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*0921 PALLIATIVE CARE UNITS—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—

What plans are in place to resource Palliative Care Units with specialist nurses to be at par with Victorian resource levels?

Answer—

I am advised that:

Local Health Districts are responsible for determining their palliative care workforce needs. In every facility across New South Wales, nursing and hospital management make an assessment of staffing requirements based on a range of factors including patient safety, clinical needs, professional judgment, previous experience and safe systems of work.

*0922 MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—

Are there any plans to open an 'ice' treatment clinic at Mount Druitt Hospital?

Answer—

I am advised:

Western Sydney Local Health District will provide drug rehabilitation services at Mount Druitt and provide access to an enhanced treatment program that addresses the rising trend in crystal methamphetamine use. This new development is as a result of the election commitment to expand Stimulant Treatment Program across New South Wales.

*0923 ONCOLOGY DEPARTMENT AT MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—

Are there any plans to resource an oncology department at Mount Druitt Hospital?

Answer—

I am advised.

Oncology services are currently provided at both Westmead Hospital and the Blacktown Hospital campus and service patients throughout the District and beyond.

*0924 PARKING RATES AT BLACKTOWN AND MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITALS—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Health—

Why do concessional parking rates apply to Blacktown Hospital and not Mount Druitt Hospital, considering that Blacktown and Mount Druitt Hospitals are considered as one hospital with two campuses?

Answer—

I am advised.

I refer you to LA QoN answer 562.

*0925 FIRE AND RESCUE UNIT, MOUNT DRUITT—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—

Are there any plans to relocate the Mount Druitt Fire and Rescue Unit to the Mount Druitt Hospital grounds?

Answer—

Fire and Rescue NSW has advised me:

A new fire station will be built at Mount Druitt on land that was previously part of the Mount Druitt Hospital grounds.

*0926 CHILD RESTRAINT OFFENCES—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

What educational programs are being targeted in the Mount Druitt electorate to address the issue of motor vehicle child restraint offences, considering Mount Druitt has the highest level of these offences in New South Wales?

Answer—

I am advised:

Transport for NSW launched the 'They're Counting on You' child car seats road safety campaign in June 2014, which promotes the correct use of child car seats to help reduce injuries and deaths. The campaign is delivered through:

- Digital displays
- Outdoor advertising
- Shopping centre advertising
- Radio
- Posters and fliers.

An important part of the campaign is a website specifically targeting the issue (childcarseats.com.au). On the website, parents and carers can compare safety ratings for a wide range of seats. The website also:

- explains the legal requirements for using child car seats in Australia
- has valuable information about using a child car seat correctly
- helps parents and carers find an Authorised Restraint Fitting Station.

The child car seats campaign is also heavily promoted at the local level through the NSW Local Government Road Safety Program; a partnership between Transport for NSW, Roads and Maritime Services and councils. The program funds a full time road safety officer at Blacktown Council. In 2014-15, the Blacktown Road Safety Officer provided members of the community with vouchers which can be used at their local Authorised Restraint Fitting Station to receive a free child car seat installation or safety check. A similar scheme is in place for 2015-16.

***0927 DRIVING LICENCE RENEWAL PERIOD**—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

Why are people aged over 44 not eligible to renew their driving licence for a period of 10 years?

Answer—

I am advised:

All drivers must meet the medical standards set out in the Assessing Fitness to Drive, available on the Roads and Maritime Services website.

For car (class C) and rider (class R) licences, drivers must pass an eyesight test every 10 years up to 45 years of age. An eyesight test must be done every five years and annually from age 75.

***0928 MOUNT DRUITT MOTOR REGISTRY**—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

Are there any plans to close down the Mount Druitt Motor Registry in favour of a proposed Service NSW centre?

Answer—

I am advised:

This matter is the responsibility of the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.

***0929 STAFF AFFECTED BY THE CLOSURE OF MOTOR REGISTRIES**—Mr Edmond Atalla asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

What job guarantees are offered to staff affected by the closure of motor registries which are replaced by Service NSW centres?

Answer—

I am advised:

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This matter is the responsibility of the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.

*0930 TEACHING POSITIONS IN THE GRANVILLE ELECTORATE—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Education—

- (1) How many people in full-time teaching roles are currently employed at public schools in the Granville electorate?
- (2) How many people in part-time teaching roles are currently employed at public schools in the Granville electorate?
- (3) How many people in casual teaching roles are currently employed at public schools in the Granville electorate?

Answer—

- (1) to (3) This request would require an unreasonable and substantial diversion of resources.

*0932 VACANT SOCIAL HOUSING PROPERTIES—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) How many social housing properties were vacant on 1 July 2015 in the following allocation zones:
 - (a) GW1-Parramatta;
 - (b) GW2-Auburn/Granville;
 - (c) GW8-Holroyd?

Answer—

The number of social housing properties that are vacant in any area changes on a daily basis as properties are vacated by tenants and prepared for reletting.

*0933 SOCIAL HOUSING—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) How many 4-bedroom residences are available to people on the social housing waiting list in:
 - (a) The Blacktown Local Government Area (LGA);
 - (b) The Holroyd LGA;
 - (c) The Fairfield LGA?

Answer—

Details about the NSW Housing Register, which includes the number of properties by bedroom category within each allocation zone, are available on the Department of Family and Community Services website at: www.facs.nsw.gov.au.

*0934 SOCIAL HOUSING DEMAND—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

What is the statistical evaluation used to support the decision that the construction of 11 new social housing units will be sufficient to meet social housing demand in the Fairfield Local Government Area?

Answer—

The Government is constructing 27 new senior homes in Smithfield, comprising 16 two-bedroom units and 11 one-bedroom units.

The Member should refer to the media release '\$13 million boost for seniors housing in Western Sydney' dated 27 July 2015.

*0935 SOCIAL HOUSING WAITING LIST—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

How many people are on the social housing waiting list in the Prospect electorate?

Answer—

Details about the NSW Housing Register, including the number of applicants on the register, are available on the Department of Family and Community Services website at: www.facs.nsw.gov.au.

*0936 TAMIL REFUGEES—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

What is the Government doing to provide appropriate accommodation to newly arrived Tamil refugees in

the Prospect electorate?

Answer—

The Federal Government provides support to humanitarian entrants to settle in Australia.

*0937 MULTICULTURAL GRANTS—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

(1) How many multicultural organisations received Government grants in the Prospect electorate in 2014-15 financial year?

(a) What was the average amount of the grants received?

Answer—

Multicultural NSW publishes details of grants in its annual report.

*0938 HIGHWAY PATROL DEPLOYMENTS—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

How many times has the Traffic and Highway Patrol Command been deployed to the suburb of Pemulwuy in the past three months?

Answer—

The NSW Police Force has advised me:

The suburb of Pemulwuy, in the North West Metropolitan Region, is patrolled daily by Traffic and Highway Patrol Command officers performing proactive tasking.

*0939 WELLBEING OF POLICE OFFICERS—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

What programs does the Minister have in place to maintain the mental and physical wellbeing of police officers in the Holroyd Local Area Command?

Answer—

The health and safety of our police officers is paramount and that is why this Government has committed \$17.1 million over four years to expand support for all police officers across NSW by investing in the NSW Police Force Wellbeing Program. This comprehensive program now offers health services, education programs and strategy initiatives with a balanced focus on both physical and psychological wellbeing.

*0940 ALLOCATION OF POLICE OFFICERS—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

(1) What is the current allocation of police officers to:

- (a) The Fairfield Local Area Command (LAC);
- (b) The Holroyd LAC;
- (c) The Blacktown LAC?

