon Brad Hazzard, MP.

- \*6981 SMALL BUSINESS GRANT PROGRAM—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
  - (1) How many businesses located in the Summer Hill electorate have received funding under the Small Business Grant program in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2016-17?
  - (2) What has been the total cost of the Small Business Grant program across New South Wales in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2016-17?

#### Answer—

- (1) and (2) This is a matter for the Minister for Finance, Services and Property, as the responsible Minister.
- \*6982 NEWCASTLE 500—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) Has the Minister power of review of the independently audited acoustic assessment undertaken for the Newcastle 500?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (2) Why has the Government not released all information relating to noise modelling and the independently audited acoustic assessment for the Newcastle 500?
  - (3) Will this decision be reconsidered?
  - (4) Will the independently audited acoustic assessment be released?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (5) Have you met with residents to discuss their concerns?
    - (a) If not, will you meet with residents to discuss their concerns?
  - (6) How many residents have the staff from the Newcastle 500 Co-ordination Office met with?
  - (7) Is it considered that one lift access point is adequate to meet the needs of residents and visitors with disabilities at the Newcastle 500?

#### Answer-

- (1) The Motor Racing (Sydney and Newcastle) Act 2008 does not require the Minister for Tourism and Major Events or Destination NSW to have completed or reviewed the independently audited acoustic assessment or Supercars Australia's Noise Management Plan or to distribute any information in such regard to other parties.
- (2) Supercars Australia commissioned a professional acoustic engineer to undertake a noise assessment specific to the Newcastle 500 circuit. While the full report has not been made publicly available, residents and businesses can access data relating to their address by making a request to Supercars Australia.
- (3) and (4) See answer to question 2.
- (5) Resident enquiries and concerns to the Minister for Tourism and Major Events regarding the staging of the Newcastle 500 have been responded to.
- (6) The Newcastle 500 Coordination Office has been involved in multiple meetings and community information sessions with residents and businesses. Attendance at these forums has allowed the community to ask questions regarding the staging of the event. In addition, residents and businesses were given the opportunity to request a meeting with the Newcastle 500 Coordination Office's Community Liaison Officer.
- (7) As the event owner, Supercars Australia is responsible for providing accessible facilities and amenities for the Newcastle 500.

During the three-day event, the following provisions will be in place:

• an accessible lift will be located at the pedestrian bridge on Wharf Road. A lift operator will assist patrons

- all residents with accreditation will have access to a wheelchair friendly shuttle service within the
- a pathway will provide wheelchair access to Newcastle Ocean Baths, via the tunnel near Telford Street
- the path at the east end of Scott Street to Shortland Esplanade will provide wheelchair access to Newcastle Ocean Baths to local residents
- there will be two wheelchair accessible stands located trackside
- a phone number is available (02 8346 2676) for those who may require assistance.

Further information on accessible facilities and amenities for the Newcastle 500 is provided on Supercars Australia's website: http://www.supercars.com/newcastle/event-info/accessibility-information/.

- \*6983 WILLIAMTOWN CONTAMINATION INVESTIGATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) When will the Environment Protection Authority investigations of the expansion of the red zone be completed?
    - (a) Will the public be notified of the outcome?

Answer-

I am advised that this was conducted on Sunday November 19.

- \*6984 OBESITY PREVENTION—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) What assessment has the Government carried out of obesity in New South Wales?
  - (2) What costs to the New South Wales health system has the Government identified?
  - (3) What obesity prevention programs does the Government provide or fund?
  - (4) What advocacy has the Government carried out with the Commonwealth for a national plan and systematic action?
  - (5) What further action will the Government take to prevent obesity?

Answer-

The primary source of information in relation to levels of overweight and obesity in New South Wales is the NSW Population Health Survey and this has been complemented with the NSW Schools Physical Activities and Nutrition Survey which is conducted periodically (most recently 2015).

The financial cost of obesity in Australia was estimated to be \$8.3 billion in 2008 (\$3.6 billion estimated to be related to productivity costs, \$2.0 billion related to health system costs and carer costs were in the order of \$1.9 billion). In addition, the cost of lost wellbeing for individuals was valued at \$49.9 billion, bringing the total economic cost of obesity to \$58.2 billion across Australia, with \$19.0 billion being apportioned to New South Wales.

The suite of initiatives being implemented to address overweight and obesity in New South Wales is detailed in the NSW Healthy Eating and Active Living Strategy 2013-2018 which is available at http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/heal/Publications/nsw-healthy-eating-strategy.pdf.

New South Wales will continue to actively pursue national approaches to overweight and obesity prevention through the appropriate mechanisms. The Government is working with the Commonwealth on the implementation and review of the Health Star Rating front-of-pack labelling system and other food labelling initiatives as part of its participation in the Australia New Zealand Ministerial Forum on Food Regulation.

NSW Health is working with the Commonwealth on the Healthy Food Partnership. The Partnership aims to improve the dietary habits of Australians by making healthier food choices easier and more accessible and to raise awareness of better food choices and portion sizes.

- \*6985 BEES AND NEONICOTINOIDS—Mr Alex Greenwich 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) What assessment has the Government made of the health of bee colonies in New South Wales since 2014?
  - (2) What assessment has the Government made of the dangers of neonicotinoid pesticides to bee colonies since LA Q4018?
  - (3) What assessment has the Government made of the impact of neonicotinoid pesticides in pollinators on primary production and the environment?
  - (4) What assessment has the Government made of the impact of neonicotinoid pesticides in pollinators

on human health?

- (a) What liaison has been carried out with NSW Health and other health experts on this matter?
- (5) What liaison has been carried out with other states and territories and the Commonwealth about the safety of neonicotinoids and what regulation should be introduced?
- (6) What advice does the Government provide to farmers, landowners and gardeners about the dangers of neonicotinoid pesticides?
- (7) What further action will the Government take to protect bees and pollination, ensure safe food supplies and prevent human health impacts from neonicotinoid pesticides?

#### Answer\_

(1) Assessment of Honey bees and factors that may affect the health of their colonies is undertaken by three key agencies. NSW Department of Primary Industries (NSW DPI) regulates honeybee pest and disease related matters in the state via the Biosecurity Act 2015. Regulatory activities include registration surveillance for bee pest and diseases, receiving and investigating reports of pests and diseases, a dedicated bee biosecurity officer working with commercial beekeepers and the production of guidelines and presentations for bee keepers.

Complaints relating to suspected poisoning of bees by agricultural chemicals are the responsibility of the NSW Environment Protection Authority. The assessment of the impacts of agricultural chemicals remains a matter for the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA).

- (2) The assessment of the impacts of agricultural chemicals remains a matter for the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA). The APVMA registration process includes an assessment of the risk to bees for every pesticide product registered. Bee safety instructions are included on product labels of all new insecticides. In September 2015 the APVMA published its "Roadmap for insect pollinator risk assessment in Australia" which was implemented in 2016.
- (3) The assessment of agricultural chemicals is a matter for the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA).
- (4) The Commonwealth Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (DAWR) conducts National Residue Survey testing up to 150 Australian honey samples each year for residues of the five commonly used neonicotinoids in Australia. Survey results are published on the DAWR website.
- (a) The appropriate body to consider this matter is the APVMA.
- (5) The appropriate body to consider this matter is the APVMA.
- (6) As per Commonwealth legislative requirements, advice surrounding agricultural chemicals is managed via product label instructions.
- (7) NSW DPI regulates honeybee pest and disease related matters in the state via the Biosecurity Act 2015. Regulatory activities include registration surveillance for bee pest and diseases, receiving and investigating reports of pests and diseases, a dedicated bee biosecurity officer working with commercial beekeepers and the production of guidelines and presentations for bee keepers. The Department of Primary Industries is soon to publish an AgGuide on managing honey bees for pollination and is conducting workshops on pollination using honey bees. Five workshops have been delivered this year, to date.

## \*6989 SCHOOL BASED POSITIONS—Mr Jihad Dib asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) How many unfilled full-time school-based positions are there in New South Wales as at 19 October 2017?
- (2) How many positions have been unfilled for:
  - (a) Zero to three months;
  - (b) Three to six months;
  - (c) Six to 12 months;
  - (d) Over 12 months?
- (3) How many principals are currently in their role in an acting or relieving capacity (excluding long service leave)?

## Answer-

I'm advised that positions may be filled by permanent, temporary or casual employees. If a teaching position in a school does not have a permanent occupant, the Principal will engage a qualified casual or temporary employee, endorsed by the Department of Education, to support in the delivery of the school's educational and curriculum priorities. For school administrative managers, executive staff and principal

positions, the Principal or Director Public Schools respectively will arrange for a qualified member of

# \*6990 PROTECTING PERSONAL DATA—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Attorney General—

- (1) What measures has the Government taken to improve protection of personal information held by Government agencies from identity theft, hacking or data breaches?
- (2) How has the Government implemented the Office of the Australian Information Commissioner's 'Privacy By Design' measures?
- (3) What assessment has been made of 'confidential computing', N1 Analytics, distributed databases and other approaches to sharing data while protecting personal information?
- (4) What further plans does the Government have to improve protection of personal information?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

staff to relieve in that position.

- (1) This question should be directed to the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.
- (2) The Department of Justice and other government agencies undertake Privacy Impact Assessments and reviews of information controls in the development and design of new projects and innovations.
- (3) This question should be directed to the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.
- (4) New South Wales government agencies are subject to strict obligations under the Privacy and Persona/Information Protection Act 1998 (PPIPA) in relation to the collection, use and disclosure of personal information. The Government will continue to review the New South Wales privacy framework to ensure that it appropriately protects personal information in government data.

## \*6991 LAKEMBA ELECTORATE SCHOOLS—Mr Jihad Dib asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) Which schools in the Lakemba electorate have received an increase in school counsellor allocation since January 2016 (to 19 October 2017)?
- (2) Which schools in the Lakemba electorate currently have unfilled permanent executive level positions?
  - (a) What is the number and level of these positions?
- (3) What is the percentage growth of school enrolments for schools in the Lakemba electorate for the period 30 September 2013 to 30 September 2017 by category:
  - (a) Infants schools:
  - (b) Primary schools;
  - (c) Secondary schools?
- (4) How many demountables have been added to schools in the Lakemba electorate since 20 December 2014 (to 19 October 2017)?
- (5) How many demountables have been removed from school sites in the Lakemba electorate since 20 December 2014 (to 19 October 2017)?

