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#### **23 OCTOBER 2024**

(Paper No.)

3980 SHEPI HOMES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

#### **19 SEPTEMBER 2024**

(Paper No. 72)

- \* 3644 FIRST LAP SWIMMING VOUCHERS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
  - (1) Can the Minister advise why the Government has withdrawn funding for the First Lap Swimming vouchers?
    - (a) Will the Minister consider re-introducing funding in 2025?

Answer-

I am advised that:

The decision to end the First Lap voucher program has not been taken lightly, given the importance of vital water safety skills in reducing the risk of drowning. We are working closely in partnership with the aquatic sector to support access to learn to swim lessons for the most vulnerable members of our community, with a budget commitment of \$6M across 2024/25 and 2025/26.

- \* 3645 NEW K-10 SYLLABUS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) Can the Minister advise what the key differences between the new K-10 syllabus structure and its former structure?
    - (a) What prompted these changes?
  - (2) Assuming these changes have been implemented for improvement in student performance, when would we expect to see its impact?

Answer-

The NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) has developed a new curriculum framework that includes consistent elements to ensure coherence across syllabuses.

Key structural elements of the new syllabuses include an aim that outlines the overall purpose and objective of a syllabus, a rationale that provides a common understanding of the value and importance of the subject, outcomes that describe the essential knowledge, understanding and skills that students are expected to demonstrate, and content that provides detail of the essential knowledge, understanding and skills that students will need to demonstrate the outcomes.

This consistent structure across all syllabuses means less time and effort for teachers to interpret a syllabus. The outcomes and content work together to clearly articulate the learning entitlement for all students. The knowledge and skills explicit approach outlines what students need to know, understand and be able to do. The sequenced, coherent and knowledge and skills explicit curriculum infers a more explicit teaching practice.

Across all syllabuses, writing is now explicit, where students learn skills to express and develop their ideas by writing, and write texts for different contexts, purposes and audiences. New syllabuses and

accompanying support materials provide advice on the teaching of writing, creating a common, consistent language for the teaching of writing in primary and secondary schooling, and across all learning areas.

Further, content is inclusive of every student in NSW, including Aboriginal students, English as an Additional Language or Dialect students, gifted and talented students, and students with disability.

These changes are informed by the NSW Government response to the recommendations of the 2020 NSW Curriculum Review and developed in line with evidence. The recommendations from the curriculum review highlighted the importance of building strong foundations at every stage of school, for students to learn with understanding, develop skills in applying knowledge, and make excellent ongoing progress.

To support our teachers in accessing the new syllabuses, NESA has developed a purpose-built digital curriculum that provides one-stop access to syllabuses, resources, support materials, links, teaching advice and evidence.

Teachers can easily access new evidence-based support materials, including teaching advice, professional learning and helpful examples to support implementation.

Evidence shows that the best way to improve student outcomes is by focusing on essential learning of knowledge and skills, to build foundational skills in literacy and numeracy. This started with the new English and Mathematics K-2 syllabuses, which provide the essential skills necessary for future learning at this critically important time of student development. The new English and Mathematics K-10 syllabuses are now being implemented in NSW schools.

These strong foundations in literacy and numeracy unlock students' potential as they deepen their learning, and will support students to build disciplinary knowledge through clearly described outcomes and content.

The renewed focus on an appropriately sequenced continuum of learning will further support students in NSW to make excellent ongoing progress, from Kindergarten to Year 12.

New NSW syllabuses are being progressively released and implemented in NSW schools. All new primary syllabuses will be implemented from 2027. For our Stage 6 students, the new Mathematics and English 11-12 syllabuses will be examined in the 2027 HSC. Other 11-12 syllabuses will be released progressively until 2027. We will be able to track the impact of these curriculum reforms for our students' learning over the coming years.

- \* 3646 DIFFERENTIAL RATE APPLICATION TO VACANT PROPERTIES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Local Government—
  - (1) Can the Minister advise whether Local Governments can apply the differential rates charge to properties which have been deemed vacant?
  - (2) Given that the differential charge raises Local Council revenue to fund the services and facilities provided to residents and its visitors, can the Minister advise whether the Local Council entity contributes funding for these charges?
    - (a) If so, can he provide a percentage breakdown?

#### Answer—

#### I am advised:

(1) Rates are levied on all land where a council has received a valuation from the Valuer General, based on the unimproved land value.

Section 549 of the Local Government Act 1993 allows councils to reduce rates on vacant land. If the amount payable by levying the ad valorem amount would be less than \$250, the rate payable for the vacant land will be \$250 or the base amount of the rate, whichever is the lesser.

If the conditions of section 549 cannot be met, a sub-category may be determined for residential land only. This can only occur if the council is satisfied on reasonable grounds that it is necessary

- to identify residential areas because of significant differences between the areas in relation to access to or demand for, or the cost of providing, services or infrastructure.
- (2) Approximately 42% of council revenue is obtained from rates and annual charges which is used to fund the infrastructure, services and facilities provided to residents and visitors.
- \* 3647 TRANSPORT TIMETABLE CHANGES OCTOBER 2024—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—

In relation to transport timetables:

- (1) Will there be a change in October 2024?
  - (a) If yes, how many services will be cut on the North Shore on:
    - (i) Morning peak times?
    - (ii) Afternoon peak times?
    - (iii) Nonpeak times?
  - (b) If yes, will it be integrated with current bus timetables?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised

- (1) Yes, the train timetable was adjusted from 20 October 2024 to integrate Sydney Metro City & Southwest and support the closure of the T3 Bankstown Line between Sydenham and Bankstown.
  - (a) The Opening of the City Section of Metro provides a rapid and frequent public transport service for many of the passengers that once relied on the T1 North Shore Line and Transport for NSW has adjusted services to reflect the ways people are travelling.

Metro delivers 434 extra services from Monday to Thursday and 446 extra services on Friday.

There are an additional 375 extra bus services every day to get more people to those metro services.

45,000 people a day are interchanging between Sydney Trains and Sydney Metro.

14,000 people a day are interchanging between buses and metro.

- (i) T1 North Shore Line services in the busiest morning peak one hour period have been reduced from 16 trains to 12 trains, however, stations still receive a service every 3 to 5 minutes.
- (ii) There are no changes to corridor service levels in the afternoon peak. Existing services that start from and finish at Lindfield during the interpeak period have changed to start from or begin at North Sydney, with two fewer services per hour for passengers at Lindfield, Chatswood and St Leonards. Passengers now have eight trains per hour in the interpeak, instead of 10 trains per hour, with trains operating every 7 to 8 minutes.
- (iii) From Sunday to Thursday, late-night services on the T1 North Shore Line that previously operated to Gordon now start from and finish at North Sydney, meaning a reduction in services from eight trains to four trains per hour for stations north of North Sydney. This change reduces duplication with Sydney Metro and offers a train every 15 minutes, which is the standard service offering during this time across the rail network.
- (b) There are changes to some bus services in Outer Metropolitan and Regional areas to connect with the adjusted train times. Transport for NSW has also identified several bus timetable

adjustments which will be made in the future to ensure bus connections across Sydney align and connect with the adjusted train timetable.

\* 3648 LOCAL INPUT TO URBAN PLANNING AND DESIGN—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—

Referencing the Private Members' Statement you gave on 8 August 2018 regarding urban planning:

- (1) Does the Government have plans for local communities and councils to have control on the pace, nature, design, or location of buildings under the Transport Oriented Development SEPP?
  - (a) If yes, what are the plans?

Answer-

I am advised;

Every single Council bar one has worked in collaboration with the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure (DPHI) on housing plans that deliver greater or equal housing numbers than would be required by the TOD SEPP controls. The councils that worked with DPHI on this process will phase the introduction of the TOD controls on certain sites to allow for master planning and more detailed work around these stations to be completed.

- \* 3649 LOCAL SMALL COMMITMENTS ALLOCATION AUDITOR GENERAL—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - (1) Will you refer the Local Small Commitment Allocation (LSCA) program to be audited by the NSW Auditor General?

Answer-

I am advised

The Audit Office of New South Wales determines its own work program. The Government will cooperate with any audit conducted by the Audit Office.

- \* 3650 FARE EVASION REVENUE LOSSES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) How many people were caught fare evading in the following financial years:
    - (a) 2023-24?
    - (b) 2022-23?
    - (c) 2021-22?
    - (d) 2020-21?
    - (e) 2019-20?
    - (f) 2018-19?
  - (2) How much in lost revenue did fare evasion cost in the following financial years:
    - (a) 2023-24?
    - (b) 2022-23?
    - (c) 2021-22?
    - (d) 2020-21?
    - (e) 2019-20?
    - (f) 2018-19?

Answer-

I am advised

This is a matter for the Minister for Finance.

- \* 3651 DISCRETIONARY FUND TO PROVIDE GRANTS AND FUNDING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) Do you have a discretionary fund to provide organisations grants or funding?

Answer-

Yes. As Deputy Premier, and Minister for Education and Early Learning, I have access to discretionary funds within the education and early learning portfolio to provide funding to eligible applicants.

The activation of this grant in FY2025 is currently pending upload to the Grant Finder Website.

- \* 3652 COMMUNITY BUILDING PARTNERSHIP FUNDING—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
  - (1) Can the Treasurer advise if and when the Government will announce the opening of the 2024/25 Community Building Partnership Funding?
    - (a) When will the fund recommence?
    - (b) How much funding will be allocated to each electorate?
    - (c) Can you confirm if the fund will be amended in anyway and outline any proposed changes?

Answer—

I am advised:

The 2024-25 budget included funding for the program to continue. Details regarding the Community Building Partnership (CBP) program will be published on the NSW Government Grants and Funding Finder, <a href="https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding">https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding</a> when they are confirmed.

- \* 3653 CROWN RESERVES IMPROVEMENT FUND—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
  - (1) Can the Treasurer advise if and when the Government will announce the opening of the 2024/25 Crown Reserves Improvement Fund?
    - (a) When will the fund recommence?
    - (b) Can you confirm if the fund will be amended in anyway and outline any proposed changes?