(2) What is the current shortage of police officers in:

- (a) The Fairfield Local Area Command (LAC);
- (b) The Holroyd LAC;
- (c) The Blacktown LAC?

Answer—

Authorised, actual and operational strength figures are available on the NSW Police Force website at www.police.nsw.gov.au.

*0941 EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN IN WESTERN SYDNEY—Dr Hugh McDermott asked the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

What initiatives does the Government have in place to encourage the empowerment of women in Western Sydney?

Answer—

I am advised:

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The Investing in Women funding program provides grants to community organisations for projects that lead to the economic empowerment of women through training and employment in non-traditional trades. Further details about the funding program can be found at www.women.nsw.gov.au.

*0942 OPAL CARD TOP UP MACHINES—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) What training will be given to railway station staff in the operation of Opal card top up machines?
- (2) What directives have been given to railway station staff regarding assisting passengers in the use of rail top up machines?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) Station customer service staff will receive face-to-face training designed to familiarise them with the Opal card top up machine's functionality.

When an Opal card top up machine goes live at a station, training staff are on site to provide support and assistance to customer service staff. Follow up support from the training team is also available to staff should it be needed after the machine's installation.

- (2) During the training sessions, customer service staff complete a module in the customer operation of an Opal top-up machine. This module gives instruction to customer service staff on how to assist customers in the use of the machine, including troubleshooting assistance and support.

Additionally, in the lead-up to installation and at the opening of a new Opal top up machine, communication packages are provided to customer service staff.

*0943 HOUSING MAINTENANCE BUDGET FOR THE CHARLESTOWN ELECTORATE—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) What is the Housing NSW maintenance budget in the Charlestown electorate for 2015-16?
- (2) What was the forecast budget for Housing NSW maintenance in the Charlestown electorate for 2014-15?
- (3) What was the revised budget for Housing NSW in the Charlestown electorate maintenance for 2014-15?

Answer—

Information about maintenance expenditure is outlined in the NSW Land and Housing Corporation Annual Report which is available on the Department of Family and Community Services website at: www.facs.nsw.gov.au.

*0944 HOUSING NSW MAINTENANCE BUDGET—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

- (1) What is the Housing NSW maintenance budget for 2015-16?
- (2) What was the forecast budget for Housing NSW maintenance for 2014-15?
- (3) What was the revised budget for Housing NSW maintenance for 2014-15?

Answer—

Information about the maintenance budget for NSW Land and Housing Corporation properties is outlined in the Government budget papers.

*0945 ST ANDREWS ROAD NEAR VARROVILLE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- (1) Is Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) planning to convert St Andrews Road (near Varroville) into a sub arterial road?
- (2) Is RMS planning any upgrade of St Andrews Road?
 - (a) If so, what is the timeline for this upgrade?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) and (2) No.

*0946 CRIME OF CONSORTING—Ms Jodi McKay asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

- (1) Since April 2012, how many people have been:
- Arrested for the crime of consorting;
 - Convicted for the crime of consorting;
 - Issued with a warning for the crime of consorting?

Answer—

The Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (BOCSAR) analyses NSW recorded crime statistics and provides these for a range of offences.

*0947 BODY CAMERAS—Ms Jodi McKay asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

How many body cameras will be operational in each of the years from 2015-16 to 2017-18?

Answer—

The Government has allocated \$4 million over two years to the NSW Police Force for its rollout of the first tranche of body worn cameras.

This allocation includes \$3.65 million in the 2015-16 Budget.

*0948 INTERSECTION OF AUSTRALIA AVENUE, HOMEBUSH BAY DRIVE AND UNDERWOOD ROAD—Ms Jodi McKay asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

What is the Government doing to upgrade the roundabout at the intersection of Australia Avenue, Homebush Bay Drive and Underwood Road?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Government has made an election commitment of \$2 million towards improvements at the intersection of Australia Avenue, Homebush Bay Drive and Underwood Road to improve safety and congestion.

Investigations are underway to consider options to reduce congestion at the roundabout. The community will be given the opportunity to give feedback as investigations continue.

*0949 PAEDIATRIC HOSPITAL IN CAMPBELLTOWN—Mr Greg Warren asked the Minister for Health—

What is the timeline and completion date for the promised paediatric hospital to be built in Campbelltown as announced during the 2015 State Election campaign by the Government?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Government is proud to have delivered the \$134 million Stage 1 redevelopment of Campbelltown Hospital. Patients are now receiving care in the new multi storey clinical services building.

The Government will deliver on its commitment of a \$300 million injection of funds to begin the Campbelltown Hospital stage 2 major redevelopment. The \$300 million includes provision for the planning for enhanced paediatric services in south west Sydney.

*0950 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE IN CAMPBELLTOWN—Mr Greg Warren asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

How many transactions were completed at the Roads and Maritime Services office in Campbelltown during the 2014-15 financial year?

Answer—

I am advised:

This matter is the responsibility of the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.

*0951 SOUTHWEST RAIL LINK EXTENSION—Mr Greg Warren asked the Minister for Planning—

- (1) Will the Minister meet with a delegation of residents (including residents from the Wildfire estate) to

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- allow them to voice their concerns regarding the proposed Southwest Rail Link extension?
- (2) How does the Government plan to assist and compensate residents of Wildfire estate and other effected residents for stress and potential financial loss?
 - (3) Were residents, local Members of Parliament and other stakeholders effected by the Southwest Rail Link extension notified and communicated with regarding the extension?
 - (a) If so, on what date did this occur?
 - (b) If so, what type of notification and what form of communication was provided?

Answer—

I am advised that these questions should be directed to the Minister for Transport.

*0952 DIRECTOR OF TAFE—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Did the current Director of TAFE, South Western Sydney Institute previously retire from the institution now known as TAFE under what is known as the 'old super scheme'?
- (2) Is that Director now employed under additional contractual arrangements receiving payments in addition to his previous superannuation benefits?

Answer—

This question should be directed to the Hon John Barilaro MP, Minister for Skills.

*0953 INVESTIGATION INTO LIFELINK PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

What investigation has been carried out into the Lifelink Program and the management of it by staff in your Department?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice there has been a post implementation review of the roll-out of the Lifelink project.

*0954 DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROSECUTIONS ACT—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) How many requests have you received under section 29 of the Director of Public Prosecutions Act since becoming Attorney General?
 - (a) When were such requests received?
 - (b) To what did such requests relate?

Answer—

From time to time, where it is appropriate in the ordinary course of the exercise of the Director of Public Prosecution's duties, matters are referred to the Attorney General to exercise the Attorney General's corresponding functions under section 29 of the Director of Public Prosecutions Act 1986.

*0955 BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Are certificates issued by the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages any longer checked against applications for accuracy before being sent to customers?
 - (a) Is customer identification checked?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that prior to printing certificates, Registry staff review a preview of the certificate in Lifelink to check its accuracy before it is sent to the customer.

I am further advised that customer identification is checked by Registry staff to ensure entitlement and proof of identity requirements are met.

*0956 AUDIT BY PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Did the previous Attorney direct that PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) conduct a full audit of processes at the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages?
- (2) Did this audit by PwC occur?
 - (a) If not, why not?
 - (b) Was this audit subsequently conducted internally?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that it is not aware of any direction of the former Attorney General directing a full audit of processes at the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages.

*0957 BARBARO V R [2014] HCA 2—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) What is your response to the High Court decision in *Barbaro v R* [2014] HCA 2 disavowing the permissibility of the prosecution agreeing in charge negotiations to submit to the court a specific range for the appropriate sentence?
- (2) What is your response to the NSW Law Reform Commission suggestion in Report No 141 at 3.67 (p55) to refer this issue to the NSW Sentencing Council for review?

