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- 5329 LUTATE THERAPY APPROACH FROM THE TREASURER—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- 5330 LUTATE THERAPY APPROACH FROM THE MINISTER FOR FINANCE AND SERVICES—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
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- 5375 WAITING TIMES AT BANKSTOWN-LIDCOMBE HOSPITAL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
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- 5379 RACIAL DISCRIMINATION ACT 1975—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—
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- 5387 REMOVAL OF THE VICTORIA STREET ROUTE 406 BUS STOP—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Transport—
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- 5389 HOME AND COMMUNITY CARE TRANSPORT SUPPORT—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 5390 POLLUTION IN THE COOKS RIVER—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—
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- 5395 MATERNITY SERVICES AT BOURKE HEALTH SERVICE—Dr Andrew McDonald to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Healthy Lifestyles, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 5396 PRIVATISATION OF SYDNEY WATER ASSETS—Mr Barry Collier to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 5397 PROPOSED SALE OF SYDNEY WATER ASSETS—Mr Barry Collier to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—
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- 5400 CONVENER OF THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REVIEW TEAM—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) When does the Government expect to fill the vacancy for convener of the Domestic Violence Review Team?
  - (2) What action has the Government taken to fill this vacancy in 2014?
- 5401 EAST MAITLAND COURT HOUSE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) Does the Government plan to close the East Maitland Court House?
    - (a) If so, why does the Government plan to close the East Maitland Court House?
    - (b) If so, when does the Government plan to close the East Maitland Court House?
    - (c) If so, where will the services carried out by East Maitland Court be moved to?
- 5402 COURT HOUSE OFFICER NUMBERS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) How many Sheriff's Officers, Local Court Officers, and District Court Officers were stationed at the Maitland Court House and at the East Maitland Court House as at 31 December 2013?
  - (2) How does this compare to the number of officers in each role stationed at the Maitland Court House and East Maitland Court House as at 31 December 2010?
- 5403 HOSPITAL COMPLAINTS IN THE HUNTER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - What steps will the Minister take to reduce the number of complaints at hospitals in the Hunter New

**England Local Health District?** 

- 5404 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EYE CLINIC—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
  - (1) Will the John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic be re-opened as part of the planning process on how to improve access to services for ophthalmology outpatients currently being undertaken by Hunter New England Local Health District?
    - (a) If not, why won't the John Hunter Hospital Eye Clinic be re-opened?
    - (b) If so, when?
- 5405 LIGHT RAIL FOR MAITLAND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Does the Government plan to extend the proposed light rail for Newcastle from Wickham to Maitland?
    - (a) If so, is this to allow more freight trains to utilize the existing heavy rail line?
- 5406 ANNUAL MAINTENANCE BUDGET FOR PUBLIC HOUSING PROPERTIES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) What is the 2014 annual maintenance budget for public housing properties in the Wallsend electorate (ref Q.4499)?
- 5407 YOUNG PEOPLE WITH A DISABILITY LIVING IN AGED CARE FACILITIES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for the Illawarra—
  - (1) Will young people with a disability living in state-owned aged care facilities be affected by the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NSW Enabling) Act 2013?
  - (2) Will young people with a disability living in state-owned aged care facilities be able to remain in their current facility?
    - (a) If so, for how long will they be allowed to live in their current facility?
    - (b) If not, why won't they be allowed to live in their current facility?
- 5408 HUNTER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION PROJECTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Infrastructure NSW, Leader of the House—
  - (1) What projects have been funded by the Hunter Development Corporation in the Wallsend electorate since March 2011?
  - (2) How much did each of the Hunter Development Corporation's projects cost?
  - (3) When did each of the Hunter Development Corporation's projects commence and when were they completed?
- 5409 SYDNEY DRUG COURT REFERRALS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—

How many referrals have there been to the Sydney Drug Court since 1 May 2013?

- 5410 CROWN PROSECUTOR POSITIONS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—
  - (1) How many Crown Prosecutor positions in New South Wales were funded as at:
    - (a) 1 July 2013;
    - (b) 1 December 2013;
    - (c) 1 February 2014?
  - (2) How many Crown Prosecutor positions in New South Wales were filled as at:
    - (a) 1 July 2013;
    - (b) 1 December 2013;
    - (c) 1 February 2014?
- 5411 LEGAL AID GRANTS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—

What cuts have been made to legal aid grants in New South Wales to private solicitors from 1 July 2013 to 25 March 2014?

5412 COMMUNITY CORRECTION OFFICER VACANCIES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice—

How many vacancies were there in Community Correction Officer positions in Corrective Services NSW as at:

- (a) 1 January 2013;
- (b) 25 March 2014?
- 5413 LIVERPOOL POLICE STATION REFURBISHMENT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Central Coast, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

When will the refurbishment of Liverpool Police Station commence and when will it be completed?

5414 HOXTON PARK ROAD SERVICE STATION FIRE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—

What was the result of the listing before the Coroner of the matter involving the fire and explosions at the BP Service Station on Hoxton Park Road, Liverpool (ref Q.4987)?