Answer-

I am advised this question is more appropriately directed to the Minister for Lands and Property.

- 3654 AGRICULTURAL LAND USE PLANNING—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- \* 3655 CARP VIRUS BIOCONTROL—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—

Can the Minister advise:

- (1) What steps are being taken to progress research to investigate carp virus biocontrol?
- (2) When can we expect to see the rollout of the virus?

#### Answer-

(1) The Government is supportive of any control measure to reduce the impacts of carp that has been thoroughly assessed and met all required regulatory approvals and relevant intra- and intergovernment agreements.

There is further work to be done in researching and assessing the potential deployment of a carp virus biocontrol in Australia as per the guidance on the Australian Government website: <a href="https://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/pests-diseases-weeds/pest-animals-and-weeds/carp-biological-control-plan/national-carp-control-plan">https://www.agriculture.gov.au/biosecurity-trade/pests-diseases-weeds/pest-animals-and-weeds/carp-biological-control-plan/national-carp-control-plan</a>

- (2) As there is further research and assessments needed, as well as approvals and agreements required, there is currently no date set.
- \* 3656 CASHLESS GAMING TRIALS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—

Can the Minister advise when the results of a cashless gambling trial which took place at IGT-Club York between April 2023 and October 2023 will be made available to the public on the Liquor and Gaming website?

#### Answer-

- (1) The report has been referred to the Independent Panel on Gaming Reform to be considered in addition to the evaluation of the NSW cashless gaming trial. The Club York evaluation report will be published on the Liquor & Gaming NSW website after the Panel has considered the report and the peer-review process is complete.
- \* 3657 SHERIFF STAFFING ISSUES—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
  - (1) Can the Minister advise why Sheriffs across the state have recently walked off the job for the fourth time in two months, closing local courts across the Murray electorate and putting additional pressure on court timetables?
  - (2) What is being done to address staffing issues?

#### Answer—

I am advised:

The Member should direct the question to the Attorney General.

\* 3658 GAMBLING & PROCEEDS OF CRIME—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—

What has the Minister done to ensure that money put through gaming machines in New South Wales pubs and clubs, which has been identified as the proceeds of crime, is being returned to victims?

#### Answer-

This is a matter does not fall within the Portfolio of Gaming and Racing. Proceeds of crime is a portfolio responsibility of the Attorney General.

- \* 3659 IMAGINATION LIBRARY FUNDING COMMITMENT—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) Can you confirm any plans to provide continued funding for the Imagination Library program for the full five-year term, specifically ensuring funding for the 2025-26 financial year, to allow the 13,200 children currently enrolled to continue benefiting from the program?
  - (2) What is the rationale for terminating the program and to what extent were these financially motivated?
  - (3) How does the NSW Government plan to support early literacy in disadvantaged communities if the Imagination Library funding is not extended to the fifth year?
  - (4) Considering the collaborative partnerships with over 80 local organizations, how would the discontinuation of the Imagination Library affect community services and early childhood education in these areas?

#### Answer-

United Way Australia is delivering The Dolly Parton Imagination Library (the Library) in 25 Local Government Areas.

The NSW Department of Education (the department) is committed to every child in NSW having the best start in life and learning.

The department is working with United Way Australia on delivery of The Dolly Parton Imagination Library, including program arrangements for FY2024-25. The department is continuing to engage with United Way on this work.

The department also continues to develop enriching early childhood education programs for all children across the state. We have recently launched a range of state-wide programs that will directly support children across NSW to engage in early learning and uplift child outcomes, including the 2024 Start Strong Pathways program.

A best start also includes health, wellbeing and learning and through programs like Brighter Beginnings, we will continue to support children in their first 5 years in partnership with other government agencies and frontline professionals. More information can be found at <a href="https://www.nsw.gov.au/family-and-relationships/early-child-development/initiatives-to-support-child-development">https://www.nsw.gov.au/family-and-relationships/early-child-development/initiatives-to-support-child-development</a>.

\* 3660 NATIONAL PARKS FENCING—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

Can the Minister advise:

- (1) Why National Parks and Wildlife Services policy records boundary fences on their Asset Registers, but does not undertake repairs and maintenance on that fencing?
- (2) What figure was spent on National Parks and Wildlife Service boundary fencing in the Murray electorate in the 2023-2024 financial year?

#### Answer-

- (1) National Parks and Wildlife Services (NPWS) has a publicly available Boundary Fencing Policy. The policy of recording a boundary fence on the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water's Asset Management System enables NPWS to respond more efficiently to requests for assistance by park neighbours, as it provides a clear record of the original fencing works and the fencing agreement between NPWS and the landowner.
- (2) \$81,887.69 (excl GST).

\* 3661 PLANNING PROFESSIONALS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

What is the Government doing to assist local councils in rural and remote areas attract planning professionals to help ease the backlog of planning proposals and progress critical building works?

Answer-

I am advised:

The NSW Government has introduced the Strong Start Program to provide support to councils in attracting and retaining planners. In May 2023, the NSW Government launched the Strong Start Cadetship Program, which provided \$1.85 million in grants to 7 4 councils to help councils pay tuition fees to support the employment of new locally based planning cadets. Of the 7 4 councils that applied for and received this funding, 60 of these councils were in rural and regional NSW.

The Strong Start Mentoring Program has also continued this year, which pairs up student or graduate planners in a council with experienced planners in either the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure or another council to provide shared knowledge and expertise, professional networks, support and career development.

The NSW Government has also launched the Diploma of Local Government (Planning), which is run online through TAFE NSW and is specifically designed for young people looking to gain skills in para planning providing valuable support to planners. This is the first time that that this qualification is offered at TAFE, and it is anticipated that this additional pathway into the profession with assist in building the pipeline of planners in NSW. The first intake for this course was fully subscribed in 2024, with enrolment including planning staff from five regional councils. TAFE has confirmed that enrolment for a second intake in 2025 will be commencing shortly.

These Government initiatives will assist in easing the backlog of planning proposals and development applications which some councils have.

 $\label{thm:continuous} This information is publicly available at $$ \underline{https://www.planning.nsw.gov.au/policy-and-legislation/planning-reforms/planning-delivery-unit/strong-start}$$ 

\* 3662 STUDENT LEARNING SUPPORT OFFICERS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

Can the Minister advise:

- (1) Are schools across New South Wales struggling to fund Student Learning Support Officers (SSOs)?
  - (a) Why?
- (2) Has there been a reduction in funding for Student Support Officers across the State?
  - (a) If so, why?

#### Answer—

As at 5 August 2024, the vacancy rate for Student Learning Support Officers (SLSOs) in NSW public schools is 5.52%. Schools can fund SLSOs to support students with disability through the Low Level Adjustment for Disability (LLAD) equity loading, Integration Funding Support (IFS) and other flexible components of their budgets. IFS and LLAD funding has not been reduced.

Every high school has a full time Student Support Officer (SSO). SSOs are also allocated to Central/Community Schools and Schools for Specific Purposes. SSOs are recruited and employed locally by schools. As an allocated staffing entitlement, SSOs will continue to support student wellbeing in all NSW public high schools, identified Central Schools and Schools for Specific Purposes. There has been no reduction in funding for Student Support Officers.

\* 3663 ABORTION CARE REFUSAL—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

Could you please advise, under what circumstances can a public hospital, and public hospital executive, refuse to provide abortion care, including social termination, to people who request it, if the same hospital has clinicians qualified and willing to provide this important reproductive health service, and sufficient resources to do so?

#### Answer-

The NSW Health Policy Directive Framework for Termination of Pregnancy in New South Wales (PD2021\_018) outlines the legal framework for the Abortion Law Reform Act 2019 and associated legislation in relation to termination of pregnancy in NSW. The Policy Directive is available on the NSW Health website.

The policy does not make it mandatory for NSW Health services to provide abortion services. If termination services are not provided, the policy requires that referral pathways are in place to ensure women have timely access to care.

- \* 3664 NSW 2024 DRUG SUMMIT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) When will the 2024 drug summit invitations for members of Parliament and stakeholders be sent for the:
    - (a) Regional forums?
    - (b) Sydney forum?
  - (2) What work is being done to ensure that members can access accommodation at the regional forums?
  - (3) Who is coordinating logistics for the regional forums?
  - (4) What is the role and responsibility of the co-chairs?
  - (5) How will delegates and guests be decided?
  - (6) Has the government set a minimum for delegates with lived experience to ensure they are central to the summit?
    - (a) If so, what is that minimum?
  - (7) When will agendas and guest speakers be publicly available?

#### Answer-

### (1 - 7) I'm advised:

Preparations for the NSW Drug Summit will be supported by NSW Health in close collaboration with other NSW Government agencies.

The NSW Government has appointed former NSW Deputy Premier Carmel Tebbutt and former NSW Leader of the Opposition John Brogden as Co-Chairs of the upcoming Summit. The Co-Chairs will work with attendees to develop and prioritise solutions that aim to improve the health and wellbeing of the community and address other important issues.

Attendance at the Summit is by invitation only. Participants will represent a broad range of interests and perspectives including community, families, carers and people with lived and living experience, non-government organisations, support organisations, clinical experts, NSW Police, Communities and Justice, and other government departments.

More information can be found at https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/aod/summit/Pages/default.aspx

\* 3665 URALLA POLICE STATION—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

In relation to police officers stationed at Uralla Police Station:

- (1) How many police officers are currently based here?
- (2) Have police officers who have been assigned to Uralla been relocated to Armidale Police Station?
  - (a) If yes, why?
- (3) Was the police station closed for a period of time in 2024?
  - (a) If yes, why?

Answer-

I am advised:

(1) Police Officers are generally allocated to Police Area Commands (PACs), Police Districts (PDs), or Specialist Commands, not to individual police stations. The NSW Police Force publishes information regarding police officer numbers in each PAC and PD in its annual report.

All police positions attached to PACs or PDs are flexible resources available to respond to incidents across the district. All local resources are supplemented by specialist police (highway patrol, major crime squads, covert resources), which are managed centrally but can be deployed across boundaries to meet changing community needs and respond to crime patterns and emerging issues. Staffing at any particular police station can fluctuate daily in response to crime trends and other intelligence-led operational requirements.