Answer—

I am advised, following the case of *Barbaro v R* [2014] HCA 2, that no legislative intervention is required at this time.

The Government is currently considering the recommendations of the NSW Law Reform Commission Report No 141. The Department of Justice will provide me with advice for consideration on the issues raised.

*0958 LIFELINK—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

What was the total cost of the introduction of the Lifelink Program in your Department?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that the total cost of the Lifelink Project was \$17.3 million.

*0959 CHANGE OF NAME APPLICATIONS—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) Did an external audit recommend in or about 2009 that two Departmental Officers should check change of name applications in the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages?
 - (a) Was that recommendation immediately implemented?
 - (b) Has that position now been altered so that only one officer checks the application?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that two people check change of name applications prior to registration.

*0960 APPLICATIONS TO THE SUPREME COURT—Mr Paul Lynch asked the Attorney General—

- (1) In the period 2 April 2015 to 11 August 2015, how many applications to the Supreme Court have you authorised to detain sexual offenders after the expiry of the period of imprisonment to which they were sentenced?
- (2) In the period 2 April 2015 to 11 August 2015, how many applications to the Supreme Court have you authorised to detain violent offenders after the expiry of the period of imprisonment to which they were sentenced?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that the Crown Solicitor is instructed by the Office of General Counsel, Department of Justice, in respect of the preparation and bringing of applications under the Crimes (High Risk Offenders) Act 2006 on behalf of the State.

I am further advised that in the period 2 April 2015 to 11 August 2015 the Crown Solicitor received instructions from the Office of General Counsel to commence two applications for continuing detention orders in respect of high risk sexual offenders and two applications for continuing detention orders in respect of high risk violent offenders.

*0961 NEWCASTLE INNER CITY BYPASS—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- (1) What is the current status of the Newcastle Inner City Bypass Stage 5 plans?
- (2) Will Stage 5 plans be put on public display in the near future?
 - (a) If so, when?
- (3) What is the expected commencement date of works on Stage 5?
- (4) What is the expected completion time for Stage 5?

Answer—

I am advised:

Planning is well under way for the 3.4 kilometer final section of Newcastle Inner City bypass between

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Rankin Park and Jesmond.

In the 2014-15 Budget, the Government committed \$150 million from Restart NSW towards construction of the \$280 million stage five section from Rankin Park to Jesmond. \$4 million has been allocated in the 2015-16 Budget to continue planning for stage five.

Roads and Maritime Services expects to display the refined concept design for community and stakeholder comment later in 2015, with construction to start in 2017 and open to traffic by the end of 2019.

*0962 WALLSEND MOTOR REGISTRY OFFICE—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- (1) Is there a plan to convert the Wallsend Motor Registry office to a Service NSW Centre?
 - (a) If so, when is this to occur?
 - (b) If so, has there been any notification or consultation regarding this change?

Answer—

I am advised:

This matter is the responsibility of the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.

*0963 WARATAH LOCAL AREA COMMAND—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

- (1) What was the total number of police officers stationed at Waratah Police Station as at 30 June 2014 and 30 June 2015?
- (2) Will any additional police officers be allocated to the Waratah Local Area Command at the next rollout of new police officers?
 - (a) If not, why not?

Answer—

I am advised:

Police officers are allocated to Local Area Commands, with the Commander responsible for staffing at individual police stations. This can vary from day to day depending on operational requirements.

The allocation of police resources is determined by the Commissioner based on operational need.

Waratah Local Area Command has not existed since 2008.

0964 STUDENT ENROLMENTS AT GLENDALE TAFE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—

*0965 OPAL CARD MACHINES—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) Will the Government increase the outlets where an Opal card can be purchased or topped up, considering the recent announcement that no paper pensioner excursion tickets will be available for purchase?
- (2) Will the Government ensure that there is an Opal card outlet in all suburbs, considering some suburbs in the Wallsend electorate do not have access to an outlet to obtain or top up an Opal card?
 - (a) If not, why not?

Answer—

I am advised:

There are currently 2,000 Opal retailers, which is more than 50 per cent higher than the number of paper ticket retailers.

Within the Wallsend electorate there are:

- 12 Opal retailers, compared to 7 paper ticket resellers.
- more Opal retailers than 12 months ago.

Anyone can order an Opal card 24 hours a day from opal.com.au or by calling 13 6725 (13 OPAL) and get the card mailed to their home.

Customers can add value to their Opal card:

- by setting up an automatic top-up

- by logging into their Opal card account
- by calling Opal Customer Care on 13 67 25 (13 OPAL)
- at Opal retailers
- by using Opal top-up machines at select transport locations

Opal information kiosks are also being rotated across key shopping centre locations. Kiosk locations are based on senior/pensioner customer patronage. Opal information teams will also present at community venues such as retirement villages, on request.

*0966 GENERALIST COUNSELLING SERVICES—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Health—

- (1) Since the closure of the generalist counselling services by Hunter New England Local Health District (HNELHD) has HNELHD followed up with those people that were using the service to ensure that they have found an alternate service?
 - (a) If so, how many of these people have successfully found an alternative?
 - (b) If not, why has HNELHD not followed up with these people?

Answer—

I am advised.

The Hunter New England LHD put multiple strategies in place in 2014 to ensure past counselling clients were put in touch with a wide range of non-government providers.

The Hunter New England LHD believes these strategies have been successful in transitioning clients to new counsellors.

*0967 DETERMINATION OF THE AUSTRALIAN ENERGY REGULATOR—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—

- (1) Why did the Government appeal the determination of the Australian Energy Regulator made in April 2015?
 - (a) On what basis was this appeal made?

Answer—

The decision to appeal the Australian Energy Regulator determination was made by the network businesses, not by the Government.

*0968 KEYS AND KEY CARDS USED TO ACCESS GOVERNMENT PROPERTY—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) Between 30 June 2011 and 30 June 2015, how many keys or key cards which allow Government employees to access Transport for NSW property, trains or rail corridors were:
 - (a) Lost;
 - (b) Stolen;
 - (c) Recovered?
- (2) What was the total cost for replacement of keys or key cards that were not recovered?

Answer—

I am advised:

Data is not available as Sydney Trains does not differentiate between lost, stolen or recovered cards.

*0969 INCIDENTS OF TRESPASS—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

How many incidents of trespass have occurred on New South Wales trains and rail corridors in each of the years from 2011 to 2015 (to 11 August 2015)?

Answer—

I am advised:

The number of reported trespass incidents on trains and in rail corridors within the Railcorp network from 2011 is:

- 2011 - 6115
- 2012 - 6477

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network from 2013 is:

- 2013 - 3785
- 2014 - 2575
- 2015 (to 8 September) - 1469

The number of reported trespass incidents on trains and in rail corridors within the NSW Trains network from 2013 is:

- 2013 - 1975
- 2014 - 2085
- 2015 (to 8 September) - 985.

*0970 FREE WI-FI ON THE TRANSPORT NETWORK—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) Which transport services currently have free wi-fi?
- (2) What plans does the Government have to expand the trial of free wi-fi on train services to other parts of New South Wales?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) Central and Circular Quay stations. There are no Wi-Fi hot spots on the train services operated by Sydney Trains and NSW Train link.
- (2) The option of fitting Wi-Fi to the new Intercity Fleet will be evaluated as part of the procurement process currently underway. There are no current plans for Wi-Fi to be fitted to the existing Sydney Trains fleet.