#### Answer-

- (1) I'm advised that the following schools in the Lakemba electorate have received an increase in school counselling allocation for 2016-2018: Banksia Road Public School; Beverly Hills Girls High School; Beverly Hills North Public School; Chullora Public School; Greenacre Public School; Hampden Park Public School; Hannans Road Public School; Lakemba Public School; Mount Lewis Public School; Punchbowl Boys High School; Riverwood Public School; Wangee Park School; Wiley Park Girls High School; and Wiley Park Public School.
- (2) I'm advised that as at 19 October 2017, there were eight executive positions at schools in the Lakemba electorate that were not yet permanently filled. For executive staff, the Principal or Director Public Schools arranges for a qualified member of staff to relieve in that position.
- (3) Student enrolment data is available via the NSW Department of Education website.
- (4) and (5) I'm advised that between 20 December 2014 and 19 October 2017, eight demountable classrooms were added to schools and four demountable classrooms were removed from schools in the Lakemba electorate.

The Department of Education uses demountable buildings for purposes such as managing changing enrolment patterns. Demountables provide air-conditioned learning environments to schools and allow the department to be highly responsive to changing needs in schools across New South Wales.

\*6992 MOORE PARK MASTER PLAN—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) Will the Government release submissions to the draft Moore Park Master Plan?
  - (a) If not, why not?
- (2) Will there be a public tender for the next lease of the Hordern Pavilion and Royal Hall of Industries, following expiration of the existing leases next year?
- (3) Will the Hordern Pavilion and Royal Hall of Industries be leased as elite centres of excellence for elite professional sports that are connected to the neighbouring sports stadia?
  - (a) If not, will consideration be given to leasing the Hordern Pavilion and Royal Hall of Industries for uses that are consistent with their public recreation status and existing performing arts and cultural uses, such as community indoor sport, or their existing uses as performance venues?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

- (1) Feedback from the consultation process is summarised in the final More Park Master Plan. Submissions are confidential.
- (2) Yes.
- (3) Future use of the venues will depend on the tender process.

## \*6993 ASBESTOS IN SCHOOLS—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) At how many New South Wales schools has asbestos been located in playgrounds or buildings in each year from 2014 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
- (2) At how many schools has mitigation work been required as a result of asbestos being exposed to students and staff?
- (3) How many deaths of staff members in each of the past 20 years have been attributed to exposure to asbestos in a school environment (to 19 October 2017)?
- (4) What has been the total cost of ameliorating asbestos in New South Wales schools in each year from 2014 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?

#### Answer-

## I'm advised:

The Department of Education maintains an Asbestos Register for each NSW public school which details the location of all asbestos and presumed asbestos containing materials (ACM).

These registers are publicly available at https://education.nsw.gov.au/about-us/strategies-and-reports/our-reports-and-reviews/schools-asbestos-register .

There are no known instances of staff or students having been exposed to unsafe asbestos.

There are no recorded deaths of staff members for the past 20 years attributed to exposure to asbestos in a school environment.

Asbestos remediation can be carried out through a range of works including refurbishments and maintenance. Such works do not separate asbestos remediation as a specific cost item, so a precise overall figure for such works is difficult to calculate.

## \*6994 ASHBURY PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) What is the timeline for the construction of new modular classrooms at Ashbury Public School identified for funding in the 2017-18 Budget?
- (2) Where on the school grounds will the new classrooms be constructed?
- (3) What is the total amount budgeted for constructing new classrooms at Ashbury Public School?
- (4) What input into design and construction will the school community, including the Principal, have?

#### Answer—

(1) to (4) I'm advised the project to upgrade Ashbury Public School is in the early planning phase and the timeline for construction is still to be finalised. The project will include new permanent teaching spaces.

The project budget is commercial-in-confidence until the tender is awarded.

A project reference group will be established for the school community to provide input on the project.

- \*6995 NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—
  - (1) What is the response to findings from the Productivity Commission that the roll-out of the National Disability Insurance Scheme is at least one year behind schedule and requires significant further investment from the Government to stay on track?

- (2) Will this impact or delay the Government's transfer of Ageing, Disability and Home Care-owned properties to private providers and not-for-profit providers?
  - (a) If so, how?
- (3) Can assurances be given that participants, carers and trustees will not be worse off?
- (4) Will the State Government provide further assistance to participants to ensure National Disability Insurance Scheme packages are appropriate?

#### Answer-

- (1) and (2) New South Wales is well advanced with its transition and on track to move to full scheme by June 2018.
- (3) The commitment of the New South Wales and Commonwealth Governments to ensure people are not disadvantaged during transition to the full roll-out of the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) is stated in the Bilateral Agreement for the Transition to the National Disability Insurance Scheme.
- (4) The Government continues to closely monitor the transition of New South Wales clients to the NDIS. NDIS participants have access to reasonable and necessary supports consistent with the National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013. Where it is identified that NDIS plans do not meet the needs of the participant, a request for a plan review can be submitted to the National Disability Insurance Agency.
- \*6996 MENTAL HEALTH—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for Ageing—
  - (1) What is the response to revelations in Safe Work NSW's Mentally Health Workplaces in New South Wales strategy that fewer than 10 per cent of workplaces have an integrated and developed approach to mental health?
  - (2) What is being done to improve responsiveness from businesses, including small businesses, to mental health?

#### Answer-

- (1) and (2) The Government is developing an overarching mental health in the workplace strategy for New South Wales.
- \*6997 XPT COMPONENT MANUFACTURE—Mr Philip Donato asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

Will consideration be given to providing opportunity to the City of Orange to manufacture components for the new XPT train given that it is assembled in Dubbo?

Answer—

I am advised:

Consideration will be given to Orange, just as much as every other location in New South Wales.

\*6998 PALLIATIVE CARE SPECIALISTS IN RURAL AND REGIONAL AREAS—Mr Philip Donato asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

Considering your response to LA Q6425, what are the names of the locations in New South Wales where the \$100 million is being allocated to support access to palliative care services?

Answer-

The \$100 million is being allocated to support equitable access to palliative care services across New South Wales, with a particular focus on rural and regional areas.

The decision about where the palliative care specialists will be located is in the process of being finalised.

Every Local Health District will be able to employ additional nurses dedicated to palliative care. The Districts will determine the geographic allocation of positions.

\*7000 NEW SOUTH WALES POLICE FORCE UNSWORN STAFF POSITIONS—Mr Philip Donato asked the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—

How many unsworn staff positions will be terminated from the New South Wales Police Force following the Local Area Command amalgamations as part of the announced re-engineering?

Answer—

I am advised:

Details of changes to specific commands as part of the Commissioner's re-engineering process will be

announced in due course.

- \*7001 MAITLAND CITY COUNCIL FUNDING—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
  - (1) How much funding from the Government, disaggregated by project, was directed to Maitland City Council in the Budget for each financial year from 2014-15 to 2017-18?

Answer-

Consistent with the answer given to Question on Notice LA Q3959, information regarding grant contributions to Maitland City Council is available in their annual reports.

- \*7002 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDERS—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) Considering the nationally-recognised Domestic Violence Orders which will come into effect on 25 November 2017, will the requirement for NSW Police Force officers to contact the relevant state and territory authorities to access a nationally-recognised Domestic Violence Order affect the ability of NSW police officers to charge offenders?
  - (2) What policies and measures have been developed by the NSW Police Force to respond to the implementation of nationally-recognised Domestic Violence Orders?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) The National Domestic Violence Order Recognition Scheme (NDVOS) will not adversely impact the ability of the NSWPF to arrest or detain an offender prior to charging them. The NSWPF has various options available to deal with an offender prior to the charging process for a suspected breach of a nationally recognised Domestic Violence Order (DVO).
- (2) The NSWPF has made numerous changes to its systems and procedures in response to the NDVOS and is continuing to work with other stakeholders, including the courts and police from other jurisdictions, on a common approach to the NDVOS.
- \*7003 CROWN CASINO ALLEGATIONS—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—
  - (1) What evidence does the Government have about casino operations in New South Wales including:
    - (a) 'RAM-setting' to reduce payouts;
    - (b) Minimum odds set on weekends;
    - (c) Automatic betting;
    - (d) Illegal minimum payouts;
    - (e) Machines modified to reduce mid-level betting options;
    - (f) Resetting VIP room machines to erase betting totals; and
    - (g) Popular machines moving to hidden locations?
  - (2) Has the Government had allegations of similar illegal action and tampering in New South Wales?
  - (3) To what extent do these allegations constitute grounds for probity inquiry into casino licence holders?
  - (4) What action will the Government take to assure the community that these types of breaches are not occurring in New South Wales?

Answer-

- (1) The Independent Liquor & Gaming Authority (ILGI) and Liquor & Gaming NSW monitor the casino operator and its activities and have broad investigative and enforcement powers under the Casino Control Act 1992.
- (2) ILGA and Liquor & Gaming NSW have not received any such allegations.
- (3) The Victorian Commission for Gambling and Liquor Regulation (VCGLR) is investigating the allegations against Crown Casino Melbourne. Liquor & Gaming NSW is liaising with VCGLR and will monitor the outcomes of its investigation to consider what, if any, issues arise for casino operator in NSW and what, if any, further regulatory action may be appropriate.
- (4) L&GNSW is monitoring VCGLR's investigation and is actively engaging with the NSW casino operator to understand and test the adequacy of its integrity arrangements and internal controls.
- \*7004 GREEN COVER—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

- (1) What assessment has the Government made of environment and health impacts of canopy and green cover loss in Sydney?
- (2) What assessment has the Government made of the RMIT report "Where Should All The Trees Go" and the impacts of canopy and green cover loss?
- (3) What programs does the Government operate to:
  - (a) Encourage retention of green cover;
  - (b) Support re-greening of urban areas where possible; and
  - (c) Support local councils to re-green?
- (4) What action will the Government take to redress this loss and its impacts?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) No specific assessment of environment or health impacts resulting from canopy loss in Sydney has been undertaken by the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH).
- (2) No formal assessment has been made on the RMIT report.
- (3) Since 2011, the Government has promoted the use of green cover such as vegetated, permeable and reflective surfaces as a low cost strategy to increase community resilience to expected climate change impacts. This has produced resources, networks and research to assist built environment professionals to implement green cover projects.

The Green Cover Demonstration Project and award-winning Technical Guidelines for Urban Green Cover in New South Wales provide practical information to plan, procure and implement vegetated and reflective roofs, green walls, street plantings, permeable and reflective road surfaces, and cool open spaces.

OEH's Urban Greening Masterclasses for local government encouraged peer to peer sharing of urban greening skills and knowledge at local government level, and the Building Resilience to Climate Change grants program funded seven local government projects totalling \$501,860 that minimise heat risks on local communities.

OEH has also undertaken scientific research into the heat mitigation benefits of urban trees and used the government's climate change projections to estimate impacts on urban heat islands in Sydney.