- (2) No.
- (3) The Uralla Police Station was unable to be occupied while mould removal and remediation works were carried out. Works were completed in April 2024 and Uralla Police Station has been functioning since that time.
- \* 3666 MOREE HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to the Moree Hospital redevelopment:

- (1) Is a helipad included in the hospital redevelopment?
  - (a) If not, why not?

Answer-

I'm advised:

A helipad is not within the \$105 million Moree Hospital Redevelopment project scope. Moree Airport, located 3.7km from the hospital, will continue to be used for air ambulance and retrieval services.

Most aeromedical retrievals by helicopter are a direct scene response to patients.

\* 3667 OLD DUVAL HIGH SCHOOL SITE—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

In relation to the old Duval high school site in Armidale:

- (1) Do you have plans to repurpose this building?
- (2) How can you ensure vandals and squatters don't access the site?

#### Answer-

The Department of Education has advised that it has boarded up all ground-level windows at the school, fencing has been erected and security is called in for reported incidents or when alarms are triggered. It will continue to consider other opportunities to further secure the site as needed.

\* 3668 MALPAS DAM WALL FUNDING—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

In relation to funding for the raising of the Malpas Dam wall:

- (1) On Tuesday 21 June 2022 the former Member for Northern Tablelands Adam Marshall announced \$27 million of funding for this project.
  - (a) Is this funding still available?
  - (b) If not, why not?
- (2) Will further funding be set aside for this project?

#### Answer—

I am advised:

- (1) In 2022, the former local MP Adam Marshall "announced" the former NSW Government was "reserving" \$27 million to raise the Malpas Dam Spillway. This did not happen. The funding was never allocated in the 2022-23 NSW Budget.
  - Funding for this project was never confirmed. Please direct any questions about that funding and announcement to former MP Adam Marshall and John Barilaro.
- (2) The former Liberal/National Government did not commit any funds to the construction phase of the project, meaning the project is unfunded and cannot proceed as previously "announced" by Adam Marshall and the former National Government.
- \* 3669 AVERAGE SPEED CAMERAS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

In relation to average speed cameras in regional New South Wales:

- (1) Do you have plans to install average speed cameras in regional areas?
- (2) If yes, will revenue raised go back to local councils rather than the State Government?

#### Answer—

I am advised

There are currently 25 average speed cameras lengths in Regional NSW and six in Greater Sydney. The NSW Government is continuing to expand the average speed camera network in line with the 2026 Road Safety Action Plan.

The Community Road Safety Fund (the Fund) is established in legislation that requires all fines from camera-detected speeding, red-light, mobile phone use and seatbelt offences to be used only for road safety purposes. Funds from camera detected fines are allocated to priority road safety programs, to deliver the 2026 Road Safety Action Plan. The NSW Government also provides additional funds to help deliver targeted road safety programs and reduce the number of deaths and serious injuries on our roads, including in local council areas.

The Fund has delivered programs that are saving lives and preventing serious injuries, including:

- The world's first mobile phone detection cameras.
- Delivery of life-saving infrastructure safety treatments across the road network Testing and rating of child car seats.
- High visibility police operations.
- Road safety education for children and young people.
- Road safety advertising campaigns.
- School crossing supervisors and flashing lights at schools.
- The Driver Licensing Access Program.
- Drink driving and drug driving reforms.
- New and used car safety ratings and vehicle research.
- Road safety education through partnerships with local governments, advocates and ambassadors.
- \* 3670 GP SHORTAGES—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to comments made by Premier Chris Minns and the Parliamentary Secretary for Health Michael Holland:

(1) How will the New South Wales Government work with the Commonwealth Government to address the General Practitioner shortage in regional areas?

Answer-

I'm advised:

General practitioner services and Medicare are primarily the responsibility of the Australian Government. However, NSW Health recognises that it has a role to play in supporting primary care, particularly in rural and regional NSW.

NSW Health is implementing strategies to help improve the availability of GPs in regional areas, including ongoing work to support the National Rural Generalist Training program and the NSW Rural Generalist Single Employer Pathway.

Priority one of the NSW Regional Health Strategic Plan 2022-32 is to strengthen the regional health workforce. The plan recognises improving key worker housing and other support as a key enabler for recruiting and retaining health workers in regional NSW.

The Final Report of the Mid-Term Review of the National Health Reform Agreement specifically acknowledged the challenges experienced in rural and regional health service delivery. The Report recommended that the next 5-year National Health Reform Agreement Addendum 2025 - 2030 should include clauses that clearly set out the roles and responsibilities in the governance of rural and remote health care provision, including the Commonwealth's stewardship role in ensuring the accessibility and sustainability of primary, aged and disability care in 'thin' rural and remote markets. This is being considered as part of negotiations for the 2025-2030 NHRA Addendum.

\* 3671 ILLEGAL SALE OF TOBACCO—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to the illegal sale of tobacco:

- (1) What are you doing to ensure the sale of illegal and counterfeit cigarettes is stopped?
- (2) How will you continue to monitor this situation?

Answer-

I'm advised:

Illicit tobacco is a cross-jurisdictional issue managed at both national and state levels. NSW Health is an active partner in combined enforcement efforts.

The Australian Government is responsible for border control of illicit tobacco and the Illicit Tobacco Taskforce has been established to target and dismantle organised crime syndicates dealing in illicit tobacco.

On 1 July 2024, the Australian Government appointed the first Illicit Tobacco and Ecigarette-Commissioner to further address illicit tobacco and e-cigarette products.

NSW Health has an active compliance and enforcement program, enforcing tobacco and e-cigarette retailing laws and monitoring compliance with the legislation. This includes enforcing breaches related to selling illicit tobacco products, sale of illegal nicotine e-cigarettes, sale of tobacco or e-cigarette products to minors, and display and advertising restrictions.

NSW Health is engaging with other enforcement agencies and regulators at all levels and jurisdictions to address the issue of illegal tobacco in NSW.

\* 3672 RECRUITMENT DRIVE FOR NURSES—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to the recruitment drive for nurses in regional New South Wales:

- (1) What incentive payments are currently available for nurses to relocate to regional areas?
- (2) Are there plans for any other measures to be put in place to ensure the recruitment and retention of nurses in regional areas?

Answer—

I'm advised:

- (1) The Rural Health Workforce Incentive Scheme offers incentive packages of up to \$20,000 to nurses and other health workers relocating to work with NSW Health in the hardest-to-fill positions in rural and remote areas. Incentives can include an additional rural and regional health allowance, extra personal leave, travel assistance, and contributions to ongoing professional development. Accommodation assistance and, in some locations, relocation benefits are also available.
- (2) NSW Health is focused on strengthening the health workforce across all parts of regional NSW. As part of this commitment to attract additional skilled staff, the NSW Government doubled the incentives offered in the hardest-to-fill and critical locations from \$10,000 to \$20,000 in July 2023. This includes a new midwifery \$20,000 sign-on bonus for midwives relocating to regional, remote and rural NSW until 31 March 2025. These incentives can be offered to all eligible positions in line with NSW Health policy.
- \* 3673 CRIME IN BORDER COMMUNITIES—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Police and Counterterrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

In relation to crime in border communities such as Mungindi and Boggabilla:

- (1) Do you have plans to increase cross-border powers between New South Wales and Queensland so that Police on the border can arrest and detain offenders who cross the border?
- (2) What other measures are planned to ensure this crime is kept under control?

Answer—

I am advised:

Solid frameworks exist between the NSW Police Force and Queensland Police, who meet regularly to discuss and collaborate in addressing current crime trends and issues, sharing information and supporting all cross-border operations and crime issues.

It is not proposed that powers allowing for the arrest and detention of offenders who cross the border between NSW and Queensland be reviewed at this time. Legislative provisions already exist allowing for the arrest and detention of offenders who cross from Queensland to NSW in section 104 of the Law Enforcement (Powers and Responsibilities) Act 2002 (NSW) and those who cross from NSW to Queensland in section 37 4 of the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000 (QLD).

On 12 March 2024, the NSW Government announced a \$26.2 million package of reforms and broader regional crime prevention initiatives to support community safety and wellbeing, particularly in regional NSW, with a focus on strengthening early intervention and prevention programs for young people, legislative reform, strengthened bail laws, a place-based response in Moree, and broader regional crime prevention initiatives.

The 'You Should Be A Cop in your Hometown' program will support regional police recruitment and ensure people from regional NSW serve in, or near, their hometown after they graduate from the NSW Police Academy.

The NSW Legislative Assembly's Committee on Law and Safety inquiry into community safety in regional and rural communities was announced on 20 March 2024. The inquiry will investigate actions the NSW Government can take to improve community safety. The inquiry will table a first report by 30 May 2025, with a final report due by 30 November 2025.

The NSW Police Force will continue to utilise appropriate proactive strategies to ensure the safety of people in cross-border communities and across NSW.

\* 3674 KEY HEALTH WORKER ACCOMMODATION—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

Regarding the Government's commitment of \$200.1 million for key health worker accommodation across rural and regional New South Wales:

- (1) Has Tweed Heads been confirmed as a location?
- (2) Have any possible sites within Tweed Heads been identified?
  - (a) If yes, where are the identified sites?

Answer—

I'm advised:

The NSW Ministry of Health is working collaboratively with regional local health districts, NSW Ambulance, Albury Wodonga Health and other government agencies such as Homes NSW to address key health worker accommodation requirements in rural and regional NSW.

NSW Health is currently undertaking a prioritisation process with the above mentioned groups to determine areas of greatest need to receive funding under the Key Health Worker Accommodation program announced in the 2024-25 NSW Budget. Locations are still being determined.

\* 3675 TWEED URGENT CARE SERVICE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

Regarding the Tweed Urgent Care Service:

(1) Will this service incorporate a physical location in the future, or will care remain home-based and only accessible by phoning healthdirect?

#### Answer-

The Tweed Urgent Care Service provides an urgent care response across Tweed and surrounding areas 7 days a week from 8am to 8pm.