The Government is ordering six brand new modern ferries that will include Wi-Fi access.

*0971 FARE EVASION FINES—Mr Ryan Park asked the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- (1) How much has the Government raised from Fare Evasion fines in each of the years from 2012 to 2015 (to 31 July 2015)?
- (2) Are all fares reinvested back into the Transport and Infrastructure budget?

Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) This matter is the responsibility of the Minister for Finance, Services and Property.
- (2) Yes.

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0972 UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

0973 HUNTER NEW ENGLAND LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—

0974 SHAKTI PROPOSAL—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

0975 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL SHUTTLE BUS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Health—

0976 PERCENTAGE OF LOCAL CONTENT—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

0977 PENSIONER EXCURSION TICKETS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

- 0978 SENIORS CARDS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- *0979 HOUSING NSW ASSETS—Ms Julia Finn asked the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- (1) Were any Housing NSW assets in the GW1-Parramatta, GW2-Auburn/Granville and GWS-Holroyd allocation zones sold in each of the financial years from 2012-13 to 2015-16 (to 12 August 2015)?
 - (a) If so, how many assets have been sold during this period?
 - (b) How much has the Government raised from these sales?
 - (c) Will the proceeds be used to restock Housing NSW?
 - (i) If so, where will the new stock be located and what type of property will the new stock consist of?
 - (2) Are there any Housing NSW asset sales planned in the GW1-Parramatta, GW2-Auburn/Granville and GWS-Holroyd allocation zones for 2015-16?
 - (a) If so, how many assets will be sold during this period?
 - (b) How much does the Government expect to raise from these sales?
 - (c) Will the proceeds be used to restock Housing NSW?
 - (i) If so, where will the new stock be located and what type of property will the new stock consist of?

Answer—

The Department of Family and Community Services (FACS) has an ongoing program to review its social housing assets to ensure that they meet the needs of social housing tenants and priorities within the social housing system.

Information about sales is in the NSW Land and Housing Corporation's Annual Report which is available on the FACS website at: www.facs.nsw.gov.au.

Proceeds from all property sales will be reinvested into the social housing system across New South Wales.

- 0980 PROCUREMENT OF AUSTRALIAN STEEL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 0981 CLEANING OF TRAINS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 0982 CHINA NORTH RAILWAY—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 0983 MAITLAND HOSPITAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 0984 TRAIN SUPPORT FACILITY AT HEXHAM—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 0985 LOWER HUNTER HOSPITAL AT METFORD—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 0986 NEW LOWER HUNTER HOSPITAL AT METFORD—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 0987 STAFFING IN EMERGENCY DEPARTMENTS ON PUBLIC HOLIDAYS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- *0988 MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

With reference to legislation changes and the NSW Police Force no longer attending motor vehicle accidents when all vehicles are drivable and no injuries occurred:

- (1) What should a person involved in accident do if they believe the other driver/s to be:
 - (a) Affected by drugs, including alcohol?
 - (b) Unlicensed, un-registered or uninsured?
- (2) How will the NSW Police Force satisfy themselves as to whether or not a drug, including alcohol, was a relevant factor at an accident site if police officers do not attend and carry out testing?
- (3) What is the best way for a person involved in an accident to determine whether or not the other vehicle/s are registered, considering that registration stickers are no longer issued or used in New South Wales?

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- (4) If a driver involved in accident is determined to be unlicensed, after investigation by an insurance company, will that driver receive a penalty notice from the NSW Police Force if the insurance company raises their concerns?

Answer—

The NSW Police Force has advised me:

Information about NSW Police Force attendance at motor vehicle collisions is available on the NSW Police Force website at www.police.nsw.gov.au.

- 0990 CESSNOCK AND KURRI KURRI TAFE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 0991 SEPTIC PUMP-OUT SUBSIDY—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 0992 SEWERAGE INFRASTRUCTURE—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 0993 ADMINISTRATION OF THE SEWERAGE PUMP-OUT SUBSIDY—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 0994 BUDGEWOI LAKE—Mr David Harris to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 0995 M4 EAST TUNNEL—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 0996 SYDNEY MOTORWAYS CORPORATION—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

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- 0997 CENTRAL COAST FIRE FIGHTERS—Mr David Harris to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- *0998 JOHN BROGDEN REPORT—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—

- (1) What deadline has been set for the John Brogden report regarding options for the implementation of the New South Wales Stadia Strategy?

- (a) If no deadline has been set, when is the Government expecting the report to be submitted?

Answer—

The Government received this report in August 2015 and it was published on the Sport and Recreation website on 4 September 2015.

- 0999 RESIGNATION RATE OF BEGINNING TEACHERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1000 TRAIN CANCELLATIONS ON THE INNER WEST AND SOUTH LINE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1001 PUBLIC HOUSING UNITS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1002 URINALYSIS TESTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1003 SMOKING BAN IN NEW SOUTH WALES PRISONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—

- 1004 COST OF NECESSARY AIDS TO QUIT SMOKING—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1005 MOBILE PHONES IN NEW SOUTH WALES CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1006 INMATE TO STAFF RATIO—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1007 OPAL CARD RETAILERS—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1008 COMPANION ANIMALS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1009 INSURANCE PREMIUM FOR BANKSTOWN CUSTOMERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 1010 CONVERSION OF SOCIAL HOUSING COMPLEXES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1011 SOCIAL HOUSING TENANCY TERMINATION ORDER—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1012 FUNDING FOR THE LAW SOCIETY OF NSW AND COMMUNITY LEGAL CENTRES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1013 BIRRONG RAILWAY STATION UPGRADE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1014 BIRRONG RAILWAY STATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1015 TAXI PLATES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1016 PARRAMATTA TO BANKSTOWN LIGHT RAIL LINE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- *1017 REMOVAL OF ASBESTOS—Mr Ron Hoenig asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- (1) Is the Alexandria Landfill site subject to a New South Wales Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) clean up notice, particularly for the removal of asbestos?
 - (2) Has the EPA issued a licence to the WestConnex Delivery Authority to remove asbestos from the Alexandria tip site?
 - (3) Were the remedial works to remove asbestos at the Alexandria tip site undertaken on or after 12 August 2015 completed under a valid EPA licence?
 - (a) If so, when were the licence/s issued by the EPA?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

- (1) A clean up notice was issued to the previous occupier of the site for the safe removal of a specific stockpile. WestConnex Delivery Authority took over ownership of the site prior to the works being completed. The EPA is currently finalising a new clean up notice to WestConnex Delivery Authority to require it to complete the works.
- (2) and (3) The removal of asbestos waste does not require an environment protection licence as a scheduled activity under Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997.
The transport and disposal of asbestos waste must be undertaken in accordance with clauses 77 to 81 of the Protection of the Environment Operation (Waste) Regulation 2014.

- *1018 WOOD SMOKE REDUCTION PROGRAM—Mr Jamie Parker asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

With reference to the Wood Smoke Reduction Program which provides incentives to replace wood

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heaters with cleaner forms of heating:

- (1) How many heaters were removed in 2013 and 2014?
- (2) What was the measured change in particle pollution during the winter months in 2013 and 2014?
- (3) Does the Minister have a timeline for implementing more extensive wood heater replacement, both by voluntary buyback/rebate and mandatory replacement at time of selling house, considering recommendations in the Economic Appraisal of Wood Smoke Control Measures- Final Report (Office of Environment and Heritage, June 2011)?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

- (1) Twenty-nine wood heaters were removed in 2013 and 52 in 2014, making 81 in total.
- (2) The reduction in particle pollution achieved by removing 81 wood heaters is estimated to be 2.43 tonnes per annum.
- (3) The EPA is currently undertaking a community attitudes survey pilot to inform any future wood smoke reduction initiatives.