- (4) These programs and research are providing a basis for new programs and actions to protect communities from urban heat and climate change impacts. The Government is also considering future actions under the Climate Change Fund Draft Strategic Plan
- \*7006 CONTRACEPTIVES FUNDING—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) How does the Government fund or assist with the provision of contraceptives?
  - (2) What funding does the Government provide to fund long-acting reversible contraceptives?
  - (3) What funding is provided by the Department of Health to Family Planning NSW?

Answer-

The above questions regarding funding for the provision of contraceptives are a matter for the Commonwealth Government.

In 2017-18 the total NSW Health funding to Family Planning NSW is approximately \$9.7 million.

\*7007 SUMMER HILL ELECTORATE SCHOOLS MAINTENANCE—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Education—

What is the total amount spent on maintenance at each of the public schools in the Summer Hill electorate in each year from 2014 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?

Answer\_

I'm advised that information about school maintenance is published on the Department of Education's website.

- \*7008 TAFE MODERNISATION PLAN—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) How many new jobs will be created as part of TAFE's modernisation plan?
    - (a) Where will the new jobs be located?

(2) How many support staff positions have been cut from TAFE since 2011 (to 19 October 2017)? Answer—

The One TAFE modernisation is about refocusing resources into frontline teaching and learning facilities and is still progressing through the change process. TAFE NSW provides data on staffing as part of its Annual Report, refer https://www.tafensw.edu.au/about-tafensw/annual-report.

\*7010 KNEE REPLACEMENT SURGERY WAITING TIMES—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

What is the waiting time for knee replacement surgery at the John Hunter Hospital?

Answer-

The waiting time for knee replacement surgery at John Hunter Hospital is allocated according to a patient's clinical urgency, with the most urgent patients seen first.

- \*7011 NEW SCHOOL IN NEWCASTLE WEST—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Education—
  - (1) What discussions has the Department of Education had regarding a new school in Newcastle West?
  - (2) What has been the outcome of these discussions?
  - (3) Is the Government funding the construction of a new school at Newcastle West?

Answer-

I'm advised that:

The Department of Education's asset planners met with a representative of the property developer, Core Projects Group, on 17 October 2017. The department has not requested nor been involved in any part of the preparation of the proposed vertical school in Newcastle West. It is understood that the proponent is in negotiations with a number of private school operators for the potential future acquisition and operation of the school should it be developed.

The developer was informed that there is existing capacity to meet forecast enrolment demand within existing local schools in the area.

The department is currently undertaking schools planning at Newcastle in recognition of current and planned residential development within the CBD and surrounds. The department has met and will continue to liaise with key stakeholders including Newcastle City Council, UrbanGrowth NSW, local school communities and the University of Newcastle to inform any future school developments.

- \*7012 POLICE RECRUITS FINANCIAL SUPPORT—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) What financial support is provided to recruits attending the NSW Police Force Academy at Goulburn for:
    - (a) Accommodation;
    - (b) Food;
    - (c) Study resources?
  - (2) Has the Minister explored the possibility of providing recruits with a salary during their time at the Academy, similar to the practice of the Victorian and Northern Territory Police Forces?
    - (a) If so, has the Minister held meetings with the Commissioner of the NSW Police Force to discuss this proposal?
    - (b) Will the Government consider providing recruits attending the Academy with a salary?
    - (c) Will the introduction of a salary for recruits be included in the Commissioner's changes to the NSW Police Force?
  - (3) Are police applicants provided any financial assistance or reimbursement to complete the University Certificate in Workforce Essentials (UCWE)?
    - (a) If not, will the Government consider providing some financial assistance or reimbursement to those students who successfully complete the course?
    - (b) What was the basis for the introduction of the UCWE?
    - (c) Has the introduction of the UCWE requirement led to a decrease in the number of applicants?

Answer-

I am advised:

(1) and (2) Students are invited to apply for tax-exempt Policing Scholarships, which are awarded on the basis of merit and financial need. All students (except repeating students) are eligible for a \$100 per week

accommodation allowance funded by the NSW Police Force during their Academy training. Students are able to book accommodation at the Academy at a cost of \$100 per week, which includes all meals. Students are also given a range of other resources at the Academy.

- (3) The University Certificate in Workforce Essentials (UCWE) is an enabling course designed to prepare future police recruits for the challenges of the Associate Diploma of Policing Practice (ADPP) and to succeed in a policing career. Australian citizens are eligible to defer fees for this course through the Australian Government Study Assist Fee-Help scheme.
- \*7014 CESSNOCK RAIL LEVEL CROSSINGS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) How many infringement notices were issued in the 2016-17 financial year for failing to stop and give way at a stop sign or stop line at a level crossing at the following rail level crossings in the Cessnock electorate:
    - (a) Mulbring Street, Aberdare:
    - (b) McFarlane Street, Cessnock;
    - (c) Vincent Street, Cessnock;
    - (d) Greta Street, Kearsley;
    - (e) Mitchell Avenue, Kurri Kurri;
    - (f) McLeod Road, Loxford;
    - (g) Neath Road, Neath?
  - (2) How many infringement notices were issued in the 2016-17 financial year for entering a level crossing when a train is approaching and there is danger of a collision at the following rail level crossings in the Cessnock electorate:
    - (a) Mulbring Street, Aberdare;
    - (b) McFarlane Street, Cessnock;
    - (c) Vincent Street, Cessnock;
    - (d) Greta Street, Kearsley;
    - (e) Mitchell Avenue, Kurri Kurri;
    - (f) McLeod Road, Loxford;
    - (g) Neath Road, Neath?

Answer—

(1)

Failing to stop and give way at a stop sign or stop line at a level crossing

Suburb	Street	Penalty Notices
Aberdare	Mulbring Street	-
Cessnock	McFarlane Street	-
Cessnock	Vincent Street	-
Kearsley	Greta Street	-
Kurri Kurri	Mitchell Avenue	4
Loxford	McLeod Road	-
Neath	Neath Road	3

(2)

Entering a level crossing when a train is approaching and there is danger of a collision

Suburb	Street	Penalty Notices
Aberdare	Mulbring Street	-
Cessnock	McFarlane Street	-
Cessnock	Vincent Street	-
Kearsley	Greta Street	-
Kurri Kurri	Mitchell Avenue	-
Loxford	McLeod Road	-

Neath Road -

- (1) Data as at 25 October 2017
- (2) Data may change retrospectively as additional notices are loaded, and as penalties progress through the penalty notice life cycle
- (3) Data includes all penalty notices with an offence date between 1 July 2016 and 30 June 2017
- (4) Data includes all penalty notices issued for level crossing offences within the following suburbs
  - Aberdare.
  - · Cessnock,
  - · Kearsley,
  - · Kurri Kurri,
  - Loxford, and
  - Neath.
- (5) Data is only as accurate as the information provided by the issuing agency
- (6) When referring to 'infringement notices', the term Penalty Notice is used.
- \*7015 SERVICE NSW DIGITAL STORES—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) How many Service NSW digital stores are currently open (as at 19 October 2017)?
  - (2) How many of these have had their life extended beyond the initial period announced?
  - (3) How many have been closed because of poor patronage?
  - (4) Are Service NSW staff available at the digital store to provide assistance to customers?
  - (5) How many staff are there currently at the Woy Woy digital store (as at 19 October 2017)?
  - (6) Considering the popularity of the Woy Woy Service NSW digital store, are there any plans to open a Service NSW centre in Woy Woy?

#### Answer-

- (1) One.
- (2) One.
- (3) None.
- (4) Yes.
- (5) The Woy Woy Digital Store is staffed by team members from surrounding service centres on a rostered basis.
- (6) I am advised that Service NSW has no plans for additional sites in the Central Coast region at this time.
- \*7016 COCKLE BAY UPGRADE—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) How many construction firms tendered for the Cockle Bay upgrade announced on 16 October 2017?
  - (2) Was the NSW Procurement Policy Framework consulted prior to awarding the successful tender?
  - (3) Did the successful construction firm meet all the requirements of the NSW Procurement Policy Framework?
  - (4) Was the construction firm's health and safety history considered prior to the awarding of the tender?
  - (5) How will the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation monitor the construction firm's performance, particularly in relation to the health and safety of employees and citizens?
  - (6) What measures will be implemented to ensure there is no repeat of the serious safety hazard that occurred in August when the same construction firm's crane collapsed on Sydney Harbour?
    - (a) Will further safety precautions be considered for the Cockle Bay site?
    - (b) Will representatives from the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation undertake routine safety inspections, in conjunction with SafeWork NSW?

#### Answer-

- (1) Two.
- (2) Yes
- (3) Yes
- (4) Yes. The firm demonstrated it has a Work Health and Safety Management System in place which meets the requirements of the Australian Standard AS/NZS 4801 Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems, and that it has the capacity and skills required to address WHS issues in connection with the works under contract.
- (5) WHS performance is monitored at different stages throughout the project by reviewing the firm's WHS Plan, high risk Safe Work Method Statements and risk registers, and conducting weekly

meetings, regular site inspections and audits of the WHS Plan. DFSI will also regularly review the firm's daily pre-start checklists, toolbox talks, risk register, incident investigations reports and

corrective actions.

(6) DFSI are not able to comment until SafeWork NSW's investigation concludes and a report on the findings is released.

- (a) The crane barge being used at the Cockle Bay site has been subject to two independent inspections. Neither of these inspections revealed any issues in relation to problems or non-compliances.
- (b) DFSI will include a review of daily pre-start safety inspections and regular maintenance records for the crane barge as part of the WHS performance monitoring process.
- \*7017 LOW DEPOSIT HOME LOAN SCHEME—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
  - (1) Will the Government implement low deposit home loan schemes such as those that have been implemented in Western Australia and South Australia in response to the housing affordability crisis?
    - (a) If not, why not?

#### Answer—

The Government's reforms to support first home buyers have been a great success, with over 10,000 individuals and families taking advantage of the Government's First Home Buyers Scheme in the first four months of the scheme.

The Government's Housing Affordability package includes direct support for first home buyers:

- Abolishing stamp duty for first home buyers on existing and new homes up to \$650,000 and stamp duty discounts up to \$800,000. These changes provide savings of up to \$24,740 for first home buyers;
- Abolishing stamp duty on lenders' mortgage insurance, which is often required by first home buyers with limited deposits, providing a saving of around \$2,900 on an \$800,000 property;
- Doubling the foreign investor surcharge from 4 per cent to 8 per cent on stamp duty and 0.75 per cent to 2 per cent on land tax; and
- Removing stamp duty concessions for investors purchasing off the plan.
- \*7019 SHARED EQUITY HOME OWNERSHIP—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
  - (1) Has the Government undertaken any research into the possibility of establishing shared equity schemes similar to those in the Australian Capital Territory to support more home ownership?
    - (a) If yes, will the research be released?