The service provides in-reach into aged care facilities and patients' homes, as well as an extended care paramedic service.

The Urgent Care Service is accessed via referrals from NSW Ambulance, emergency departments, the Patient Flow Portal, residential aged care facilities and e-referrals from general practitioners. As an inreach service, this model does not have a physical location for walk-in patients.

\* 3676 HOMELESSNESS INNOVATION FUND—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

Regarding the \$100 million Homelessness Innovation Fund:

- (1) How will funding be allocated between metropolitan areas and rural and regional areas of New South Wales?
- (2) Will a percentage of the funding be quarantined for rural and regional Community Housing Providers?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

(1) Funding has not been allocated between metropolitan, rural and regional areas.

Each application will be assessed against the grant guidelines. The guidelines are publicly available at <a href="https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/reforming-temporary-accommodation-grant-hif">https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/service-reform-and-innovation-grant-hif</a>. and <a href="https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/service-reform-and-innovation-grant-hif">https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/service-reform-and-innovation-grant-hif</a>.

- (2) No.
- \* 3677 DISPOSAL AND REUSE OF GOVERNMENT LAPTOPS—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) As part of Government waste reduction policies and strategies (including the Government Resource Efficiency Policy, NSW Waste and Sustainable Materials Strategy 2041 and the Circular Economy Policy Statement 2019), is there:
    - (a) Any centralised policy on how long Government agency laptop computers should be used before being replaced?
      - (i) If so, what does this policy specify?
    - (b) Any centralised oversight of the quantity of e-waste, including laptop computers, created by Government agencies?
      - (i) If so, is it known how many laptops are disposed of by Government agencies each year?
        - (1) If so, how many?
    - (c) Any centralised programs to ensure IT assets, including laptop computers, are reused and recycled across Government agencies?
      - (i) If so, what does this involve?

- (2) Who decides what happens to Government agency laptop computers when they are discarded?
- (3) What typically happens to Government agency laptop computers when they are discarded?
  - (a) Do we know how many laptops end up in landfill?
- (4) Are there any existing avenues for laptop computers no longer used by Government agencies to be donated to a charity that distributes laptops for reuse by priority groups in need?
  - (a) If so, what does this involve?
- (5) How would a charity that collects used laptops being discarded by large organisations approach the Government, from a whole-of-government perspective or an individual agency (starting with the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water), to propose collecting used laptops for reuse, to prevent them from being recycled prematurely, or worse, sent to landfill?

#### Answer-

- (1) There are no requirements relating to the use, reuse, disposal or recycling of government agency laptops in current NSW Government policies and strategies relating to waste reduction.
  - (a) The Department of Customer Service manages the whole of government contract for ICT End User Devices and Services Contract (C9826) and this contract provides that suppliers must ensure that disposal of equipment occurs in an environmentally appropriate manner. Questions relating to C9826 fall under the portfolio responsibility of the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government.
  - (b) The Digital Information Office (DIO), based centrally in the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure (DPHI) provides ICT services to Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW), DPHI and the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD).
  - (c) DIO purchases laptops for DCCEEW under the C9826 All of Government Contract which includes a manufacturers' 4-year warranty which represents the minimum expected lifespan of a device.
- (2) DIO manages the decommissioning and disposal of laptop assets on DCCEEW's behalf through the terms of the C9826 contract. Laptops are disposed via certified suppliers under the Sustainable Electronics Reuse and Recycling (R2) Standard v3 (R2v3) and any proceeds of sale (less decommission and disposal costs) are offset against the costs of the C9826 service contracts.
- (3) DCCEEW devices are disposed via R2v3 certified suppliers, who assess laptops for potential resale in the second-hand market, harvest them for parts or recycle them. DIO's R2v3 certified suppliers do not dispose equipment to landfill.
- (4) End-of-life practices vary between government agencies. For DCCEEW, laptops are disposed via R2v3 certified suppliers who assess them for potential resale in the second-hand market.
- (5) Charities can contact the R2v3 certified suppliers on the contract and negotiate if it is possible to receive the laptops. The C9826 contract list of approved suppliers can be found at https://www.info.buy.nsw.gov.au/contracts/ict-end-user-devices-and-services.
- \* 3678 HOUSING SEPP AND FRENCHS FOREST TOWN CENTRE—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
  - (1) Given the Frenchs Forest Town Centre site is already set to deliver 10-15% affordable housing under the Northern Beaches Affordable Housing Contributions Scheme, will developers get the 30% height and floor space ratio bonus, as per amendments to the Housing State Environmental Planning Policy?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

Any local requirements for affordable housing do not count towards the minimum required affordable housing component under the in-fill affordable housing provisions of the Housing State Environmental Planning Policy (Housing SEPP). If a developer chooses to opt-in to the Housing SEPP scheme, its minimum affordable housing component needs to be met in addition to any requirements under a local policy or any planning agreement with a public authority.

More information on how the provisions operate can be found on the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure's website at <a href="https://www.planning.nsw.gov.au/policy-and-legislation/housing/housing-sepp/in-fill-affordable-housing">https://www.planning.nsw.gov.au/policy-and-legislation/housing/housing-sepp/in-fill-affordable-housing</a>

- \* 3679 FOREST HIGH SCHOOL FRENCHS FOREST SITE—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) What is the status of discussions and project management between the Department of Education and Property Development NSW in relation to the future use of the site of the current Forest High School, once it has been relocated (approx mid 2025)?
  - (2) What are the timeframes and steps for the sale or transfer of the Forest High site from the Department of Education?
  - (3) Who is the formal decision maker who signs off on the sale or transfer of the Forest High site?
  - (4) Is there a value that the Department of Education is assuming they will receive from the sale of the Forest High site allocated to cover the costs of constructing the new Forest High School in Allambie Heights?
    - (a) If so, what is this figure?

#### Answer—

The Department is continuing to work with Property and Development NSW on the future divestment of The Forest High School site in line with the housing provision set out in the Frenchs Forest 2041 Place Strategy. The timing for the sale is set to align with the school relocation to the new site in 2025 and proceeds are expected to be returned to NSW Treasury.

\* 3680 TOONGABBIE CREEK—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

Regarding Toongabbie Creek, could the Minister please advise:\

- (1) When was the water quality last tested?
- (2) What is the frequency of water quality testing?
- (3) At what location of the creek is the water tested?

#### Answer-

- (1) Water within Toongabbie Creek was last sampled by the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) on 3 May 2024.
- (2) Water quality testing of Toongabbie Creek is not performed by the EPA on a routine basis.

Toongabbie Creek primarily flows through the Parramatta City Council and Blacktown City Council areas. Blacktown City Council undertakes quarterly water quality monitoring and annual biological monitoring in the creek. Blacktown City Council's annual waterway health grades for Toongabbie Creek are published on Council's website <a href="www.blacktown.nsw.gov.au/Our-">www.blacktown.nsw.gov.au/Our-</a>

- <u>environment/Waterways/Interactive-waterway-map/Toongabbie-Creek</u>. City of Parramatta Council undertakes five-yearly biological health surveys.
- (3) On 3 May 2024, samples were collected by the EPA from Toongabbie Creek, approximately adjacent to its intersection with Foundry Road, Seven Hills. Water quality testing of Toongabbie Creek at specified locations is not performed by the EPA on a routine basis.
  - Blacktown City Council undertakes its sampling of Toongabbie Creek close to the corner of Esther Street and Goliath Avenue.
- \* 3681 TEMPORARY SHUT DOWN OF XPT TRAIN SERVICE—Mrs Tanya Thompson to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

In relation to the temporary shut down of the XPT Train Service:

- (1) What was the Operational Issue that caused the shut down of this rail line?
- (2) Were consumers given less than 24 hours notice of the cancellation of the service?
  - (a) If so, why was such short notice given?
- (3) How many customers in the Myall Lakes Electorate were affected by this cancellation?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised

- (1) XPT regional train services were replaced with road coaches between Sydney and Brisbane between 17 September 2024 and 24 September 2024 to minimise the impact of changed train staffing arrangements.
  - A road coach was already planned to operate between Casino and Brisbane between 17 September 2024 and 29 September 2024 due to planned trackwork as a result of the Queensland Rail's Cross River Rail project.
  - Train services were reinstated on 24 September 2024 between Sydney and Brisbane.
- (2) NSW Trainlink remains committed to providing passengers with the most up to date information about service delays and cancellations. NSW Trainlink uses contact information provided by passengers at the time of booking to send email and SMS notifications advising them of the change of service. Due to the short notice of changes to train staffing, some passengers were advised less than 24 hours that the train would be replaced with a road coach from Sydney, instead of Casino, and I understand this was not ideal for impacted passengers.
- (3) NSW Train link is only able to report the number of passengers alighting or joining a service based on the suburbs within the Myall Lakes Electorate and cannot report the total number of passengers in the Myall Lakes Electorate that were affected. As of 25 September 2024, based on tickets sold between 17 and 29 September 2024, there were a total 1462 passengers alighting/joining at Taree Station, with a further 243 passenger alighting/joining at Wingham station.