1019 EQUAL REMUNERATION ORDER—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Attorney General—

1020 FUNDING FOR COMMUNITY LEGAL CENTRES—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Attorney General—

*1021 COMMUNITY LEGAL SERVICES INFORMATION SYSTEM—Ms Yasmin Catley asked the Attorney General—

Will the Government commit to funding the data collection system (Community Legal Services Information System) for the 2016-17 financial year?

Answer—

I am advised by the Department of Justice that the Community Legal Services Information System is owned and has been funded by the Commonwealth Attorney General's Department and the question should be directed to the Commonwealth Attorney General.

1022 TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ANALYSIS FOR THE NEWCASTLE LIGHT RAIL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

1023 REVITALISATION OF NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—

1024 REVITALISING NEWCASTLE CONSULTATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—

1025 OLD NEWCASTLE BOWLING CLUB—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—

1026 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL SHUTTLE BUS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Health—

1027 AWABAKAL LAND COUNCIL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

1028 NEWCASTLE LIGHT RAIL ROUTE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

1029 TRAIN SERVICE BETWEEN NEWCASTLE AND SYDNEY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

1030 LEASE OF THE PORT OF NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

1031 OPAL CARDS IN THE GRANVILLE ELECTORATE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

1032 SERVICE NSW—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—

1033 PROPOSED CHANGES TO STRATA LAWS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

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- 1034 CORROBOREE SYDNEY FESTIVAL—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1035 WOLLI CREEK REGIONAL PARK—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1037 VOICES OF WEST WARD—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1038 WILLIAMTOWN AND SURROUNDS RESIDENT'S ACTION GROUP—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1039 SOUTH TOMAREE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INC—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1040 HUNTER KOALA PRESERVATION SOCIETY—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1041 BOOMERANG PARK ACTION GROUP—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1042 COMPLAINTS FROM INDIVIDUALS IN THE PORT STEPHENS AREA—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1043 WOOLLOOMOOLOO PROPERTY SERVICES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1044 GREAT KOALA NATIONAL PARK—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1045 PROTECTING NORTH COAST KOALAS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1046 STAMP DUTY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1047 ACCESSIBLE AND ADAPTABLE HOUSING SUPPLY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1048 PREVENTING RACISM—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1049 AMBULANCE SERVICES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1050 CYCLEWAYS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1051 NON-GOVERNMENT DISABILITY ADVOCACY FUNDING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1052 SOCIAL HOUSING IN THE BLUE MOUNTAINS—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1053 WOMEN'S REFUGES IN THE NEPEAN-BLUE MOUNTAINS AREA—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1054 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1055 MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS IN THE BLUE MOUNTAINS—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1056 SPECIALIST SERVICES—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1057 VICTIMS COMPENSATION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General—

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- *1059 REPORTS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
How many reports of domestic violence were received and recorded by Maitland Police in each of the years from 2011 to 2015?
Answer—
The Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research (BOCSAR) analyses NSW recorded crime statistics and provides these for a range of offences.
- 1060 PRIMARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1061 KU MOBILE PRE-SCHOOL FUNDING—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1062 APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1063 IT STOPS HERE SAFER PATHWAY—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1064 NEWCASTLE RAIL LINE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1065 LYME DISEASE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1066 PORT STEPHENS COUNCILORS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Local Government—

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- 1067 NEW SOUTH WALES MOTOR REGISTRIES—Mr Greg Piper to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1068 CAMPBELLTOWN ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES REGISTRY—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1069 ALTERNATIVE CYCLE ROUTES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1070 SOCIAL HOUSING PROPERTIES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1071 TEACHING POSITIONS IN GRANVILLE ELECTORATE PUBLIC SCHOOLS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1072 GOING HOME STAYING HOME—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1073 WAIT TIME AT MOTOR REGISTRIES—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1074 RED BULL AIR RACE—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1075 HATZISTERGOS REVIEW OF BAIL LAWS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1076 ACTING REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1077 DISCIPLINARY JURISDICTION—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

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- 1078 LIMITATION PERIODS IN CIVIL CLAIMS FOR CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1079 CRIMINAL CASE CONFERENCING—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1080 YOUTH FRONTIERS PROGRAM—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1081 TRANSCRIPTION TELECOMMUNICATION INTERCEPTION—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1082 PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS REPORT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1083 DRUG ANALYSIS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1084 MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL MRI MACHINE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1085 COMPULSORY THIRD PARTY INSURANCE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1086 BLACKTOWN HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1087 CLASS SIZES IN SCHOOLS IN THE WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1088 REVIEW OF NEWCASTLE BUS ROUTES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1089 WALLSEND AFTER HOURS MEDICAL SERVICE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1090 GOVERNMENT ASSETS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1091 NEWCASTLE LOCAL AREA COMMAND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1092 CRIME IN THE WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1093 WALLSEND MOTOR REGISTRY—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1094 HOUSING NSW PROPERTIES IN THE HUNTER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1095 MUSHROOM FARM IN THE GLENBROOK RAILWAY TUNNEL—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1096 MAITLAND PCYC UPGRADE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1097 MAITLAND PCYC—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1098 EDGECLIFF RAILWAY STATION—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1099 PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARIES—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1100 ALBION PARK RAIL BYPASS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1101 SHELLHARBOUR JUNCTION STATION—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1102 SHELLHARBOUR HOSPITAL UPGRADE—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1103 NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1104 RAIL MARSHALLING YARD—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1105 DRUG TESTS—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1106 TAREE POLICE STATION—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1107 P902 INCIDENT NOTIFICATION—Ms Jodi McKay to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1108 BLACKTOWN INTERNATIONAL SPORTSPARK—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1109 INGLEBURN FIRE STATION—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1110 HEALTH CENTRES IN INGLEBURN—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1111 STUDENT ENROLMENTS AT MACQUARIE FIELDS TAFE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1112 STAMP DUTY—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1113 INGLEBURN MOTOR REGISTRY STAFF—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1114 INGLEBURN COMMUNITY SERVICES CENTRE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1115 TRAIN TICKET SALES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1116 STAFFING AT RAILWAY STATIONS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1117 ST GEORGE COLLEGE—Mr Stephen Kamper to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1118 GREEN STATE POWER BOARD—Mr Stephen Kamper to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1119 COUNCIL AMALGAMATIONS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1120 MERRYLANDS ROAD TOURISM—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1121 MULTICULTURAL GRANTS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—

- 1122 FIRE STATIONS—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1123 CENTRAL COAST BUSES—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1124 UPGRADES AT TRAIN STATIONS—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1125 COUNCIL AMALGAMATION ADVERTISING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1126 STRENGTHENING THE RULES FOR LOBBYING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1127 PEOPLE WITH A MENTAL ILLNESS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1128 STRATA AND COMMUNITY TITLE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Attorney General—
- 1129 CENTENNIAL PARKLAND—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- *1130 CENTENNIAL PARKLAND LIGHT RAIL COMPENSATION—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- (1) Will the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust receive financial compensation for Trust land used for the CBD and South East Light Rail project?
 - (2) How has compensation been calculated, what is the total amount and what restrictions apply to how these funds can be used?
 - (3) Will that compensation for the loss of trees for the CBD and South East Light Rail project include financial compensation to the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust?
 - (4) To what extent will the funds from this compensation be used to replant trees or improve landscaping?
 - (5) To what extent will replacement trees include planting of mature trees?
 - (6) What guarantee will the Government give that there will be no net loss of trees and tree canopy as a result of the light rail project?
 - (7) For what other purposes will financial compensation for the light rail be used?
- Answer—
- I am advised as follows:
- A package of over \$9 million has been agreed with Transport for NSW. The funds will reimburse expenses, offset temporary and permanent loss of revenue and replace any affected assets, including trees.
- 1131 TYRE RECYCLING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1132 RETIREMENT VILLAGE RESIDENTS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—
- 1133 LOWER RICHMOND RIVER KOALAS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