- 5415 NSW BUSINESSLINK—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) How many voluntary redundancies have been accepted by current and former employees of NSW Businesslink since 24 May 2013?
  - (2) How many contractors with NSW Businesslink have had their contracts terminated or not renewed since 24 May 2013?
  - (3) What has been the decline in staff numbers at NSW Businesslink since 24 May 2013?
- 5416 T80 BUS SERVICE OPERATOR—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Transport—

What action do you propose to take concerning the unsatisfactory performance of the operator of the T80 bus service?

5417 HEALTH SERVICES ACT 1997—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—

How many prosecutions have there been under Section 67J of the Health Services Act 1997 in the following periods:

- (a) 1 July 2011 to 30 June 2012;
- (b) 1 July 2012 to 30 June 2013;
- (c) 1 July 2013 to 31 December 2013?
- 5418 PROBLEM GAMBLING IN CABRAMATTA—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) How many problem gamblers are there in the Cabramatta electorate in 2013?
  - (2) What programs are currently available in the Cabramatta electorate to help address the high levels of gambling addiction in the Cabramatta electorate?
  - (3) How much funding did the Government provide to programs that are helping to tackle gambling addiction in the Cabramatta electorate in 2013?
  - (4) How does 2013 funding levels compare to funding in previous years?
- 5419 PUBLIC AND PRIVATE INVESTMENT IN CABRAMATTA—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, and Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services—
  - (1) What programs has the Government established to generate public and private investment in the Cabramatta electorate?
  - (2) How much funding did the Government commit to generating public and private investment in the Cabramatta electorate in 2013-14 financial year?
- 5420 FIRST HOME BUYERS IN CABRAMATTA—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
  - (1) How many first home buyers were there in the Cabramatta electorate in 2010?
  - (2) How many first home buyers were there in the Cabramatta electorate in 2013?
  - (3) What programs has the Government initiated to support first home buyers in NSW purchasing their

first home?

- 5421 DOMESTIC AND FAMILY VIOLENCE FUNDING PROGRAM—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) What agencies in the Cabramatta electorate will receive funding from the \$9.8 million Domestic and Family Violence Funding Program to address gaps in the prevention of domestic violence and early intervention programs?
  - (2) How much funding these will each of these agencies receive?
- 5422 ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE TEACHERS IN CABRAMATTA—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Minister for Education—
  - How many English as a Second Language teachers were employed in schools in the Cabramatta electorate in 2011, 2012 and 2013?
- 5423 NSW POLICE FORCE RESPONSE TIMES—Mr Nick Lalich to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Central Coast, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) What is the expected average response time for the NSW Police Force to respond after a crime is reported?
  - (2) What was the average response time in Cabramatta and Fairfield Local Area Commands in 2013?
- 5424 RELOCATION OF PUBLIC HOUSING TENANTS IN THE ILLAWARRA—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) Is the Minister aware of a report published in the Illawarra Mercury on 22 March 2014 of a proposal by Wollongong City councillor Bede Crasnich, urging the Government to sell Housing NSW land on Cliff Road, Woolongong; Hill 60, Port Kembla; and at Bellambi Point and to relocate public housing tenants to Warrawong or West Dapto?
  - (2) Has the Minister received any representations from Cr Crasnich and Wollongong City Council supporting this proposal?
  - (3) Does the Government plan to adopt Cr Crasnich's proposal?
    - (a) If not, what are the Government's reasons for not adopting Cr Crasnich's proposal?
- 5425 PUBLIC HOUSING TENANTS TRANSFER REQUESTS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
  - (1) Have all of the transfer requests in the Shellharbour electorate for public housing tenants to transfer to accommodation with fewer bedrooms been accommodated (ref Q.4905)?
    - (a) If not, why not?
  - (2) How many public housing tenants in the Shellharbour electorate have requested a transfer to accommodation with fewer bedrooms since the Government announced its new policy?
- 5426 ALBION PARK RAIL BYPASS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
  - (1) How many people attended information sessions hosted by Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) on the Albion Park Rail bypass held on 1 March 2014, 3 March 2014, 8 March 2014 and 10 March 2014?
  - (2) What were the main issues raised by residents who attended the RMS consultation sessions?
  - (3) Can the Minister outline the next stages in the planning process for the Albion Park Rail bypass project, including the dates for commencement and completion of each stage?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 5427 VENUES NSW ACTION—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Sport and Recreation—
  - What specific action has been taken by Venues NSW to enforce its five year agreement with the St George Illawarra Dragons Rugby League Club (ref Q.5067)?
- 5428 HUNTINGWOOD FIRE STATION—Mr Richard Amery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Central Coast, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) How many times was the Huntingwood Fire Station closed due to the Government's "rolling closures" policy from 25 March 2013 to 25 March 2014?

(2) What fire stations covered the Huntingwood district during these closures?

5429 SALE OF PUBLIC HOUSING IN BELLAMBI—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Finance and Services—

Does the Government have plans to sell further public housing properties in the Bellambi area?

- (a) If so, which properties does the Government plan to sell in Bellambi?
- (b) If so, when will this project commence?
- 5430 EXECUTIVE OFFICER, TOURISM INDUSTRY COUNCIL NSW—Mr Nathan Rees to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) Was the position of executive officer of the Tourism Industry Council NSW vacated as recently as two weeks ago?
  - (2) Was the executive officer position abolished or made redundant?

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