## Answer-

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- Removing stamp duty concessions for investors purchasing off the plan.
- \*7025 CONDITIONS FOR NEW SOUTH WALES POWER STATIONS—Mr David Harris asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) Are licensing conditions for New South Wales power stations currently being reviewed?
    - (a) When was the last time they were reviewed?
    - (b) On how many occasions between 2011 to 2017 have fines been issued for breaches of current licence conditions?

#### Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) This information is available at http://app.epa.nsw.gov.au/prpoeoapp/default.aspx.
  - (a) As above.
  - (b) Nineteen.
- \*7027 BUS AND COACH FACILITIES AT THE NEW NEWCASTLE INTERCHANGE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) Considering the Government has not provided bus and coach facilities at the new Newcastle Interchange, what is the cost of now constructing these facilities at the Newcastle Store site?
  - (2) Why did the Government not include these facilities in their original plan for the Newcastle Interchange?

#### Answer-

- (1) The Government is exploring options to partner with the private sector to build the Bus and Coach Interchange at the former Newcastle Store site. In developing the interchange the Government will look at options to provide the best value for customers and ensure Government expenditure is minimised.
- (2) The Government did not own the former Store building at the time the original Newcastle Interchange plan was developed in 2014.
- \*7028 PAYROLL TAX REBATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
  - (1) How much did the Government allocate in the 2016 Budget for the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme?
  - (2) How much did the Government offer in the 2017 Budget for the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme?
  - (3) Why has the Government allocated \$135 million less?
  - (4) Has the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme attracted less interest from small businesses across New South Wales than was expected?

## Answer-

Figures relating to the Payroll Tax Rebate Scheme are publicly available in the 2016-17 Budget Papers and the 2017-18 Budget Papers.

Since the policy's inception, over 34,000 positions have been created with over 4,000 small businesses applying for the rebate. This is another policy undertaken by the Government to ensure that New South Wales is the best place to live, work, run a business and raise a family.

- \*7029 NATIONALLY RECOGNISED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDERS—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Attorney General—
  - (1) Considering the Nationally Recognised Domestic Violence Orders (DVO) which will come into effect on 25 November 2017, how long will it take for a previously issued (before 25 November 2017) New South Wales DVO to become nationally recognised and declared?
  - (2) Will the amended DVOs need to be served upon the Defendant once they have been nationally recognised?
  - (3) If a previously issued DVO is not served upon the Defendant, what impact will this have upon the ability of Police to enforce the order in another state?

#### Answer—

#### I am advised:

When the National Domestic Violence Order Scheme commences, registrars and courts in New South Wales will be empowered to declare domestic violence orders (DVOs) made prior to 25 November 2017 to be recognised and enforceable across Australia. A declaration can be made immediately after an application for a declaration is received. Courts are aiming to make decisions concerning declarations within 48 hours of receiving the application.

There is no requirement to re-serve the defendant once a declaration has been made. The declaration process does not impact on existing requirements for service of DVOs.

- \*7030 INSTALLATION OF ELEVATORS—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) Does the Government plan to install commuter elevators by 2019 at:
    - (a) Canley Vale Train Station;
    - (b) Yennora Train Station;

- (c) Carramar Train Station;
- (d) Villawood Train Station?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

The Government recently allocated a further \$200 million to the Transport Access Program, boosting our total investment to \$1 billion. Since the program began in 2012, more than 450 projects have been completed or are underway. This includes accessibility upgrades such as lifts and ramps, improved interchanges and commuter car parks. These improvements make it easier for customers to access public transport and provide a more comfortable travel experience.

Stations across the network are currently being assessed to see which ones are delivered under this program. This assessment process uses evidence-based criteria, including current and future patronage. It takes into account the needs and demographics of customers who use the station. It also considers the location of important services, such as hospitals or schools and the accessibility of other transport interchanges. Lifts at Canley Vale, Yennora, Carramar, and Villawood stations will be considered as part of this process.

- \*7031 DETAINED JUNVENILES WITH SPECIAL NEEDS—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) How many detained juveniles have been recorded as having a physical disability while being held in any New South Wales Juvenile Justice Centre in each year from 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) What is the breakdown per Juvenile Justice Centre?
  - (2) How many detained juveniles have been recorded as being mentally ill while being held in any New South Wales Juvenile Justice Centre in each year from 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) What is the breakdown per Juvenile Justice Centre?

#### Answer-

Requests for data on young people in custody with a disability should be referred to the Minister for Corrections.

The Justice Health and Forensic Mental Health Network (the Network) does not collect annualised data on the number of young people with mental illness in juvenile detention.

- \*7032 SPECIAL NEEDS INMATES IN NEW SOUTH WALES CORRECTIONAL CENTRES—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) How many detained inmates have been recorded as having a physical disability while being held in any New South Wales Correctional Centre in each year from 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) What is the breakdown per Correctional Centre?
  - (2) How many detained inmates have been recorded as being mentally ill while being held in any New South Wales Correctional Centre in each year from 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) What is the breakdown per Correctional Centre?

## Answer-

Requests for data on detained inmates with a physical disability should be referred to the Minister for Corrections.

The Justice Health and Forensic Mental Health Network is responsible for delivering mental health care to adults and young people in custody. Data on attended mental health appointments does not provide a direct correlation to prevalence of mental illness.

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- 7033 CORONIAL INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF TIMOTHY ROSS MACPHERSON—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 7034 VACANT HOMES IN WARWICK FARM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

- 7035 INFRASTRUCTURE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7036 CARBON DIOXIDE EMISSIONS—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7037 ONLINE TRADING BUSINESSES IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7038 IMPACT ON MAJOR EVENTS WITHOUT FREE SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
- 7039 ADVERTISING OF FARES TO BE CHARGED ON THE 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
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- 7041 CONSULTATION WITH THE PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY FOR THE ILLAWARRA AND THE SOUTH COAST—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7042 RAISING OF WARRAGAMBA DAM—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—
- 7043 ASSESSMENT OF THE FREE GONG SHUTTLE SERVICE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7044 RESPONSE TO REPORT BY THE NSW OMBUDSMAN—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7045 WOLLONGONG PUBLIC HOSPITAL CARPARK—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7046 COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE GONG SHUTTLE SERVICE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7047 SIGNAGE AT BUS STOPS ALONG THE 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7048 NEW TIMETABLES COST—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7049 FORECASTS OF EXPECTED VEHICLE MOVEMENT CHANGES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7050 REDUCTION OF TRAFFIC AND PARKING PROBLEMS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7051 FORECAST OF PARKING AND TRAFFIC IN KEIRAVILLE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7052 DECISION TO DISCONTINUE THE FREE GONG SHUTTLE SERVICE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7053 MODELLING USED TO DETERMINE THE GONG SHUTTLE SERVICE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7054 GONG SHUTTLE SERVICE BUS DRIVERS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7055 CONSULTATION WITH STAKEHOLDERS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7056 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7057 GREEN VALLEY POLICE STATION—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—

- 7058 STATUTORY REVIEW OF THE VICTIM'S RIGHTS AND SUPPORT ACT 2013—Mr Paul Lynch to
- ask the Attorney General—
- 7059 OWNER-BUILDER PERMITS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7060 NEW POLICE STATIONS AROUND GREEN VALLEY—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7061 INCREASES IN CRIME—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7062 ELECTED MEMBERS OF LIVERPOOL CITY COUNCIL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7063 WARWICK FARM PROPERTIES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 7064 WESTERN SYDNEY METRO—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7065 DREDGING THE HAWTHORNE CANAL—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7066 DREDGING EXPENDITURE IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—
- 7067 CAPITAL PROGRAM REPORT FOR THE STRATHFIELD ELECTORATE—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 7068 CATEGORY C FUNDING TO NORTH COAST SMALL BUSINESSES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7069 PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEES WITH A DISABILITY—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Premier—
- 7070 INCARCERATED WOMEN IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7071 ELECTROTECHNOLOGY CAPSTONE TEST—Ms Prue Car to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
- 7072 NEW TIMETABLES CONSULTATION—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7073 SHARING OF WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7074 OPAL CARD RETAILERS ON THE 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7075 SENIORS OPAL CARDS IN REGIONAL AREAS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7076 AMBULANCE OFFICERS SERVICING THE ORANGE COMMUNITY—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7077 MALDON DOMBARTON RAIL LINK—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
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- 7081 UNEMPLOYMENT FOR PEOPLE OVER 50—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 7082 YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 7083 ENERGY SUPPLY COMPETITION—Mr Philip Donato 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—
- 7084 ELECTRICITY METERING—Mr Philip Donato 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—
- 7085 CHILD AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH UNIT, ORANGE—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7086 ADVICE FROM THE COMMONWEALTH—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—
- 7087 NEIGHBOUR DEVELOPMENT DAMAGE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7088 REGIONAL SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE GRANTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—
- 7089 NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL ELECTIONS PENALTY NOTICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7090 LIBRARIES IN THE WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery 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—
- 7091 BUS SERVICES IN NEWCASTLE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7092 LAKE MACQUARIE CITY COUNCIL ELECTION PENALTY NOTICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7093 MENTAL HEALTH IN THE CENTRAL COAST LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT—Mr David Harris to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for Ageing—
- 7094 PARKING SPACE LEVY—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7095 ENVIRONMENTAL GRANT PROGRAMMES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7096 COMPUTERISED TOMOGRAPHY SCAN SERVICES AT CAMPBELLTOWN AND LIVERPOOL HOSPITALS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7097 LEACOCK REGIONAL PARK—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—