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- 1134 SOCIAL HOUSING IN THE MOUNT DRUITT ELECTORATE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1135 BLACKTOWN CITY COUNCIL—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Local Government—

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- 1136 TRAFFIC SIGNALS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1137 YABUN FESTIVAL—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1138 ACTION 2.2 OF THE ABORIGINAL TOURISM ACTION PLAN 2013-2016—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1139 ACTION 1.1 OF THE ABORIGINAL TOURISM ACTION PLAN 2013-2016—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1140 ACTION 1.2 OF THE ABORIGINAL TOURISM ACTION PLAN 2013-2016—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1141 ACTION 1.4 OF THE ABORIGINAL TOURISM ACTION PLAN 2013-2016—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1142 ACTION 2.1 OF THE ABORIGINAL TOURISM ACTION PLAN 2013-2016—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1143 CORROBOREE SYDNEY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1144 WUPA@WANARUAH—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1145 OPPORTUNITY, CHOICE, HEALING, RESPONSIBILITY, EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1146 APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1147 WYONG AND TOUKLEY AMBULANCE STATIONS—Mr David Harris to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1148 SCHOOL ZONE FLASHING LIGHTS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1149 DUST DISEASES BOARD—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1150 HOUSING NSW ASSETS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1151 VIDEO TO BE FILMED WITHIN CENTENNIAL PARK—Mr Ron Hoenig to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- *1152 CENTENNIAL PARKLANDS—Mr Ron Hoenig asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- Has the Government paid or committed to pay money to the Centennial Parklands for its land adjoining Alison Road, Randwick for the Light Rail project?
- Answer—
- I am advised as follows:
- A package of over \$9 million has been agreed with Transport for NSW. The funds will reimburse expenses, offset temporary and permanent loss of revenue and replace any affected assets, including trees.
- *1153 WESTCONNEX—Mr Ron Hoenig asked the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- What steps has the Minister taken to ensure that the WestConnex Delivery Authority complies with all statutory requirements during the removal of asbestos from the Alexandria Tip site at 76 Burrows Road, Alexandria and to ensure the safety and protection of human health?

Answer—

I am advised as follows:

The transport and disposal of asbestos waste is being undertaken in accordance with clauses 77 to 81 of the Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2014.

The WestConnex Delivery Authority has engaged experts to manage the site and is conducting air quality monitoring to provide reassurance to workers and residents.

The Environment Protection Authority will continue to conduct announced and unannounced site inspections to ensure, as per its statutory function, compliance with the regulation.

- 1154 MAJOR EVENTS FUNDING—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1155 FUNDING FOR CONGESTION STUDIES—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1156 LINK2HOME PHONE LINE—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1157 RED LIGHT CAMERA FINES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1158 TAFE STAFF—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1159 MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1160 KOORAGANG EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1161 JAMES FLETCHER HOSPITAL SITE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1162 CONSTRUCTION AT THE JAMES FLETCHER HOSPITAL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1163 URBAN GROWTH PLANNING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1164 JUDGES IN NSW DISTRICT COURTS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1165 THE STORE BUILDING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1166 INCINERATOR AT EASTERN CREEK—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1167 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1168 WAITING LIST FOR SOCIAL HOUSING—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1169 GIRRAWEE HIGH SCHOOL—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1170 EASY ACCESS UPGRADE TO PENDLE HILL RAILWAY STATION—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1171 THE HORSLEY DRIVE UPGRADE—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1172 MAINTENANCE CONTRACTS—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1173 BADGERY'S CREEK AIRPORT—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1174 ARTS FUNDING—Dr Hugh McDermott to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1175 FISHERMAN'S BAY—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1176 HUNTER AND CENTRAL COAST JOINT REGIONAL PLANNING PANEL—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1177 FISHERMAN'S BAY DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1178 SPECIALIST INDIGENOUS SERVICES—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1179 INDIGENOUS PEOPLE LIVING IN PORT STEPHENS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1180 SPECIALIST MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES—Ms Noreen Hay to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1181 WOLLONGONG HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Ms Noreen Hay to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1182 MEALS ON WHEELS—Ms Noreen Hay to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1183 GONG SHUTTLE SERVICES—Ms Noreen Hay to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1184 LAKE ILLAWARRA FORESHORE—Ms Noreen Hay to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1185 DESTINATION WOLLONGONG—Ms Noreen Hay to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1186 NUMBER OF AMBULANCES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1187 STAFFING AT CESSNOCK HOSPITAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1188 STAFFING AT KURRI KURRI HOSPITAL—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1189 RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1190 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1191 CALLOUTS IN THE CENTRAL HUNTER LOCAL AREA COMMAND—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1192 CONTACT WITH NSW POLICE FORCE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1193 INTERNATIONAL FEE PAYING STUDENTS AT TAFE—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1194 INTERNATIONAL FEE PAYING STUDENTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1195 WOLLONGONG AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1196 LITERACY AND NUMERACY TEACHERS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1197 PLINTHS AT BUS STOPS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1198 PENSIONER CONCESSION GOLD OPAL CARD—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—

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- 1199 CREDIT ON OPAL CARD—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1200 ILLAWARRA REGIONAL TRANSPORT PLAN—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1201 ACCIDENTS ON RAIL TRACKS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1202 BOUNDARY ROAD BRIDGE CROSSING—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1203 DRIVING INSTRUCTORS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1204 BANKSTOWN NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1205 DEMOUNTABLE CLASSROOMS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1206 CHESTER HILL HIGH SCHOOL—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1207 OUT OF HOME CARE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1208 ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1209 RECOGNITION AS A TENANT—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1210 MILLERS POINT PROPERTIES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1211 MR FLUFFY ASBESTOS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1212 PUBLIC DENTAL SERVICES—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1213 IMPOUNDING RECORDS—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1214 FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO IMPROVE ANIMAL WELFARE—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1215 MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT WAITING LISTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1216 APPRENTICES ACROSS NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1217 M4 WIDENING PROJECT—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1218 SOCIAL HOUSING PROPERTIES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1219 WESTMEAD HOSPITAL EYE CLINIC—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1220 TAXI PLATES—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—

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- 1221 LAMBTON GARDENS ESTATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1222 ELECTRICITY NETWORK LEASING PROCEEDS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- 1223 HUMAN RESOURCES TRANSITION PLAN—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1224 ST. SHENOUDA COPTIC ORTHODOX MONASTERY (NSW) PROPERTY TRUST ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1225 COURT INFORMATION ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1226 CORONERS ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1227 ROD BLACKMAN—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1228 BORONIA COSP—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1229 PROFESSIONAL ATHLETE PAY LEVELS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- 1230 FUNDING IN THE SOUTH EAST AND TABLELANDS REGION—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1231 GENERAL MEDICAL WARD—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1232 NURSING HOME PATIENTS—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1233 MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITAL—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1234 OVERTIME HOURS—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1235 TREGEAR AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1236 ROMLEY CRESCENT AND ROOTY HILL ROAD NORTH INTERSECTION—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1237 MOBILE PHONE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1238 MEDIAN STRIP MAINTENANCE—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1239 ANTIBIOTIC USE IN FARMING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1240 ARTS EDUCATION—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1241 PADDINGTON BOWLING CLUB LIQUOR LICENCE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1242 PADDINGTON BOWLING CLUB LEASE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1243 INNER CITY HOMELESSNESS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1244 BIRTH CERTIFICATES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Attorney General—
- 1245 ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health—