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- 3683 SUPPORT FOR SMALL CONSTRUCTION BUSINESSES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3684 CHANGES TO SYDNEY'S RAIL TIMETABLE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 3685 PROJECT SUCCESS WESTERN HARBOUR TUNNEL AND WARRINGAH FREEWAY UPGRADE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport—
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- 3687 DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION FOR THE WILLOUGHBY GROUNDS DEVELOPMENT—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
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- 3689 NOISE COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE CROWS NEST METRO—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport—
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- 3693 BOCSAR STATISTICS ON SEXUAL OFFENCES—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3694 STEALING FROM RETAIL STORES—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3695 SUPPORTING SMALL BUSINESSES SUFFERING FROM STEALING—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3696 BOCSAR STATISTICS WOMEN'S SAFETY—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Women, Minister for Seniors, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 3697 ILLEGAL TOBACCO—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3698 RAILCORP AND RMS OVERTIME—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3699 GOODSAM AND AED STATISTICS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3700 GAMBLING ADVERTISING—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 3701 NSW BIGGEST POLLUTERS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

- 3702 NEW FIRE STATION FOR BROUGHTON VALE BERRY—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3703 INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT IN THE SHOALHAVEN—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3704 BOATING NOW AND MARITIME PLANNING—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3705 NSW MARITIME FEES AND OPERATIONAL COSTS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

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- 3706 TRAVEL SUBSIDIES FOR GIRLS TRAVELLING OUTSIDE BARWON TO PLAY SPORTS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3707 MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BARWON—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3708 GOVERNMENT FUNDING DISTRIBUTION MODELS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3709 ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDERS HEALTH SERVICES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3710 FIRE PERMITS IN NSW—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
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- 3712 NSW DRUG SUMMIT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3713 ENERGY SAVING SCHEME—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3714 ROAD FUNDING ALLOCATION—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3715 DRUG AND ALCOHOL TREATMENT CENTRES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Women, Minister for Seniors, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—

- 3716 WEST WYALONG HEALTH WORKER ACCOMMODATION—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3717 OUTCOME BUDGETING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 3718 SERVICE NSW POP UP CENTRES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3719 RAISING THE TAX-FREE THRESHOLD OF PAYROLL TAX—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3720 PAYROLL TAX REBATE SCHEME (JOBS ACTION PLAN) ACT 2011—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3721 SUPPORTING APPRENTICESHIPS IN SMALL BUSINESS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3722 INTEGRATED PUBLIC TRANSPORT SYSTEM 375 NEW BUSES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3723 DEVELOPING HOUSING ON THE SYDNEY WATER SITE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3724 LAND AUDIT FUTURE TRANCHES—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3725 FARE EVASION OFFENCES FINES—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3726 FINES FOR FARE EVASION NOT PAID—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3727 UNCLAIMED FINE REVENUE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3728 COST OF ENFORCING FARE EVASION OFFENCES—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3729 DEPARTMENT OF PLANNNING AND ENVIRONMENT ANNUAL REPORT STAFF CEASING EMPLOYMENT—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 3730 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ANNUAL REPORT STAFF CEASING EMPLOYMENT—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

- 3731 EMERGENCY HOUSING FOR PET-OWNERS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3732 TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION CONTRIBUTIONS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3733 NSW NURSES AND MIDWIVES ASSOCIATION INDUSTRIAL ACTION—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3734 SOCIAL HOUSING PROPERTY VACANCIES—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3735 UPDATE ON RESPONSE QON 2466—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3736 UPDATE TO RESPONSE 434—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3737 UPDATE ON RESPONSE 640—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3738 ROAD ACCIDENTS IN GOULBURN ELECTORATE—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3739 WALLAROO SOLAR FARM—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3740 BARTON HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3741 GOULBURN HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3742 GOULBURN POLICE ACADEMY FACILITIES—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3743 GOULBURN POLICE STATION UPGRADES—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3744 KEY HEALTH WORKER ACCOMMODATION—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3745 HUME HIGHWAY AT MARULAN—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3746 PLASREFINE DEVELOPMENT MOSS VALE—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

- 3747 DISASTER READY FUND PROJECTS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3748 BUSHFIRE FUEL LOADS AND RISK MANAGEMENT PLANNING—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3749 REGULATING ENDURING POWER OF ATTORNEY DOCUMENTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3750 BUDGET IMPACTS ON VETERAN SUICIDE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3751 NSW TRUSTEE AND GUARDIAN FEES-Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Attorney General-
- 3752 GRANTS AND SUPPORT FOR AGRICULTURE AND DAIRY EMERGENCY GRANTS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3753 PAYROLL TAX LIABILITY—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3754 WEBCAMS FOR COASTAL BARS AND ALPINE WATERS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Transport—

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- 3755 INVASIVE WEED CONTROL FUNDING—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3756 CONTROL OF HUDSON PEAR CACTUS AND MESQUITE—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3757 COST OF INCARCERATION OF YOUTH IN BARWON—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3758 CANCER THERAPY ACCOMMODATION—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3759 WORKERS COMPENSATION COVER—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 3760 FIRST LAP VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3761 CREATIVE KIDS VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

- 3762 ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3763 PENSIONER TRAVEL VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3764 ASSISTED SCHOOL TRAVEL PROGRAM—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3765 NSW GAS REBATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3766 SHARED EQUITY HOME BUYER SCHEME—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 3767 PUBLIC LAND AUDIT FOR HOUSING—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3768 PUBLIC LAND AUDIT FOR HOUSING—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3769 FURTHER INSTALLATION OF AIR CONDITIONING AT SCHOOLS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3770 UPDATE TO RESPONSE QON 2003—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3771 ADDITIONAL TRAFFIC LIGHTS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3772 ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION LICENCE FOR HELENSBURGH COAL—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3773 PROTECTION FOR SWIMMERS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3774 HUNGRY POINT RESERVE CRONULLA—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3775 UDPATE TO RESPONSE QON 1288—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3776 UPDATE ON RESPONSE QON 222—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

3777 UPDATE ON RESPONSE - QON 223—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—

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- 3778 RIVERWOOD FIRE STATION—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3779 REVIEW OF SPEED LIMIT WEST HEAD ROAD—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3780 CYCLEWAY BEYOND CHATSWOOD—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3781 VANDALISM IN SCHOOLS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3782 SCHOOL LEARNING SUPPORT OFFICERS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3783 RESTRICTIONS ON FIREWOOD COLLECTION IN MILLEWA NATIONAL PARK—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3784 NSW GOVERNMENT SECTOR WORKPLACE PRESENCE—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Premier—
- 3785 LANDHOLDER NEGOTIATION SCHEME—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3786 NSW INVASIVE SPECIES PLAN—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3787 PALM SCHEME WORKERS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 3788 ELECTIRC VEHICLE DESTINATION CHARGING GRANT—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3789 NATURAL DISASTER RELIEF LOANS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3790 DROWNINGS IN NSW—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

- 3791 STRATA MANAGEMENT LICENCES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3792 SOLAR INDUSTRY FRAUDULENT PRACTICES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3793 REALLOCATION OF GREEN SPACE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3794 ELECTRICAL TRADE UNION—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 3795 ELECTIVE SURGERY IMPACTED BY INDUSTRIAL ACTION—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3796 COVID-19 MICRO BUSINESS GRANTS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3797 BRUCE HIGHWAY UPGRADE—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3798 NEW ENGLAND WEEDS AUTHORITY—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 3799 'BLACKLISTING' OF TENANTS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3800 MENTAL HEALTH REVIEW TRIBUNAL—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Attorney General—
- 3801 TOMATO BROWN RUGOSE FRUIT VIRUS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3802 ESSENTIAL ENERGY REPAIR WORK—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3803 UPDATE ON MOREE SPECIAL ACTIVATION PRECINCT—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3804 MOREE HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3805 FIRST LAP VOUCHERS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

- 3806 EXPANDING AND REDEVELOPING SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3807 BREASTCREEN NSW CLINIC—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3808 DEMOUNTABLE CLASSROOMS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3809 ESSENTIAL WORKER ELIGIBILITY FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

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- 3810 FRAUD AND SCAMS REPORTED—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3811 AVERAGE EMERGENCY WAIT TIMES—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3812 WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMAINTS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 3813 BARRIER LOCAL AREA COMMAND VACANCIES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3814 VIRTUAL ALLIED HEALTH SERVICE—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3815 LADY GAME DRIVE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3816 PARK&RIDE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3817 CYCLING IN THE DAVIDSON ELECTORATE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3818 RIVERCAT FERRIES—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3819 MORTLAKE SLIPWAY—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3820 BIRKENHEAD POINT FERRY WHARF—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3821 FAST FERRY SERVICE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3822 E SCOOTERS AND BIKES ON METRO—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 3823 PROPOSED CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3824 PERMISSIBLE IN STRATA LIVING—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3825 ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS FOR SYDNEY METRO—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3826 INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT IN SCHOOLS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3827 EMBEDDED ELECTRICITY NETWORKS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3828 CONTINGENCY PLANS FOR NETBALL—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3829 CONCESSION CARDS FOR NATIONAL PARKS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3830 PARKING SPACES AT METRO STATIONS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3831 INVESTMENT IN REGIONAL TRANSPORT—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3832 PORT STEPHENS ROAD UPGRADES—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3833 THORNTON ROAD AND RAIL BRIDGE UPGRADE—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3834 ALPHADALE CROSSROADS PROPOSED ROUNDABOUT—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3835 CARTERS ROAD-LAKE MUMMORAH TRAFFIC STUDY—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3836 BRIDGES IN KYOGLE SHIRE LGA—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3837 GOLDEN HIGHWAY NEW OVERTAKING LANE—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3838 UPPER HUNTER SHIRE FUNDING DEED—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

- 3839 GOSFORD BYPASS BUSINESS CASE—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3840 TRUCK DIVERSION ROZELLE INTERCHANGE—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3841 MOYROAL OFFICE AND COUNCILLOR ENTITLEMENTS—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 3842 WHITE BAY CRUISE TERMINAL BY LATE 2026—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3843 ENHANCED POLICE SUPPORT SCHEME—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3844 STAFFING NUMBERS OF NSW POLICE—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3845 ROAD ACCIDENTS AND POLICE PATROLS—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3846 YASS VALLEY WATER TREATMENT PLANT—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3847 PROCEEDS OF CRIME ACQUIRED BY EDDIE OBEID—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

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- 3848 ANIMAL WELFARE GRANT—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3849 CLINICAL EARLY INTERVENTION ASSESSMENTS FOR 4-5 YEAR OLDS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3850 AERIAL PLATFORMS FOR FIRE AND RESCUE NSW—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3851 DIABETES CLINICAL SERVICES IN COWRA—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3852 COOTAMUNDRA PATHOLOGY—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3853 SUPPORTING REGIONAL COMMUNITIES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—