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- 7098 DESTINATION NETWORKS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
- 7099 RE-ZONING HUNTER STREET NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- 7100 VICTORIA STREET STATION UPGRADE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7101 STOCKTON BEACH EROSION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7102 NEWCASTLE TRANSPORT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7103 SYDNEY LIGHT RAIL COMPENSATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7104 FERN BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7105 NEWCASTLE KNIGHTS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—
- 7106 SAFER PATHWAYS PROGRAM—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7107 ICARE TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETER SERVICES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 7108 FIRST REVIEW OF THE WORKERS COMPENSATION SCHEME—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 7109 RELOCATION OF BLACKWATTLE BAY MARINA—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- 7110 5-19 BANK STREET URBANGROWTH NSW—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier—
- 7111 WRITTEN COMMUNICATION TO ICARE CUSTOMERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 7112 M5 TOLL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7113 FLAMMABLE CLADDING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7114 GOVERNMENT OFFICES PARKES—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 7115 MENTAL HEALTH COMMUNITY TREATMENT ORDERS—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for Ageing—
- 7116 WOY WOY DIGITAL STORE—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7117 CROWN LAND—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—
- 7118 SCHOOLS OPEN-PLAN LEARNING—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7119 GOSFORD HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENT—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7120 NEW INTERCITY RAIL FLEET NEWCASTLE LINE—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- 7121 GOVERNMENT FUNDED REFUGES FOR VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE—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—
- 7122 ADULT ENGLISH MIGRANT PROGRAM—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 7123 RUTHERFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7124 PUBLIC SCHOOLS MAITLAND ELECTORATE ENROLMENT CEILING—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7125 WESTMEAD CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL PAEDIATRIC CARDIAC SURGERIES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7126 FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7127 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LIAISON OFFICERS MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
- 7128 BOLWARRA PUBLIC SCHOOL UPGRADE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7129 HOME INTERACTION PROGRAM FOR PARENTS AND YOUNGSTERS SERVICES—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Education representing the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Assistant Minister for Education—
- 7130 TRANSITIONAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS SCHEME—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7131 LOWER HUNTER FREIGHT CORRIDOR—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7132 HEAVY VEHICLE SAFETY STATIONS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7133 WORKERS COMPENSATION DISPUTE RESOLUTION ARRANGEMENTS REVIEW—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7134 CLAIMS ADMINISTRATION MANUAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7135 OAK FLATS STATION PARAMEDICS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7136 ILLAWARRA REGIONAL TRANSPORT PLAN—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7137 SHELLHARBOUR HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7138 RETURN AND EARN COLLECTION POINTS IN THE SHELLHARBOUR ELECTORATE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7139 IMPROVING SYDNEY'S NIGHT TIME ECONOMY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7140 5-19 BANK STREET—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7141 SYDNEY NIGHT TIME ECONOMY MASTER PLAN—Mr Alex Greenwich 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—
- 7142 BAYS WATERFRONT PROMENADE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier—

- 7143 UNSAFE CLADDING IN APARTMENTS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 7144 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND FAMILY VIOLENCE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, Minister for Social Housing, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 7145 DOLTONE HOUSE JONES BAY WHARF COMPLAINTS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—
- 7146 WORKERS COMPENSATION INDEPENDENT REVIEW OFFICE WEBSITE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7147 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE HUNTER NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT—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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- 7201 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES PASSENGER NUMBERS—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
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- 7209 INTERNET GAMBLING—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—
- 7210 LAND DESIGNATED AS A GREEN CORRIDOR—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
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- 7214 SHORE TO SHIP POWER—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7215 TENDERING AND CONTRACTING PROCESSES FOR M4-M5 LINK—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—
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- 7223 SCHOOLS IN THE SUMMER HILL ELECTORATE—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7224 CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7225 BUS PRIORITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

7226 OFFICE OF NEW SOUTH WALES TRUSTEE AND GUARDIAN—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Attorney

- General—
- 7227 NEW SOUTH WALES TRAINS—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7228 NEEDLE AND SYRINGE POINTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
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- 7230 JETTING AND MOORING LICENCES—Mr David Harris to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7231 EDUCATION PROGRAMS EXPENDITURE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 7232 MITCHELL HIGHWAY ROADWORKS AT GUANNA HILL—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
- 7233 PARKING SPOTS AT CARDIFF AND BROADMEADOW STATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7234 WAGE THEFT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 7235 COMPUTERS IN PRISON CELLS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 7236 HUNTER WATER AND NEWCASTLE LIGHT RAIL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 7237 COAL INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask 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—
- 7238 PURCHASE OF THE LIDDELL POWER STATION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 7239 EMPLOYERS MUTUAL LIMITED—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 7240 DROUGHT ASSISTANCE TO AGRICULTURAL CONTRACTORS—Mr Philip Donato to ask 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—
- 7241 BARANGAROO CONSTRUCTION WORKS OUTSIDE STANDARD HOURS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
- 7242 YASMAR JUVENILE JUSTICE FACILITY—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
- 7243 SUMMER HILL AMBULANCE STATION—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 7244 SLAVERY, HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND FORCED LABOUR—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 7245 OPERATIONS OF THE 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 7246 CONTRIBUTTIONS TO THE OPERATIONS OF THE 55A AND 55C BUS ROUTES IN WOLLONGONG—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
- 7247 VISITORS TO WOLLONGONG PUBLIC HOSPITAL—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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7248 PERMANENCY PLANNING ASSESSMENT—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—

What steps have been taken to increase the number of children and young people in out of home care receiving a permanency planning assessment?

- 7249 ROAD SPENDING IN WOLLONGONG ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware of the claim made by the Parliamentary Secretary for the Illawarra and South Coast that the Government has spent \$65 million on Wollongong roads over the last six years?
    - (a) Which projects were being referred to?
- 7250 FREE VEHICLE REGISTRATION THROUGH USE OF F6 FREEWAY (M1 MOTORWAY)—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) How many motorists, in each weight band of vehicle, using the F6 freeway (M1 Motorway) are expected to receive free motor vehicle registration if they spend more than \$25 per week on tolls from 1 July 2017?
    - (a) How many of these motorists will receive free registration in the:
      - (i) Heathcote electorate;
      - (ii) Keira electorate;
      - (iii) Wollongong electorate;
      - (iv) Shellharbour electorate;
      - (v) Kiama electorate:
      - (vi) South Coast electorate?
  - (2) What is the expected average registration dollar saving for eligible motorists by each weight band of vehicle using the F6 freeway (M1 Motorway) in the:
    - (a) Heathcote electorate;
    - (b) Keira electorate;
    - (c) Wollongong electorate;
    - (d) Shellharbour electorate;
    - (e) Kiama electorate;
    - (f) South Coast electorate?
- 7251 ILLAWARRA SERVICE NSW CENTRES—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) How many customers have been served during the period between 1 November 2016 and 1 November 2017 at the following Service NSW Centres:
    - (a) Warrawong;
    - (b) Corrimal;
    - (c) Kiama;
    - (d) Wollongong?
- 7252 ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT AND SERIOUS PHYSICAL ASSAULT OF CHILDREN RELATING TO CARE STAFF—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—
  - How many of the 118 allegations of sexual misconduct and serious physical assault of children in statutory out of home care that were made to the NSW Children's Guardian against care staff and volunteers in the 2016-17 financial year related in part or exclusively to care staff?
- NEW SOUTH WALES SOCIAL 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—
  - (1) How many tenanted residences with vacant bedrooms are there in the New South Wales social

- housing portfolio, as at 22 November 2017 (or the most recent date at which this data is available)?
- (2) What is the total number of unoccupied bedrooms in those residences?
- 7254 EMPLOYMENT INTO GOVERNMENT SECTOR OF VETERANS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) Considering the targets of employment of Veterans into the public service have been exceeded, is there an organised program to target the employment of former service men and women into the public service sector;
    - (a) If so, what is the program called and are their details made public about this scheme?
  - (2) In total, how many former service men and women have been employed into the public sector and during what period of time is this being measured?
  - (3) What is the break-down of former service men and women into the various Government departments:
    - (a) By department?
    - (b) By sex?
- 7255 MANDATORY LIFE JACKET TRIAL—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) When will the findings of the mandatory life jacket trial for rock fishers in the Randwick City Local Government Area be made public?
  - (2) Do you plan to extend the trial in this location?
- 7256 PENALTY NOTICES ISSUED FOR FAILURE TO WEAR LIFE JACKETS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) Since the introduction of the mandatory life jacket trial for rock fishers in the Randwick City Local Government Area (LGA) on 1 December 2016, how many penalty notices have been issued for failing to wear an appropriate life jacket while rock fishing in this LGA (to 22 November 2017)?
  - (2) How many penalty notices were issued for children failing to wear an appropriate life jacket while rock fishing in this LGA (to 22 November 2017)?
- 7257 NUMBER OF DROWNINGS SINCE 1 DECEMBER 2016—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) How many rock fishers have drowned throughout New South Wales since 1 December 2016?
    - (a) Were any of these individuals wearing a life jacket or any kind of personal flotation device?
    - (b) What is the breakdown by Local Government Area?
- 7258 IMPACT OF CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME ON SMALL BUSINESSES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - What impact will the Container Deposit Scheme have upon the viability of small businesses involved in the manufacturing and distribution of bottles?
- 7259 RESCUES OF ROCK FISHERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) How many rescues have been performed on rock fishers throughout New South Wales since 1 December 2016 (to 22 November 2017)?
    - (a) Were any of these individuals wearing a life jacket or any kind of personal flotation device?
    - (b) What was the breakdown by Local Government Area?
- 7260 MANDATORY LIFE JACKETS IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) Does the Government plan to expand laws relating to mandatory life jackets for rock fishers to include other high-risk areas in New South Wales?
    - (a) If yes, which areas and when?
    - (b) If no, why not?
- 7261 ADVERTISMENT OF MANDATORY LIFE JACKETS FOR ROCK FISHERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) How much has been spent advertising the mandatory life jackets for rock fishers trial in the

Randwick Local Government Area (to 22 November 2017)?