- 1246 METHAMPHETAMINE USE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health—
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- 1248 AMBULANCE PATIENTS—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1249 TAFE DELIVERED VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING DISCRETE COURSES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1250 STAFF AT MOTOR REGISTRIES—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1251 GOVERNMENT RUN PRESCHOOLS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1252 OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE FACILITIES—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1253 INCOME RECEIVED BY SCHOOLS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1254 DATA ON MARINE SPECIES—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1255 SHARK CONTROL PROGRAM—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1256 SHARK CONTROL (BATHER PROTECTION) PROGRAM—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1257 LAW REFORM COMMISSION REPORT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- 1258 HUB AT MILLER—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1259 SAFER PATHWAY PROGRAM IN THE ILLAWARRA—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1260 DENTAL SERVICES BUDGET ALLOCATION—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1261 RISK OF SERIOUS HARM—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1262 ASSISTED SCHOOL STUDENT TRANSPORT SCHEME—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
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- 1264 PARRAMATTA LIGHT RAIL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1265 OPAL CARD USAGE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1266 SENIORS TRAVEL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
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- 1268 SERVICES FOR MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1269 REPORTS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1270 WALLSEND FLOODPLAIN RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1271 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1272 CALVARY MATER HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1273 SPECIALIST SERVICES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1274 HOUSING NSW WAITING LIST—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1275 DISABILITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COURSES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
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- 1277 NSW GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS CLEANING CONTRACT—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1278 NEWCASTLE LIGHT RAIL—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1279 ABORIGINAL COMMUNITIES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1280 EAST MAITLAND DISTRICT COURT—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General—
- 1281 SES COMMUNICATION SERVICES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1282 SES COMMUNICATION SERVICE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1283 RUTHERFORD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1284 FUTURE OF EAST MAITLAND DISTRICT COURTHOUSE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1285 MAITLAND CITY COUNCIL—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1286 IMPROVEMENTS TO CONGESTION AND ROAD SAFETY—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1287 SOCIAL HOUSING WAITING LIST—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1288 GRANTS FOR PROJECTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFIT—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1289 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE AT SPRINGWOOD—Ms Trish Doyle to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1290 SURVEILLANCE DEVICES ACT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
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- 1295 PRESCHOOL FUNDING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1296 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INCIDENTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1297 CESSNOCK CORRECTIONAL CENTRE STAFF—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1298 REVENUE FROM PUBLIC TRANSPORT—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1299 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1300 CONTAMINATION FROM WILLIAMTOWN RAAF BASE—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1301 CONTAMINATION AT THE WILLIAMTOWN RAAF BASE—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1302 TESTING AND MONITORING OF THE PORT STEPHENS AREA—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1303 SECURITY TRAINING FOR DISABILITY WORKERS—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1304 PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1305 FISHERMAN'S BAY—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1306 MILLERS POINT SALES AND RELOCATIONS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1307 SYDNEY CBD LIGHT RAIL PROJECT—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1308 BLUESCOPE STEEL—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- 1309 SHARKS AND SCHOOLS OF FISH—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—

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- 1310 ALTERNATIVE ROUTE FOR THE PACIFIC HIGHWAY—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1311 CAMPBELLTOWN EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1312 STAFF AT THE GREGORY HILLS SERVICE CENTRE—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1313 SERVICE CENTRE AT GREGORY HILLS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1314 'L' PLATE DRIVER EXAMINATIONS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1315 MANLY MOTOR REGISTRY—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- 1316 SOCIAL HOUSING FOR SYRIAN REFUGEES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1317 TRANSPORT SUBSIDIES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1318 STARTTS CARRAMAR—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1319 EXTRA ENROLMENT POSITIONS IN THE INTENSIVE ENGLISH CENTRES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Education—
- 1320 TAFE SOUTH WESTERN SYDNEY INSTITUTE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—
- 1321 COST OF MOBILE PHONE SCANNERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
- 1322 SYRIAN REFUGEES IN SOUTH-WEST SYDNEY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1323 SYRIAN REFUGEES WITH DISABILITIES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1324 ASSYRIAN RESOURCE CENTRE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1325 DISMISSED TERMINATION AND VACANT POSSESSION ORDERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General—
- 1326 TERMINATION AND VACANT POSSESSION ORDERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General—
- 1327 TERMINATION AND VACANT POSSESSION ORDERS MADE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General—
- 1328 SYDNEY METRO—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1329 FUNDING MODELS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1330 WELL-BEING MEASURES FOR OUT-OF-HOME CARE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1331 RE-CONTRACTING FRAMEWORK FOR OUT-OF-HOME CARE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—

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- 1332 OUT-OF-HOME CARE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1333 INDEPENDENT REPORTS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- 1334 HUNTER STREET MALL—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1335 COURT DECISION ON NEWCASTLE RAIL LINE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning—
- 1336 NEWCASTLE RAIL LINE COURT CASE COSTS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1337 PRIVATE OPERATOR OF PORT BOTANY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1338 JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL SHUTTLE BUS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1339 WILLIAMTOWN CHEMICAL CONTAMINATION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- 1340 YOUTH FOCUSED PROGRAMS—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing representing the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism—
- 1341 DRUG REHABILITATION FACILITIES IN THE HUNTER—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1342 NEWCASTLE ART GALLERY—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- 1343 HEALTHY SCHOOL CANTEEN STRATEGY—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Health—
- 1344 RAILWAY OVERBRIDGE NEAR MERRYLANDS EAST PUBLIC SCHOOL—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- 1345 PRESCHOOLS IN THE SUBURB OF THORNTON—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Early Childhood Education, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, and Assistant Minister for Education—
- 1346 KING EDWARD HEADLAND RESERVE COURT CASE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
- 1347 SHARK MESHING PROGRAM—Ms Tamara Smith to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy representing the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—

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- 1348 POLICE INTEGRITY COMMISSION AMENDMENT ACT 2005—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
- (1) Has schedule 2.2 [1] of the Police Integrity Commission Amendment Act 2005 been commenced?
- (a) If not, why?
- 1349 LIVERPOOL COUNCIL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- (1) Will you conduct or cause to be conducted an Inquiry into Liverpool Council?
- (a) If yes, what is the scope or terms of reference of such an Inquiry?
- (b) If no, why not?