- 3854 JUGIONG POLICE OFFICERS RESIDENCE—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3855 PALLIATIVE CARE NURSES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3856 NSW SHERIFFS STRIKE ACTION—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Attorney General—
- 3857 INCREASED DEMAND ON RENTAL PROPERTIES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3858 SEVERE FROST EVENTS—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3859 KEY WORKER ACCOMMODATION PROGRAM—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3860 LICENSED FIREARM HOLDERS IN TWEED ELECTORATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3861 LIQUOR LICENCES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 3862 OUTSTANDING LIQUOR LICENSES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 3863 AMBULANCE VEHICLES AND PARAMEDICS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3864 AMBULANCE RESPONSES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3865 ELECTIVE SURGERY WAITLIST TWEED ELECTORATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3866 CONDUIT FOR SHORE POWER—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3867 FERAL DEER REDUCTION PRACTICES—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3868 PAUSE ON SALE OF EXCESS GOVERNMENT PROPERTY—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3869 PORT MACQUARIE COURTHOUSE UPGRADES—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Attorney General—

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- 3870 WATER SHARING PLAN REVIEW—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3871 SENIOR POLICE OFFICER SALARY COMPARISON—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3872 WESTERN LANDS LEASEHOLDERS PROCESSING TIMES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3873 BUS REGION 14 CANCELLATIONS SEP-OCT 20204—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3874 LOCAL SPORT DEFIBRILLATOR PROGRAM—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3875 TWO-WAY TOLLING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3876 TRANSPORT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3877 YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH BEDS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3878 STAKEHOLDER SUBMISSIONS FOR BUDGET 2025-26—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 3879 PROTECTING BOARDING HOUSE RESIDENTS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3880 LACK OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3881 OUTBREAK OF TROPICAL SODA APPLE—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3882 AMBULANCE HELICOPTER FEES—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

- 3883 GUYRA MULTIPURPOSE SERVICE—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Police and Counterterrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3884 WATER QUALITY IN GUYRA—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3885 SMALL BUSINESS MONTH—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3886 COVID-19 MICRO BUSINESS GRANTS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3887 HOME SCHOOLED CHILDREN IN TWEED ELECTORATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3888 SUSPENDED LICENCES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3889 MOBILE PHONE AND SEATBELT DETECTION CAMERA INFRINGEMENTS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3890 DESIGN WORK FOR SHORE POWER—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3891 STATE SIGNIFICANT REZONING SITE IDENTIFICATION—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3892 NEW PRIMARY SCHOOL AT ST LEONARDS—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3893 SYDNEY METRO USAGE DATA—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3894 BERRYS BAY PRECINCT STATE HERITAGE REGISTER—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3895 RAIL NOISE ALONG T1 LINE—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3896 SERVICE CUTS T1 SERVICE—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3897 TWO-WAY TOLLING—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3898 EMPLOYMENT AGENCY PAYROLL TAX PROVISIONS—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 3899 PARTY BOATS ON SYDNEY HARBOUR—Ms Felicity Wilson to ask the Minister for Transport—

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- 3900 RESILIENCE OF THE ELECTRICITY GRID IN THE FAR WEST—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3901 TRANSFER OF INTENSIVE CARE PARAMEDICS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3902 COST OF MEDICAL ASSESSMENT FOR SENIOR DRIVERS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3903 BILLABONG CREEK FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT PLAN—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3904 COMPENSATION UNDER CONSTRAINTS PROJECTS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3905 ENVIRONMENTAL FLOW INSURANCE—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3906 FLOWS UNDER CONSTRAINTS PROJECTS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3907 LANDHOLDER NEGOTIATION SCHEME—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3908 DRAFT NATIONAL WATER AGREEMENT—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3909 DISTANCE EDUCATION—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3910 BAYVIEW PARK FERRY SERVICE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3911 FERRAGOSTO 2025—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

- 3912 FISHING MUSEUM AGRICULTURE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3913 FISHING MUSEUM ARTS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3914 OPAL CARD DATA—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3915 NATIVE VEGETATION CLEARANCE—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3916 RESIDENTIAL TENANCY CONDITIONS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3917 LOCAL SPORT DEFIBRILLATOR GRANT PROGRAM—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3918 SERVICE DELIVERY BY GOVERNMENT AGENCIES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3919 STUDENT WELFARE AND SUPPORT SERVICES—Mr Tim James to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3920 TENANT PROTECTIONS AND RENTAL REGULATIONS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3921 WORKERS COMPENSATION CLAIMS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 3922 URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND PUBLIC SPACES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3923 TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 3924 SUPPORTING MULTICULTURAL COMMUNITIES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3925 REGIONAL SMALL BUSINESSES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3926 ACTIVE KID VOUCHERS REDEEMED—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

- 3927 PALLIATIVE CARE NURSES—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3928 POLICE AREA COMMAND STAFFINGS—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3929 VACANT AUTHORISED POLICE POSITIONS—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3930 FUNDING FOR AGING AND DISABILITY COMMISSION—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Women, Minister for Seniors, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 3931 AUSTRALIAN PESTICIDE AND VETERINARY MEDICINES AUTHORITY—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3932 CREATIVE KID VOUCHERS REDEEMED—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3933 PRINT MEDIA SPEND—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 3934 FIRST LAP VOUCHERS REDEEMED—Mr Dugald Saunders to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3935 ABERCROMBIE CAVES—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3936 BATHURST HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3937 REGIONAL MEDIA FUND—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 3938 REGIONAL 500 PARAMEDIC ROLL OUT—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3939 BARTON HIGHWAY—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3940 GOULBURN HOSPITAL REDEVELOPMENT—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3941 BUDGET LINE ITEMS FACILITY UPGRADES—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3942 HUME POLICE DISTRICT CRIME—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Police and Counterterrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3943 VIOLENCE AND CRIME RELATED TO ILLEGAL TOBACCO—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

- 3944 YASS HOSPITAL MATERNITY—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3945 SA3 GOULBURN—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3946 DISABILITY DISCRIMINATION—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Premier—
- 3947 FIREARM LICENCES—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3948 JAMBEROO AND MINNAMURRA SPEED LIMIT REDUCTIONS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3949 HOUSEHOLDS EXPERIENCING FOOD INSECURITY—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion—
- 3950 NEW AVIATION COURSES AND FUTURE AIRCRAFT MECHANICS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 3951 RESPONDING TO EMERGENCIES—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 3952 TOURISM BOOST AND STRATEGY—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3953 THERAPEUTIC JURISPRUDENCE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Attorney General—
- 3954 WATER RESILIENT ILLAWARRA—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

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- 3955 JOB ADVERTISEMENTS IN RURAL AND REGIONAL COMMUNITIES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3956 ASSISTANCE FOR RECRUITMENT FOR SMALL BUSINESS IN RURAL AND REMOTE AREAS— Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3957 GROWING THE VISITOR ECONOMY—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3958 PALLIATIVE CARE UNITS IN REGIONAL NSW—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

- 3959 RENTAL PROPERTY CRISIS—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3960 SMALL BUSINESSES RENTING A PREMISES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3961 LACK OF TRADES PEOPLE IN REGIONAL NSW—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3962 LOCAL YOUTH ARTS ORGANISATIONS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3963 INTERSECTION OF PACIFIC HIGHWAY, SHIRLEY, AND CLANVILLE ROADS IN ROSEVILLE— Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3964 INQUEST INTO THE DEATH OF BRIDGETTE 'BIDDY' PORTER—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Attorney General—
- 3965 STATISTICS ON MENTAL HEALTH PATIENTS ABSCONDING—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3966 WHEALY REVIEW RECOMMENDATIONS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3967 WENTWORTH POINT CONTAMINANTS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3968 ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AUTHORITY MELROSE PARK—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3969 PRIVATE FEE ON THE AIRPORT LINE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 3970 LOCAL GOVERNMENT HOUSING TARGETS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3971 AIR CONDITIONING IN NSW HEALTH FACILITIES—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 3972 TAFE FACILITIES WITH AIR CONDITIONING—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

- 3973 AIR CONDITIONING IN DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND SCHOOLS INFRASTRUCTURE— Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3974 CLIENT INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion—
- 3975 COMPUTERISED OPERATIONAL POLICING SYSTEM—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 3976 AT-PROPERTY NOISE MITIGATION—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3977 ROZELLE INTERCHANGE INVESTIGATIONS—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3978 WESTCONNEX TRAFFIC MODELLING AND IMPACTS—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

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- 3979 ACCESS TO EMERGENCY ACCOMMODATION—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3981 ACCESSING MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3982 GOVERNMENT GRANT FUNDING—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Premier—
- 3983 NATIONAL WATER GRID FUNDING—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 3984 SUPPORT CLASSES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3985 COMMUNITY BUILDING PARTNERSHIP—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—
- 3986 SEPP DEVELOPMENT CAPACITY—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3987 SEAT BELT DETECTION CAMERAS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

- 3988 MOBILITY PARKING SCHEME—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3989 LITTERING FROM A VEHICLE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 3990 50 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON LICENCE RENEWAL—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3991 COASTAL DREDGING STRATEGY—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3992 SELF FUNDED RETIREES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3993 SCHOOL ADMIN REDUCTION PROGRAM—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 3994 ACTIVE ADULTS CAMPAIGN—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 3995 FLOOD AFFECTED PROPERTIES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3996 INFORMAL VOTES IN THE 2024 LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 3997 POWER UP FESTIVAL AT WHITE BAY POWER STATION—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 3998 CARRIAGEWAY KILOMETRES OF STATE ROADS—Mrs Tanya Thompson to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 3999 MENTAL HEALTH SECTOR IN MYALL LAKES ELECTORATE—Mrs Tanya Thompson to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 4000 CROWN LANDS AND GOVERNMENT OWNED PROPERTY IN MYALL LAKES—Mrs Tanya Thompson to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

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(Paper No. 83)

- 4001 MONA VALE ROAD ACCIDENTS MONA VALE AND BELROSE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - In relation to Mona Vale Road between Forest Way in Belrose and Pittwater Road in Mona Vale:
  - (1) How many traffic accidents have occurred in the following years:

(2)