- (a) Was this advertised in any other Local Government Areas?
  - (i) If yes, how much was spent on out of area advertising (to 22 November 2017)?
- 7262 IMPLEMENTATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE NEW SOUTH WALES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DEATH REVIEW TEAM REPORT 2015-2017—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—
  - Which recommendations from the New South Wales Domestic Violence Death Review Team Report 2015-2017 will the Government implement?
- 7263 OUR WATCH PROGRAM—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) Why is the Government the only State or Territory in Australia not to sign up to the Our Watch Program?
  - (2) Will the Government give consideration to joining Our Watch following recommendation 1 of the New South Wales Domestic Violence Death Review Team Report 2015-2017?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 7264 WEST CAMPSIE BYPASS—Ms Sophie Cotsis to ask the Minister for Planning, Minister for Housing, and Special Minister for State—
  - (1) When is the expected start date of construction of the West Campsie Bypass that is proposed as part of the Sydenham to Bankstown Corridor Strategy?
  - (2) When is the expected conclusion date of construction?
  - (3) What is the projected total cost of the construction of the West Campsie Bypass?
  - (4) What is the projected cost of the construction of a new road coming off of Second Ave and running parallel with the Cooks River in the direction of Rudd Path?
    - (a) What will this new road connect to?
  - (5) What is the projected cost of the construction of a new road connecting Loch Street and Urissa Street?
  - (6) Which community groups were consulted with before the adoption of the Campsie Bypass policy?
  - (7) How will the Campsie bypass affect public transport routes?
  - (8) Will bus stops be paced on the new streets proposed in the Sydenham to Bankstown Urban Renewal Corridor Map?
  - (9) In what ways will the Campsie bypass lessen congestion on Canterbury Road?
  - (10) Will the section of the bypass that overlaps with a cycling route include a separate bike lane?
  - (11) What is the current traffic flow through the West Campsie Bypass?
  - (12) What is the projected traffic flow through the West Campsie Bypass in 2019?
  - (13) What is the projected traffic flow through the West Campsie Bypass in 2023?
- 7265 TAXI TRANSPORT SUBSIDY SCHEME—Ms Sophie Cotsis to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) How many people currently use the Taxi Transport Subsidy Scheme (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) How many people are expected to use the Taxi Transport Subsidy Scheme in 2019 after the full implementation of the National Disability Insurance Scheme rollout?
  - (3) How many people are expected to use the Taxi Transport Subsidy Scheme in 2023?
  - (4) Can the Government guarantee that the Taxi Transport Subsidy will remain at 50 per cent of the total fare for a maximum subsidy of \$60?
  - (5) What was the cost of the Taxi Transport Subsidy Scheme for the 2016-2017 financial year?
  - (6) What is the projected cost of the Taxi Transport Subsidy Scheme for the:
    - (a) 2017-18 financial year;
    - (b) 2018-19 financial year?
- 7266 NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME AND EARLY INTERVENTION—Ms Sophie Cotsis to ask the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—

- (1) Why is the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) using the Pediatric Evaluation of Disability Inventory Computer Adaptive Test (PEDI-CAT) to diagnose autism in children under the age of six, despite this diagnostic tool not being a clinically approved tool for measuring autism?
  - (a) Was this a decision made in consultation with any Government Department?
  - (b) What regulatory oversight measures are in place to ensure that there have not been misdiagnoses as a result of using PEDI-CAT?
- (2) What safeguards are in place to ensure that the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) is recommending clinically approved and best practise therapies to parents?
  - (a) What safeguards are in place to prevent misleading or giving false information to parents and people with a disability?
  - (b) Why does NDIA recommend as the first option in the funding plan that parents implement the ABA therapy as opposed to a medical expert?
- (3) Is it true that all funding packages for children with autism under the age of 6 are capped at \$22,000?

  (a) If so, does this not undermine the principles of the NDIS?
- (4) What are the key differences between the New South Wales and Australian Capital Territory National Disability Insurance Scheme model regarding funding package re-approval?
- (5) Considering families with children with autism have been waiting up to 18 months before they received funding for early intervention therapy, why are the waiting times so long for early intervention funding when clinical evidence shows that the earlier they receive therapy the better the results?
  - (a) What funding or human resources assistance can the Government provide to assist in shortening the waiting times for early intervention funding?
- 7267 APPLICANTS FOR DIRECTOR POSITIONS—Mr Jihad Dib to ask the Minister for Education—

What is the number of applicants (by region) for the newly created Director positions to commence on the first day of Term 2, 2018 (as at 23 November 2017)?

- 7268 POINT TO POINT SPEED CAMERAS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) Are the point-to-point speed cameras in average speed zones only used to monitor the speed of heavy vehicles as stated on the Roads and Maritime Services website?
  - (2) Are drivers in receipt of a Traffic Infringement Notice still able to obtain free of charge photographs of the alleged camera detection of a breach as set-out on the Roads and Maritime Services website?
- 7269 LIFT SERVICING PLATFORMS 1 AND 2 AT CAMPBELLTOWN STATION—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) What works are being completed as part of the upgrades to the lift servicing platforms 1 and 2 at Campbelltown Station?
  - (2) Is the Minister satisfied that these works could not be completed faster than within the three months beginning 27 November 2017 during which the lift is due to be closed?
  - (3) What action has been undertaken to notify commuters about the lift closure?
    - (a) On what date did this notification commence?
- 7270 ORANGE RAIL ACTION GROUP—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

When can I expect a response to the letter I wrote you on 28 August 2017 on behalf of my constituents, Orange Rail Action Group, regarding five specific issues of rail?

- 7271 NEW SOUTH WALES SCHOOLS WITH STAGGERED LUNCHTIMES—Mr Jihad Dib to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) How many schools in New South Wales have staggered lunchtimes?
  - (2) Which schools in New South Wales have staggered lunchtimes?
- 7272 REGISTRATION COSTS FOR PEOPLE WITH A DISABILITY—Ms Sophie Cotsis to ask the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—
  - (1) How many modified vehicles for people with disabilities are currently registered in each electorate in New South Wales (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) How many modified vehicles for drivers in wheelchairs are currently registered in each electorate in

- New South Wales (as at 23 November 2017)?
- (3) Does the Roads and Maritime Services require any additional annual registration inspections for these vehicles?
  - (a) If so, what additional annual inspections are required and what is the cost of these inspections?
- (4) Are any additional fees and charges for registration levied on vehicles modified for drivers: with a disability?
- (5) Are any additional fees and charges for registration levied on vehicles modified for drivers in wheelchairs?
- (6) Are drivers with a disability charged any additional fees or charges to obtain a licence?
  - (a) If so, what is the current level of these fees and charges (as at 23 November 2017)?
- (7) Do drivers with a newly acquired disability face any additional fees or charges to retain their licence?
  - (a) If so, what is the current level of these fees and charges (as at 23 November 2017)?
- 7273 THE NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME AND SPECIALIST DISABILITY ACCOMMODATION—Ms Sophie Cotsis to ask the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—
  - (1) Considering your answer to LA Q6832, what support processes and actions will the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) need to undertake for people with challenging behaviours in Specialist Disability Accommodation to satisfy the requirement of 'reasonable'?
  - (2) Is there an official process that NDIA must undertake in regards to providing supports for people with challenging behaviours in Specialist Disability Accommodation?
    - (a) If so, will it be made public?
    - (b) If no, what safeguards have been implemented in the absence of such a structure to ensure that no discrimination takes place, no individuals fall through the cracks and that transparency is ensured?
  - (3) If all "reasonable and necessary supports" fail to retain someone with challenging behaviour in Specialist Disability Accommodation, is it the NDIA or the Government's responsibility to find them additional accommodation?
  - (4) What agreements or frameworks has the Department implemented to ensure that upon the failure of all "reasonable and necessary supports" to retain someone with challenging behaviour in Specialist Disability Accommodation they do not become homeless?
- 7274 NEWCASTLE 500—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) Will there be a review of the Newcastle 500 Supercars event?
  - (2) Will residents be able to provide feedback to the review?
    - (a) If so, how will residents be consulted?
- 7275 FUTURE USE OF THE BELMONT INFANTS SCHOOL SITE—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) Are there any plans to sell off the Belmont Infants School site?
    - (a) If yes, when?
    - (b) If not, what are the plans for this site?
- 7276 BICYCLES ON FOOTPATHS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) Will consideration be given to changing existing legislation so that minors under the age of 18 are able to ride their bicycles on the footpath?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 7277 CLASSROOMS USED FOR TEACHING AT TAFE—Ms Prue Car to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) How many classrooms are being used for teaching, and for how often, at the following TAFE colleges:
    - (a) TAFE Campbelltown;
    - (b) TAFE Kingswood;
    - (c) TAFE Padstow;
    - (d) TAFE Queanbeyan;

- (e) TAFE Cooma;
- (f) TAFE Muswellbrook;
- (g) TAFE Singleton;
- (h) TAFE Scone;
- (i) TAFE Kingscliff;
- (j) TAFE Penrith;
- (k) TAFE Randwick;
- (1) TAFE Quirindi?
- 7278 ENROLMENT FIGURES FOR TAFE NSW—Ms Prue Car to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) What are the enrolment figures as of 1 November 2017 for the following:
    - (a) TAFE NSW South Region;
    - (b) TAFE NSW North Region;
    - (c) TAFE NSW West Region;
    - (d) TAFE NSW Western Sydney Region;
    - (e) TAFE NSW Sydney Region;
    - (f) TAFE NSW TAFE Digital?
- 7279 CERTIFICATE 3 AND 4 COURSE FEES—Ms Prue Car to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) Which fees are payable to study certificate 3 and 4 courses at TAFE NSW relevant to the following industries:
    - (a) Automotive electricians;
    - (b) Panel beating;
    - (c) Construction trades;
    - (d) Glazing;
    - (e) Roof tiling;
    - (f) Wall and floor tiling;
    - (g) Plumbing;
    - (h) Cabinet making;
    - (i) Baking;
    - (i) Commercial cookery;
    - (k) Hairdressing;
    - (l) Horticulture?
- 7280 MOBILE TRAINING UNITS—Ms Prue Car to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events, and Assistant Minister for Skills—
  - (1) What is the function of the travelling Mobile Training Units being driven around by TAFE staff?
    - (a) How many of these exist?
    - (b) What courses are these units teaching?
    - (c) Where are these units based?
    - (d) How much has TAFE NSW spent on these units to date (as at 22 November 2017)?
- 7281 SCHOOL CLEANERS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) Why are the employment guarantees for the 7,000 cleaners in New South Wales Government Schools being removed?
  - (2) How many cleaners will lose their jobs as a result of this decision?
  - (3) Will consideration be given to reversing the decision to remove the job guarantee?
- 7282 REGIONAL TRAIN FLEET REPLACEMENT—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) Are Hunter manufacturers considered "regional" and eligible to tender for the new regional train fleet build?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (2) Will Hunter manufacturers be considered to build the new regional train fleet?
    - (a) If not, why not?