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- 1350 WOLLONGONG COUNCIL POLICIES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- (1) Is Wollongong Council's policy on caravans in caravan parks that it administers consistent with the Government's Crown Lands Caravan Parks Policy?
 - (2) Are Wollongong Council's pricing policies for caravan parks consistent with the Government's policy?
 - (3) Are changes to the conditions of use by private owners at Bulli Beach Caravan Tourist Park recently made by Wollongong Council consistent with the Government's policy?
- 1351 MENTAL HEALTH REVIEW TRIBUNAL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Medical Research, Assistant Minister for Health, Minister for Women, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- (1) What right of submission do victims have to the Mental Health Review Tribunal in relation to forensic patients?
 - (2) Are proceedings before the Mental Health Review Tribunal in relation to forensic patients open to public?
 - (a) Are victims allowed to be present?
- 1352 GRAFTON LOCAL COURT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- What changes in sitting times are proposed for the Local Court at Grafton?
- 1353 VICTIM'S ADVISORY BOARD—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) When did the Victim's Advisory Board last meet?
 - (2) Why has the Board not met since then?
 - (3) Who are currently members of the Board?
 - (4) If there are currently no members of the Board:
 - (a) When did their term expire?
 - (b) Have individuals been nominated to become members of the Board?
 - (i) If so, when?
- 1354 MACLEAN LOCAL COURT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- What changes in sitting times are proposed for the Local Court at Maclean?
- 1355 LOCAL COURT CHANGES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General—
- (1) What further changes are proposed to the Tweed-Byron Local Court Circuit?
 - (2) What future impact will this have in the sittings of the Local Court at Murwillumbah?
- 1356 ELIZABETH BAY MARINA—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure representing the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- (1) When will the Government call for tenders or expressions of interest for the Elizabeth Bay Marina site?
 - (2) How will the Government ensure community benefit in any future lease?
 - (3) What further plans does the Government have for the Elizabeth Bay Marina?
- 1357 SIR JOHN YOUNG CRESCENT BUS LAYOVER—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) What proposals have been considered for a bus layover adjacent to 68 Sir John Young Crescent, Woolloomooloo?
 - (2) What assessment was carried out about noise, parking and access impacts on residents for the proposed layover at this location?
 - (3) What onsite noise assessment was carried out to consider impacts on residents for the proposed layover adjacent to 68 Sir John Young Crescent, considering apartment balconies face this street?
 - (4) What feedback has the Government received during community consultation on this proposal?
 - (5) Does the Government intend to review the proposed bus layover adjacent to this property?
 - (6) What action will the Government take to protect residential amenity for Sir John Young Crescent residents?
- 1358 FIT FOR THE FUTURE PROCESS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Local Government—

- (1) Given the Government's Fit for the Future process proposes reconfigurations of local government boundaries, will additional funding and resources be provided to the Boundaries Commission?
(a) If so, what additional funds, staff and resources will be provided?
- (2) What is the estimated cost of appointing administrators to New South Wales councils in the event that councils are dismissed ahead of next year's elections?
- (3) What other measures have been taken to prepare the Boundaries Commission for implementing changes of such scale?
- 1359 NEW YEAR'S EVE EVENT AT BARANGAROO—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- Regarding reported plans for a ticketed New Year's Eve event at Barangaroo Point Reserve:
- (1) When will information about ticket prices and sales be available?
- (2) Will the Government provide free or discounted tickets to concession or pension card holders, including people with disabilities?
- (3) Will the Government provide free or discounted tickets to families with children?
- (4) Will the Government provide a designated safe space for people with disabilities, families with children and the elderly?
- (5) Will the Government provide free or discounted access for local residents affected by construction impacts from the Barangaroo redevelopment?
- (6) How will the Government ensure local residents are not impacted by traffic and visitor congestion?
- (7) What further action will the Government take to ensure fair access to this site for major events such as New Year's Eve?
- 1360 PENSIONER EXCURSION TICKETS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- In relation to the abolition of paper-based Pensioner Excursion tickets:
- (1) What alternatives are available for those who are unable to obtain or use a Gold Opal card?
- (2) What financial modelling has been undertaken regarding increased costs for an individual who is unable to obtain or use an Opal Gold card instead of Pensioner Excursion tickets?
- (3) Cumulatively what annual budget impact is this expected to have on ticketing revenue?
- 1361 WESTERN SYDNEY PARKLANDS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—
- (1) What plans are there to acquire additional landholdings for Western Sydney Parklands?
- (2) What discussions have taken place with the Commonwealth Government concerning impacts from the future Badgerys Creek Airport on Western Sydney Parklands?
- (3) What plans are there to upgrade facilities and current walking tracks in Western Sydney Parklands, especially between The Horsley Drive and Elizabeth Drive?
- 1362 GOLD PENSIONER OPAL CARD—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- Considering that the Pensioner Excursion Ticket will no longer be sold from 1 January 2016 and that pensioners will not be able to purchase Opal cards at retail outlets due to having to prove their status as a pensioner, how will seniors/pensioners be able to use public transport if they misplace their Gold Senior/Pensioner Opal card and have to wait for a replacement?
- 1363 JOBS IN THE ENERGY SECTOR—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Industry, Resources and Energy—
- (1) What will the Minister do to ensure minimal job losses from Ausgrid?
- (2) Is the Government looking at alternative options to reduce job losses in the energy sector?
(a) If not, why not?
- 1364 AMBULANCE SERVICES IN THE HUNTER—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health—
- (1) How many ambulance officers are currently employed in the Hunter?
- (2) What is the breakdown of staff numbers at each ambulance station in the Hunter?
- (3) How many ambulance vehicles are stationed in the Hunter?
- (4) What is the breakdown of vehicles at each ambulance station in the Hunter?
- 1365 TAFE LAND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—

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- (1) Are there any plans to sell TAFE land at several campuses across New South Wales?
(a) If so, how much money is the Government expecting to raise from these sales?
- 1366 UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN THE WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Relations—
- (1) What is the last recorded youth unemployment rate in the electorate of Wallsend?
(2) What Government programs are in place to help reduce this rate of unemployment in the Wallsend electorate?
- 1367 REFUGES IN THE WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Social Housing—
- (1) How many women and children have been turned away from women's refuges in the Wallsend area since the introduction of the Government's 'Going Home Staying Home' reforms?
(a) How many of these women and children were re-housed through social housing after being turned away from a refuge?
- 1368 FEMALE PARTICIPATION IN SPORTS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—
- What steps is the Government taking to encourage the participation of girls and young women in New South Wales sport at all levels from amateur to professional?
- 1369 WALLSEND MOTOR REGISTRY OFFICE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- (1) Is there a plan to convert the Wallsend Motor Registry office to a Service NSW Centre?
(a) If so, when is this to occur?
(b) If so, has there been any notification or consultation regarding this change?
- 1370 SOUTHWEST RAIL LINK EXTENSION—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure—
- (1) Will the Minister meet with a delegation of residents (including residents from the Wildfire estate) to allow them to voice their concerns regarding the proposed Southwest Rail Link extension?
(2) How does the Government plan to assist and compensate residents of Wildfire estate and other effected residents for stress and potential financial loss?
(3) Were residents, local Members of Parliament and other stakeholders effected by the Southwest Rail Link extension notified and communicated with regarding the extension?
(a) If so, on what date did this occur?
(b) If so, what type of notification and what form of communication was provided?
- 1371 ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES OFFICE IN CAMPBELLTOWN—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- How many transactions were completed at the Roads and Maritime Services office in Campbelltown during the 2014-15 financial year?
- 1372 FARE EVASION FINES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- How much has the Government raised from Fare Evasion fines in each of the years from 2012 to 2015 (to 31 July 2015)?
- 1373 STAFF AFFECTED BY THE CLOSURE OF MOTOR REGISTRIES—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- What job guarantees are offered to staff affected by the closure of motor registries which are replaced by Service NSW centres?
- 1374 MOUNT DRUITT MOTOR REGISTRY—Mr Edmond Atalla to ask the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
- Are there any plans to close down the Mount Druitt Motor Registry in favour of a proposed Service NSW centre?
- 1375 DIRECTOR OF TAFE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Regional Development, Minister for Skills, and Minister for Small Business—

- (1) Did the current Director of TAFE, South Western Sydney Institute previously retire from the institution now known as TAFE under what is known as the 'old super scheme'?
- (2) Is that Director now employed under additional contractual arrangements receiving payments in addition to his previous superannuation benefits?