- 7283 STOCKTON CENTRE RESIDENT RELOCATION COSTS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware that residents of Stockton Centre and their families say they were given assurances that there would be no cost to them when transitioned into non-government care?
  - (2) Is the Minister aware that the residents are now expected to provide their own furniture?
  - (3) Is the Minister aware that a local private provider has inserted a clause in accommodation agreements that stipulates if any alterations/modifications are required at the group homes, including ramps or hoists, the resident must meet these costs?
  - (4) Will the Minister intervene and honour the commitment given to the families and residents of the Stockton Centre that there would be no cost associated with their transition from the Stockton Centre to group homes?
- 7284 INDEPENDENT COMMISSION AGAINST CORRUPTION FUNDING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Premier—
  - (1) Why has funding been cut to the Independent Commission Against Corruption?
  - (2) Will consideration be given to reversing the cuts?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 7285 STRATHFIELD TRAIN SERVICE—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) How long will it take to travel by train from Strathfield to Central before the timetable change on 26 November 2017?
  - (2) How long will it take to travel by train from Strathfield to Central after the timetable change on 26 November 2017?
  - (3) Which train stations will no longer have express services after the timetable change on 26 November 2017?
- 7286 REMOVAL OF BUS STOPS IN NOVEMBER—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) How many public bus routes will have a bus stop removed in the month of November 2017?
    - (a) Which routes are these?
- 7287 RENT RELIEF FOR AFFECTED BUSINESSES—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - What is the total amount that has been paid in rent relief, or other compensation, to businesses affected by the construction of the Central Business District and South East Light Rail?
- 7288 FREE REGISTRATION UNDER THE VEHICLE REGISTRATION SCHEME—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) If a driver has a toll account across multiple vehicles and spends more than \$25 a day on average over the course of a year, would they have access to the Government's 100 per cent discount on vehicle registration?
  - (2) Can a driver apply for free registration under the vehicle registration scheme for multiple vehicles?
- 7289 TOTAL COST OR BUDGET FOR FREE REGISTATION FOR MOTORISTS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - What is the total cost or budget of the Government scheme to provide free car registration for motorists that spend more than an average of \$25 a week each year in 2016-17?
- 7290 SYDNEY METRO CITY AND SOUTHWEST—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) What is the total budget for the construction works on the 18 bridges, five under bridges and three foot bridges along the Bankstown Line to enable the delivery of the Sydney Metro Southwest?
  - (2) Are these costs within the existing \$11.5 to \$12.5 billion budget for the Sydney Metro City and Southwest?
- 7291 ADDTIONAL FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION TO WESTCONNEX—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Western Sydney, Minister for WestConnex, and Minister for Sport—

Will the Government be required to make any additional financial contribution to WestConnex beyond

- the existing contributions to the Sydney Motorway Corporation?
- 7292 STOCKTON CENTRE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Disability Services—
  - (1) Will the Minister refer the two fatalities of residents that were transitioned from the Stockton Centre to group homes to a Parliamentary Committee?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 7293 COOKS HILL FIRE STATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware of the proposal to relocate a heavy rescue appliance from Cooks Hill Fire Station and two permanent staff to Lambton Fire Station?
  - (2) Is the Minister concerned about the removal of this appliance from the Newcastle CBD given the unknown risk of aluminum cladding on recent developments?
  - (3) Will consideration be given to stopping the removal of this firefighting appliance from Cooks Hill Fire Station to prevent a reduction in firefighting and rescue capabilities in the Newcastle inner city?
- 7294 NEWCASTLE SENIOR SCHOOL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware that the hydrotherapy pool used by the disabled students at Newcastle Senior School has not been operational for 12 months due to lack of funding for its maintenance?
  - (2) When will the pool re-open?
- 7295 MEASURES TO IMPLEMENT RECOMMENDATION 3 IN NEW SOUTH WALES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DEATH REVIEW TEAM REPORT 2015-2017—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General—
  - What measures will the Government take to implement recommendation 3 of the New South Wales Domestic Violence Death Review Team Report 2015-2017 to ensure that Apprehended Domestic Violence Orders are made for an appropriate duration?
- 7296 GOVERNMENT CRITERIA FOR ALLOCATION OF REVERSE VENDING MACHINES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - What is the criteria for the allocation of reverse vending machines under the Container Deposit Scheme?
- 7297 CONSULTATION PROCESS FOR THE CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Local Government, and Minister for Heritage—
  - What consultation did the Government undertake in the process of establishing the Container Deposit Scheme?
- 7298 IMPACT OF CONTAINER DEPOSIT SCHEME AND ADVOCACY FOR SMALL BUSINESSES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
  - (1) What impact will the Container Deposit Scheme have upon the viability of small businesses involved in the manufacturing and distribution of bottles?
  - (2) What advocacy has Minister for Small Business undertaken on behalf small businesses who will be adversely affected by the Container Deposit Scheme?
- 7299 PAEDIATRIC INTENSIVE CARE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) How many Paediatric Intensive Care Beds are available at the Sydney Children's Hospital in Westmead?
  - (2) How many patients have used a Paediatric Intensive Care Bed in the last 12 months?
  - (3) What has been the average stay of a patient in a Paediatric Intensive Care bed in the last 12 months?
- 7300 REVENUE NSW HELPLINE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) What is the average hold-time for someone who calls the Revenue NSW Helpline?
  - (2) How many callers have had their enquiry taken and then called back by Revenue NSW (as at 23

November 2017)?

- (a) What is the average time between the initial call and the follow up call from Revenue NSW?
- 7301 DRONE AIRCRAFT USED IN NEW SOUTH WALES CORRECTIONAL CENTRE AIRSPACE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - On how many occasions have you been made aware of a drone aircraft being used in the airspace of a New South Wales correctional centre?
- 7302 EXISITENCE OF COMMERCIAL DRONE AIRCRAFT—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - When were you first made aware of the existence of commercial drone aircrafts in New South Wales?
- 7303 DOMESTIC WATERFRONT LICENCES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Lands and Forestry, and Minister for Racing—
  - (1) How many domestic waterfront licences have been granted by Crown land in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) What has been the total revenue received by Crown lands for the payment of domestic waterfront licences in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 23 November 2017)?
    - (a) Could you please provide a revenue breakdown over this same period for the following precincts:
      - (i) Far North Coast;
      - (ii) Mid North Coast;
      - (iii) Hunter;
      - (iv) Lake Macquarie;
      - (v) South Coast;
      - (vi) Far South Coast;
      - (vii) Tuggerah Lakes;
      - (viii) Brisbane Waters;
      - (ix) Hawkesbury;
      - (x) Pittwater;
      - (xi) Georges River East;
      - (xii) Georges River West;
      - (xiii) Port Hacking East;
      - (xiv) Port Hacking West/South?
  - (3) How many built structures are licenced in New South Wales under the domestic waterfront licence? Could you please provide a number breakdown of these built structures for each of the following precincts:
    - (a) Far North Coast;
    - (b) Mid North Coast;
    - (c) Hunter;
    - (d) Lake Macquarie;
    - (e) South Coast;
    - (f) Far South Coast;
    - (g) Tuggerah Lakes;
    - (h) Brisbane Waters;
    - (i) Hawkesbury;
    - (j) Pittwater;
    - (k) Georges River East;
    - (1) Georges River West;
    - (m) Port Hacking East;
    - (n) Port Hacking West/South?
- 7304 ANZAC MEMORIAL CENTENARY PROJECT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) Since its inception, how many gold stars have been purchased as part of the 'Buy a Star' project to support the Anzac Memorial Centenary Project?
  - (2) How much has been raised through for the Anzac Memorial Centenary Project?
    - (a) When will the project end?

- (b) How has the project been promoted in the community?
- (c) What has been the total cost of printing and distributing promotional material?
- 7305 UNIMPROVED VALUE OF LAND AND PROPERTIES ELIGIBLE TO PAY LAND TAX—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) What is the total unimproved value of land of all properties eligible for land tax in New South Wales for each financial year from 2010-11 to 2016-17?
  - (2) What is the number of properties and total unimproved value of land of those properties eligible to pay land tax in New South Wales within the following values:
    - (a) Above \$549,000;
    - (b) Above \$1 million;
    - (c) Above \$2 million;
    - (d) Above \$3 million;
    - (e) Above \$3.357 million;
    - (f) Above \$4 million;
    - (g) Above \$5 million;
    - (h) Above \$6 million;
    - (i) Above \$7 million;
    - (j) Above \$8 million;
    - (k) Above \$9 million;
    - (1) Above \$10 million?
- 7306 DOMESTIC LEASES FOR BOATING FACILITIES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) How many domestic leases (for boating facilities) have been granted by Roads and Maritime Services in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) What has been the total revenue received by Roads and Maritime Services for the payment of domestic leases in each year from 2011 to 2017 (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (3) Could you please provide a revenue breakdown over the same period for the following precincts:
    - (a) Sydney Harbour;
    - (b) Newcastle Harbour;
    - (c) Port Kembla Harbour;
    - (d) Botany Bay?
  - (4) How many boating facilities are registered under a domestic lease in New South Wales (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (5) Could you please provide a number breakdown of these boating facilities for each of the following precincts:
    - (a) Sydney Harbour;
    - (b) Newcastle Harbour;
    - (c) Port Kembla Harbour;
    - (d) Botany Bay?
- 7307 ILLUMINATED SPEED SIGNS ON M1—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - (1) In considering the illuminated 100 kilometres per hour speed limit signs on the M1 at Bar Point, when were the signs installed?
  - (2) Since their installation, have the signs experienced any technical difficulties?
    - (a) If so, how many instances have there been in each year of operation?
    - (b) Who is responsible for undertaking maintenance of the signs?
      - (i) How are they informed maintenance is required?
    - (c) Since their installation, which has been the total cost of maintenance on the signs?
  - (3) How long has the speed camera, located just south of the signs, been in operation?
    - (a) During that period, how many motorists have been issued with infringement notices after being recorded by the speed camera exceeding the speed limit?
  - (4) Since its installation, has the speed camera experienced any technical difficulties?
    - (a) If yes, on how many occasions?

- 7308 COMPULSORY THIRD PARTY GREEN SLIP REFUND—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) In considering Compulsory Third Party Green Slip refunds, how will motorists be informed they are receiving a refund?
    - (a) Will the refund be automatically sent to motorists; or will they be required to contact the relevant agencies to access it?
    - (b) How much on average, will each individual motorist be reimbursed?
- 7309 AUTHORITY TO STOP VEHICLES THAT HAVE EXITED GAOL PROPERTY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) In considering the authority provided to Corrections Officers (Officers), under what circumstances are Officers authorised to stop vehicles that have exited Gaol property on public property and roads?
    - (a) What identification are the Officers required to display and provide to the driver and/or passengers that have been stopped on public property and roads?
  - (2) Is this authority to stop vehicles limited to certain or all Gaols in New South Wales?
  - (3) Is this authority to stop vehicles limited to certain or all Officers?
- 7310 NET PROMOTER SCORE SURVEY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
  - (1) In considering the Net Promoter Score Survey, how do participants receive the survey?
    - (a) Can they opt for hard or soft copies?
  - (2) How is it determined when participants will receive the survey?
  - (3) Are participants required to complete the survey within a certain period of time?
    - (a) If they don't complete it within this period of time, is disciplinary action taken against them?
  - (4) Is the survey voluntary?
  - (5) Since its inception, how many surveys have been distributed?
    - (a) Of the surveys distributed, how many were returned?
  - (6) Do representatives of icare follow-up with the participants who have not completed/returned their survey?
    - (a) If yes, by what means is this contact undertaken?
- 7311 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING DWELLINGS—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) Is commencement of construction of Social and Affordable Housing dwellings at Kamira Court, Villawood contingent on the completion of the Fairfield City Council urban design study of Villawood Town Centre?
    - (a) If yes, when will construction commence?
- 7312 STEPS TAKEN TO ADDRESS ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT AND SERIOUS PHYSICAL HARM—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—
  - What steps has the Minister taken to address allegations of sexual misconduct and serious physical assault of children in statutory out of home care that are made to the NSW Children's Guardian against care staff and volunteers?
- 7313 M5 MOTORWAY ENTRY—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - How many vehicles on average, have entered the M5 motorway at Fairford Road per weekday in 2017 (to the most recent point at which data is available)?
- 7314 WEEKDAY ENTRY INTO M5 MOTORWAY—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight—
  - How many vehicles on average, have entered the M5 motorway at King Georges Road per weekday in 2017 (to the most recent point at which data is available)?

- 7315 STEPS TAKEN TO INCREASE NUMBERS RECIEVING A PLACEMENT MATCHING ASSESSMENT—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—
  - What steps have been taken to increase the number of children and young people in out of home care receiving a placement matching assessment?
- 7316 CHARGES LAID FOR HOME CARE STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS—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) How many out of home care staff and volunteers have had criminal charges laid against them, as a result of investigations arising from the 118 allegations of sexual misconduct and serious physical assault of children in statutory out of home care that were made to the New South Wales Children's Guardian against care staff and volunteers in the 2016-17 financial year?
  - (2) What criminal offences that have been laid?
- 7317 DAPTO CONNECTED LEARNING CENTRE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
  - (1) How many people have visited the Dapto Connected Learning Centre since 1 January 2017 (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) What services were offered to these individuals?
- 7318 OPAL TOP UP MACHINES IN THE SHELLHARBOUR ELECTORATE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) How many stations in the Shellharbour electorate have Opal top up machines?
  - (2) Which stations within the Shellharbour electorate do not have Opal top up machines?
    - (a) Are there currently any plans to install Opal top up machines at any of these locations?
      - (i) If yes, where will these be located?
- 7319 HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN THE SHELLHARBOUR ELECTORATE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) What is the current number of students enrolled at each government high school in the Shellharbour electorate (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) What is the total capacity of student enrolments at each government high school in the Shellharbour electorate (as at 23 November 2017)?
- 7320 PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS IN THE SHELLHARBOUR ELECTORATE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Education—
  - (1) What is the current number of students enrolled at each government primary school in the Shellharbour electorate (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) What is the total capacity of student enrolments at each government primary school in the Shellharbour electorate (as at 23 November 2017)?
- 7321 DAPTO STATION—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) What consultation has been undertaken through the Future Transport Strategy regarding Dapto Station and its commuter car parks (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (2) When is the consultation period for the Future Transport Strategy expected to conclude?
  - (3) When are the findings of the Future Transport Strategy expected to be released?
- 7322 SCHEDULED BUS SERVICES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) Considering that the \$126 million contract with Busways Gosford ends on 1 January 2018 what consideration is being given to extending the contract, or issuing a Request for Tender, or engaging some other provider for scheduled bus services from 2 January 2018?
  - (2) Considering the \$108 million contract with Forest Coach Lines ends on 31 March 2018 what consideration is being given to extending the contract, or issuing a Request for Tender, or engaging some other provider for scheduled bus services from 1 April 2018?
  - (3) Considering the \$277 million contract with Transit (NSW) Liverpool ends on 12 October 2018 what consideration is being given to extending the contract, or issuing a Request for Tender, or engaging some other provider for scheduled bus services from 13 October 2018?

- (4) Considering the \$293 million contract with Transdev NSW South ends on 31 December 2019 what consideration is being given to extending the contract, or issuing a equest for Tender, or engaging some other provider for scheduled bus services from 1 January 2020?
- (5) Considering the \$299 million contract with Transdev NSW South ends on 30 April 2020 what consideration is being given to extending the contract, or issuing a Request for Tender, or engaging some other provider for scheduled bus services from 1 May 2020?
- (6) Considering the \$99 million contract with Transdev NSW South ends on 30 May 2018 what consideration is being given to extending the contract, or issuing a Request for Tender, or engaging some other provider for scheduled bus services from 1 June 2018?
- 7323 REPORT ON GOVERNMENT SERVICES 2017—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) Does the Government agree with the Productivity Commission that net recurrent expenditure per secure prisoner/detainee and per offender per day in 2015-16 in New South Wales was \$183.04?
  - (2) What is the equivalent net recurrent expenditure per secure prisoner/detainee and per offender per day at:
    - (a) Metropolitan Remand and Reception Centre, Silverwater;
    - (b) Goulburn;
    - (c) Parklea;
    - (d) Junee;
    - (e) Wellington?
  - (3) What is the expected equivalent net recurrent expenditure per secure prisoner/detainee and per offender per day at new and upgraded centres at:
    - (a) Cessnock;
    - (b) South Coast;
    - (c) Parklea;
    - (d) Wellington?
- 7324 WATER INFRASTRUCTURE—Ms Julia Finn to ask 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) What new storage water dams are being considered for construction?
  - (2) What storage water dams are being considered for upgrade?
    - (a) What budget is envisaged for these works?
  - (3) What is the expenditure on current upgrades of existing storage water dams?
  - (4) What projects in New South Wales have been funded by the National Water Infrastructure Development Fund (NWIDF) to date (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (5) What projects has the Government considered to be eligible to be funded by the NWIDF?
  - (6) What new water infrastructure such as dams, pipelines, managed aquifer recharge projects, water treatment, capture and reuse schemes has the Government prioritised for funding?
  - (7) If the Dungowan Dam priority project is successful, what is the total cost of the project?
    - (a) What contributions to the cost will be made by:
      - (i) the Government;
      - (ii) Users?
    - (b) When will an announcement concerning funding for the project be made?
    - (c) When is construction expected to commence?
- 7325 CONTRACTS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) Of the 319 tenders published on eTendering since 1 April 2015 and individually valued at more than \$10 million, what is the is the total contracted value?
  - (2) What is the total value of variations involving any of those contracts?
  - (3) Which contracts came in under budget?
  - (4) What were the factors which contributed to savings?
  - (5) Which contracts came in over budget?
  - (6) What were the factors which contributed to additional costs?
  - (7) How many of the 319 tenders:
    - (a) Developed approaches and strategies other than a standard fixed term?
    - (b) Were developed following local market research?

- (c) Were developed with a focus solely on price?
- (d) Were developed following advice from external advisors?
- (e) Received 1 or 0 applications?
- 7326 ETENDERING—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance. Services and Property—
  - (1) For the 2015-16 financial year which agencies failed to publish an Agency Procurement Plan on New South Wales eTendering?
  - (2) For the 2016-17 financial year which agencies failed to publish an Agency Procurement Plan on New South Wales eTendering?
  - (3) For the 2017-18 financial year which agencies have failed to publish an Agency Procurement Plan on New South Wales eTendering?
  - (4) What is the annual cost of managing eTendering?
  - (5) What is the average cost to the relevant agency for:
    - (a) Preparing an Agency Procurement Plan;
    - (b) Preparing a Request for Tender (RFT);
    - (c) Completing the tender for an individual RFT?
  - (6) How many tenders were let in 2015-16?
  - (7) How many tenders were let in 2016-17?
  - (8) How many RFTs were opened since March 2015 and were subsequently not tendered?
- 7327 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Ms Julia Finn 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) What was the source of seed capital for the Social and Affordable Housing Fund?
  - (2) What was the balance of the Fund as at 30 June 2017?
  - (3) What is the current balance of the Fund (as at 23 November 2017)?
  - (4) What is the balance of the Fund expected to be as at 30 June 2018?
  - (5) What was the return from investments in the Fund for the 2016-17 financial year?
  - (6) What is the expected return from investments in the Fund for the 2017-18 financial year?
  - (7) What is the total of the payments made to phase 1 service providers in the 2016-17 financial year?
  - (8) What is the total of the payments made to phase 1 service providers expected to be in the 2016-17 financial year?
  - (9) When is an announcement expected to be made concerning phase 2 service providers?
  - (10) What is the total expended from the Fund to date?
  - (11) How many social housing units have been funded by the Fund to date?
- 7328 MEDIA MONITORING—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Premier—
  - (1) In relation to proposed tender RFT-10012851 (Media monitoring services for Whole of NSW Government), when is the tender expected to be finalised?
  - (2) What is the current annual cost of media monitoring undertaken for the Whole of NSW Government?
  - (3) What languages will be covered by culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) media monitoring?
  - (4) What correspondence management will be undertaken as part of the successful tender?
  - (5) Which agencies currently purchase media monitoring services under current Whole of Government Arrangements?
  - (6) Who is the decision maker for the finalisation of the tender?
- 7329 DETAINED JUNVENILES WITH SPECIAL NEEDS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) How many detained juveniles have been recorded as having a physical disability while being held in any New South Wales Juvenile Justice Centre in each year from 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) What is the breakdown per Juvenile Justice Centre?
- 7330 SPECIAL NEEDS INMATES IN NEW SOUTH WALES CORRECTIONAL CENTRES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism, Minister for Corrections, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) How many detained inmates have been recorded as having a physical disability while being held in any New South Wales Correctional Centre in each year from 2011 to 2017 (to 19 October 2017)?
    - (a) What is the breakdown per Correctional Centre?

- 7331 SMALL BUSINESS GRANT PROGRAM—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) How many businesses located in the Summer Hill electorate have received funding under the Small Business Grant program in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2016-17?
  - (2) What has been the total cost of the Small Business Grant program across New South Wales in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2016-17?
- 7332 PROTECTING PERSONAL DATA—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) What measures has the Government taken to improve protection of personal information held by Government agencies from identity theft, hacking or data breaches?
  - (2) What assessment has been made of 'confidential computing', N1 Analytics, distributed databases and other approaches to sharing data while protecting personal information?
- 7333 DROWNINGS SINCE INTRODUCTION OF MANDATROY LIFE JACKET TRIAL—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police, and Minister for Emergency Services—
  - (1) Since the introduction of the mandatory life jacket trial for rock fishers in the Randwick City Local Government Area (LGA) commenced on 1 December 2016, how many rock fishers have drowned within the Randwick City LGA (as at 22 November 2017)?
    - (a) Were any of these individuals wearing a life jacket or any kind of personal flotation device?
- 7334 BOARDING AND DISEMBARKING ON TRAINS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
  - (1) How many commuters on average board trains bound for Sydney at Cardiff station on a weekday morning in the 2016-17 financial year?
  - (2) How many commuters disembark trains on average from Sydney at Cardiff station on a weekday evening in the 2016-17 financial year?

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