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(a) 2009/10? 2010/11? (b) 2011/12? (c) (d) 2012/13? (e) 2013/14? 2014/15? (f) 2015/16? (g) (h) 2016/17? 2017/18? (i) 2018/19? (j) (k) 2019/20? (1) 2020/21? 2021/22? (m) (n) 2022/23? 2023/24? (o) How many fatalities have occurred in the following years: (a) 2009/10? (b) 2010/11? 2011/12? (c) (d) 2012/13? 2013/14? (e) 2014/15? (f) 2015/16? (g)

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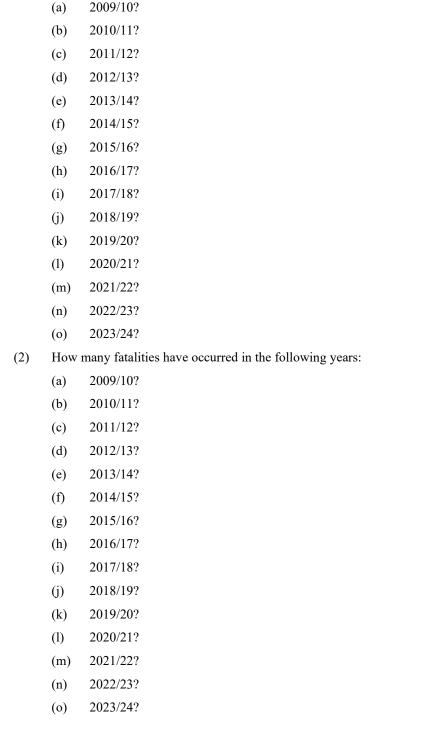
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4002 MONA VALE ROAD ACCIDENTS - PYMBLE AND BELROSE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

In relation to Mona Vale Road between the Pacific Highway in Pymble and Forest Way in Belrose:

(1) How many traffic accidents have occurred in the following years:



4003 MONA VALE ROAD WEST UPGRADE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

In relation to the Mona Vale Road West upgrade:

(1) When will funding be made available in the New South Wales Budget to upgrade the road to two lanes each way between Ingleside to Terrey Hills?

- (2) How much will the total upgrade cost to complete?
- 4004 DAVIDSON HIGH SCHOOL UPGRADES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

In relation to Davidson High:

- (1) Are there any past, current, or planned upgrades specifically for the school hall since April 2023?
- 4005 FLOOD PLAIN MANAGEMENT PLANS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

The Water Management Act 2000 requires the Minister for the Environment to give concurrence on water management plans under the Act:

- (1) What information do you receive from the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW) Water Group to inform your decision on concurrence?
- (2) How many water management plans has the Minister given concurrence to?
- 4006 IMPACT OF DRAFT NATIONAL WATER AGREEMENT—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
  - (1) Will the Government undertake a regulatory impact statement to fully understand the regulatory and legislative implications of the draft National Water Agreement before committing?
  - (2) Will the Government undertake a financial impact statement analysis to fully understand the budgetary implications of operationalising the draft National Water Agreement should NSW commit?
- 4007 NSW FLOOD PRONE LAND POLICY—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

Regarding the Government Flood risk management manual and the Flood Prone Land Policy:

- (1) What consideration was given to this policy in developing the Reconnecting River Country Program and Flood Plain Management Plans?
- (2) What consultation was undertaken with affected councils with primary responsibility of appropriate controls under this Policy?
- (3) Does section 733 of the Local Government Act give local councils an exemption to any liability under these programs?
- 4008 COMMUNITY CONSULTATION—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

What is the cost of community consultation for the following programs:

- (1) Reconnecting River Country Program?
- (2) Landholder Negotiation Scheme?

- (3) Murrumbidgee Floodplain Management Plan?
- (4) Billabong Creek Floodplain Management Plan?
- 4009 CONSTRAINTS TERMS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

The Murray Darling Basin Authority's definition of 'constraints' does not align with the definition used by the NSW Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water:

- (1) Will the Government define the term constraint within the Water Management Act 2000 to ensure consistency?
- 4010 WATER AND AGRICULTURE COMMISSIONER—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
  - Can the Minister advise what processes will be in place to ensure the Agriculture Commissioner, once appointed, understands Water Security and how that relates to food security for agricultural matters?
- 4011 WATER QUALITY—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

The Basin Plan 2012 at Schedule 10, outlines 9 key causes of water quality degradation:

- (1) Will the Minister be considering Carp and other pests as a key cause of water quality degradation?
- 4012 CONCORD HOSPITAL WAIT TIMES—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) What was the average emergency wait time at Concord Hospital Emergency Department in:
    - (a) 2022?
    - (b) 2023?
    - (c) 2024?
  - (2) How many nurses were required to work double shifts or extended hours at Concord Hospital in:
    - (a) January 2024?
    - (b) February 2024?
    - (c) March 2024?
    - (d) April 2024?
    - (e) May 2024?
    - (f) June 2024?
    - (g) July 2024?
    - (h) August 2024?
    - (i) September 2024?
  - (3) How many patients received treatment at the Concord Cancer Centre in:

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	(a)	2022?
	(b)	2023?
	(c)	2024?
(4)	How many patients received kidney/dialysis treatment at Concord Hospital in:	
	(a)	2022?
	(b)	2023?
	(c)	2024?
		PRIMARY SCHOOL—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for nd Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
(1)	For the benefit of constituents of the Drummoyne electorate, could you please provide an update or the Rhodes East primary school?	
		ND SCAMS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, r for the Hunter—
(1)	How many NSW Police reports have been made regarding financial fraud or scams in:	
	(a)	2022?
	(b)	2023?
	(c)	2024?
(2)	What does NSW Police estimate the monetary cost was to New South Wales residents who were victims of fraud and/or scams in:	
	(a)	2022?
	(b)	2023?
	(c)	2024?
(3)	How many NSW Police officers were in the Financial Crime Squad in:	
	(a)	2022?
	(b)	2023?
	(c)	2024?
(4)	How many NSW Police officers were in the Cybercrime Squad in:	
	(a)	2022?
	(b)	2023?

- 4015 NO LEFT TURN AT VICTORIA AND LYONS ROADS, DRUMMOYNE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - (1) How many submissions were received during Transport for NSW's community consultation process for the proposed No Left Turn at Victoria and Lyons Roads, Drummoyne?
  - (2) What is the number and percentage of positive submissions received?
  - (3) What is the number and percentage of negative submissions received?

- (4) When will a decision be made by Transport for NSW?
- 4016 GAP FILLERS AT TRAIN STATIONS IN THE DRUMMOYNE ELECTORATE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Does the Government have any plans to install platform gap fillers at the following stations:
    - (a) North Strathfield?
    - (b) Concord West?
    - (c) Rhodes?
    - (d) Strathfield?
  - (2) Has the Government observed a decline in platform-related safety incidents as a result of the installation of platform gap fillers?
  - (3) How much funding in the 2024-25 State budget is allocated to the Platform Gap Filler Program?
- 4017 PARRAMATTA RIVER FERRY SERVICE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Will additional ferry services be added during the Christmas school holidays and on weekends in summer?
- 4018 FERRY SERVICE REVIEW—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) In the 2023/24 Budget, funding was allocated for a Drummoyne ferry service review. Has the review been finalised?
    - (a) If so, will the report be made available to the public?
- 4019 FISHING ON WHARVES—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) What additional resources have been allocated to monitoring, regulating and cleaning ferry wharves on the Parramatta River this summer given the issues experienced by commuters due to fishing on wharves last summer?
- 4020 GYNAECOLOGY AT CONCORD HOSPITAL—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) Are gynaecological services including scans, ultrasounds and access to specialist doctors available at Concord Hospital for patients presenting to the Emergency Department?
  - (2) Has there been a change to the way presentations to the Emergency department with gynaecological matters are being treated?
- 4021 ABORIGINAL LAND CLAIMS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
  - Can you provide a detailed update on the status and plans for the processing of 38,000 undetermined Aboriginal land claims that were reported by the Audit Office of New South Wales in 2022?
- 4022 ROADS ACT 1993 PART 9 DIVISION 7 REVIEW—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - Regarding offences for damage or disruption to major roads or major public facilities:

- (1) Has the review on whether the policy objectives of the Division remain valid and whether the terms of the Division remain appropriate for securing those objectives been finalised?
- (2) Why hasn't a report on the outcome of the review been tabled in each House of Parliament as required by Section 144H (3) of the Act?
- (3) When will a report on the review be tabled in each House of Parliament?
- (4) Will the submissions to the review be publicly available?
  - (a) If so, where will they be published?
  - (b) If not, why not?
- 4023 NITROUS OXIDE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) When will the outcomes of the consultation into Nitrous Oxide Reform be publicly available?
  - (2) What programs are run by NSW Health to educate the community about the risks of using nitrous oxide and how to mitigate those risks?
  - (3) Who are these programs targeted towards?
  - (4) How are these programs delivered and how often?
  - (5) What consideration is being given to expanding education about the risks of taking nitrous oxide?
- 4024 STUDENT ATTENDANCE—Mr Tim James to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

In relation to student attendance in schools:

- (1) Could the Minister provide data on student attendance rates for schools located within the Willoughby electorate over the past two years?
  - (a) How do these rates compare to the state average during the same period?
- 4025 TREE VANDALISM—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

In relation to tree vandalism in Willoughby:

- (1) Could the Minister provide details on the number of tree vandalism complaints received in the Willoughby electorate over the past two years?
  - (a) What actions have been taken in response to these complaints, including penalties or prosecutions?
- 4026 YOUTH CRIME RATES IN WILLOUGHBY—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

In relation to youth crime rates in Willoughby:

- (1) Could the Minister provide data on youth crime rates in the Willoughby electorate over the past two years?
  - (a) How many of these incidents have resulted in convictions?
- 4027 HOUSING APPROVALS IN WILLOUGHBY—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

In relation to housing approvals in Willoughby:

- (1) Could the Minister outline the number of housing approvals granted within the Willoughby electorate over the past two years?
  - (a) Could the Minister provide a breakdown of residential types and any associated delays in the approval process?
- 4028 PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN NORTHBRIDGE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport— In relation to public transport in Northbridge:
  - (1) Could the Minister provide data on the wait times and service frequency for bus route 194 serving the North bridge and Willoughby areas over the past 2 years?
    - (a) What measures are being implemented to reduce wait times and improve service reliability on this route?
- 4029 PARKING FACILITIES NEAR TRANSPORT HUBS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport—

In relation to parking facilities near public transport hubs in Willoughby:

- (1) What plans are in place to improve or expand parking facilities near Chatswood Station to accommodate the increased demand from commuters?
  - (a) Has the Government considered additional parking structures or alternate transport solutions to reduce the parking burden?
- 4030 ARTARMON STATION—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport—

In relation to Artarmon Station on the North Shore Line:

- (1) Is Artarmon Station the only station on the North Shore Line that does not have lift access for both sides of the railway line?
  - (a) If so, what plans are in place to address the lack of lift access and improve accessibility at Artarmon Station?
- 4031 SERVICE NSW WAIT TIMES—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

In relation to Service NSW services in Chatswood:

- (1) Could the Minister provide the average wait time at the Service NSW Chatswood Centre per month over the past 2 years
  - (a) How does this compare to the average wait time across all Service NSW centres in the state?
- 4032 CONSUMER PROTECTION IN WILLOUGHBY—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—

In relation to consumer protection in Willoughby:

- (1) How many complaints regarding unfair business practices or consumer fraud have been lodged by residents in the Willoughby electorate over the past two years?
  - (a) Of these complaints, how many have resulted in formal investigations or enforcement actions by NSW Fair Trading?
- 4033 MUSWELLBROOK SHIRE COUNCIL SUPPORT REGIONAL ROAD NETWORK—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

Did Muswellbrook Shire Council support the utilisation of the regional road network including Wybong and Bengalla Rds in lieu of replacing Denman Bridge?

4034 TIMEFRAME FOR REPLACING DENMAN BRIDGE—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

What was the assessed estimated time required to replace Denman Bridge?

4035 MACHINE LEARNING CAMERAS—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

What findings have been received from the machine learning cameras along Bengalla Rd so far?

4036 STATE ROAD MODIFICATIONS FOR OSOM COMPONENT TRANSPORT—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

Which intersections along the State road network from the Port of Newcastle to the Central West Orana Renewable Energy Zone has Energy Co identified as needing modification for the transportation of Oversize and/or overmass (OSOM) components?

4037 CORRIDOR DETERMINATION - MUSWELLBROOK BYPASS COMPLETION—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

Is the completion of the Muswellbrook Bypass included in the discussions between Transport for NSW and Energy Co in determining the corridor between Newcastle Port and New England Renewable Energy Zone?

4038 OPERATIONAL STRATEGY FOR WINDFARM COMPONENTS—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

When is the Operational Strategy for the movements of Wind Farm components, specifically OSOM, to the Central West Orana REZ expected to be complete?

4039 PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE JUST TERMS ACT—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

What are the proposed changes to the Just Terms Act that will assist with replacement value for landholders?

- 4040 MUSWELLBROOK BYPASS—Mr Dave Layzell to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—Regarding the Muswellbrook Bypass:
  - (1) Is the deed signed with the Commonwealth Government?
  - (2) When is the anticipated start date for this project?
- 4041 COMMUNITY HOUSING IN NSW—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
  - (1) In relation to Community Housing in New South Wales:
    - (a) How many Community Housing dwellings currently exist in New South Wales?
      - (i) Of these, how many are currently occupied?
      - (ii) How many are currently untenanted?
      - (iii) Of those that are currently untenanted, why are they untenanted?

- (b) What percentage of the total social housing stock in NSW is comprised of:
  - (i) Properties owned by a registered Community Housing Provider?
  - (ii) Properties owned by Homes NSW but managed by a registered Community Housing Provider?
- (c) What, if any, evaluation has been undertaken of Community Housing Providers and their impact on increasing the supply and/or quality of social housing dwellings and ensuring value for taxpayer money?
- (d) Please provide a list of all registered Community Housing Providers that currently operate in New South Wales and the total number of dwellings each of them manage?
- 4042 SOCIAL HOUSING BY NSW LGA—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
  - (1) For each Local Government Area across NSW please outline the following, broken down into public housing, Aboriginal housing, or housing managed by registered Community Housing Providers:
    - (a) The total number of social housing dwellings?
    - (b) The total population residing within social housing?
    - (c) The median age of the population who are the main tenant in social housing?
    - (d) The average household size within social housing?
- 4043 FUNDING SOURCES FOR INCREASED SOCIAL HOUSING INVESTMENT—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
  - (1) In relation to each of the 65 Homes NSW projects that were under contract as of 31 May 2024 and which will be owned and managed by Homes NSW:
    - (a) How much funding was allocated through state housing funding stream(/s), and can you please name the specific stream(/s)?
    - (b) How much funding was allocated through federal housing funding stream(/s), and can you please name the specific stream(/s)?
  - (2) Separately, for each NSW State Government housing funding stream, please outline how much funding over the past five financial years has been allocated to each of the following in each Local Government Area in New South Wales:
    - (a) Local Government?
    - (b) Community Housing Providers?
    - (c) Landcom?
    - (d) Private Developers?
    - (e) Another entity (please specify)?
- 4044 PAEDIATRIC SERVICES IN THE NORTHERN TABLELANDS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  In relation to paediatric services in the Northern Tablelands:

- (1) What is your Government doing to address the critical lack of paediatricians across the Northern Tablelands?
- (2) How can children who have ADHD or complex disorders get the medical and behavioural support that they need?
- 4045 DETERIORATION OF ROADS—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

In relation to the deterioration of roads in the Moree Plains Shire:

- (1) What is your Government doing to address numerous washouts and black soil in Garah, Berrigal and Bellata?
- (2) How can you support the urgent repair of these roads, and ensure the safety of locals, particularly during busy harvest time?
- 4046 WAITING PERIODS FOR SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

In relation to the waiting period for social housing in Armidale and Moree:

- (1) Is there currently a 2-5 year wait to secure public housing in these areas?
  - (a) If yes, why?
- (2) What are you doing to urgently address this problem?
- 4047 NEW ENGLAND RENEWABLE ENERGY ZONE—Mr Brendan Moylan to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

In relation to projects under the New England Renewable Energy Zone:

- (1) Are projects in opportune locations?
- (2) Do the locations of some projects have a high social and environmental impact?
- 4048 GRAFFITI AT FOREST WAY AND WARRINGAH ROAD—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - (1) What is the status and goals of the dedicated Transport for NSW working group, including representatives from ConnectSydney, to address Graffiti on the Northern Beaches, including at Warringah Road and Forest Way?
  - (2) How many times has this working group met since August 2024?
  - (3) What options are being considered to resolve the long term graffiti issue at the Forest Way and Warringah Road intersection?
  - (4) What is the decision making process to decide which option will be implemented to resolve the long term graffiti issue at the Forest Way and Warringah Road intersection?
  - (5) When will a long term solution to the graffiti issue at Forest Way and Warringah Road be decided and delivered?
  - (6) Will local MPs be consulted as part of this process?
- 4049 SYDNEY ACADEMY OF SPORT AND RECREATION ATHLETICS TRACK—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and

Minister for Sport representing the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

- (1) What is the current status of efforts by the Office of Sport to fix or relocate the currently closed synthetic athletics track at the Sydney Academy of Sport and Recreation in Narrabeen?
- (2) Has the Office of Sport engaged the design and engineering consultants to prepare a concept design that would reinstate the track and make it more resilient to flooding in the future, as per the answer given in question time on the 17th September 2024?
  - (a) If yes, when is this concept design expected to be complete?
  - (b) If not, why not?
- (3) What is the latest communication to impacted stakeholders?
- (4) What are the next steps and indicative timeframes to achieve a long term solution to this problem?
- 4050 ARTWORK ON WESTCONNEX EXHAUST STACKS—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

Regarding the artwork surrounding the WestConnex exhaust ventilation stacks at the Rozelle Parklands:

- (1) What approval process was undertaken and who was the consent authority?
- (2) What was the cost of installing them and who met this cost?
- (3) What is the annual maintenance cost and who meets this cost?
- (4) What would it cost to remove them and who would be required to meet this cost?
- 4051 HOMELESSNESS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

With respect to homelessness:

- (1) Is your Government committed to honouring the vanguard agreement?
- (2) What steps is your Government taking to halve street-sleeping by 2025?
- (3) Why has your Government cut the Together Home Initiative?
- (4) Does your Government still undertake street counts of homeless people twice a year?
- (5) Is your Government committed to the Supported Transition Engagement Program?
- (6) How many assertive outreach teams currently operate across NSW?
  - (a) How does this compare to the last three years?
- (7) How many funded services participated in assertive outreach and how many Community Services Centres participate?
- (8) What policy changes have you made to the administration of Temporary Accommodation since becoming Minister?
- (9) What specific initiatives have you instigated during your time as Minister to support homeless youth and how will these programs be evaluated?
- (10) Of the new homelessness initiatives you have commenced since your time in the Ministry, what percentage of people have maintained a tenancy once placed into permanent accommodation?

4052 ILLAWARRA AND SOUTH COAST PORTFOLIO SERVICE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

With respect to your portfolio for the Illawarra and South Coast:

- (1) Can you provide the address of all New South Wales State Government Office buildings where public servants are situated to support your portfolio as Minister for the Illawarra and South Coast?
- (2) How many FTE staff are employed to support your role as Minister for the Illawarra and South Coast from the public service?
- (3) What is the budget each year for the last two years for the Ministry of the Illawarra and South Coast?
- (4) What new initiatives, not started by the former government, have you commenced since becoming the Minister for the Illawarra and South Coast?
- 4053 STAFFING THE ILLAWARRA SHOALHAVEN LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

With respect to staffing in the Illawarra-Shoalhaven Local Health District (ISLHD):

- (1) How many FTE staff are there in the ISLHD as at the time of asking this question?
- (2) How many FTE staff have there been in the district each year for the last four years?
- (3) In relation to (2), can you break these positions down by groups such as nurses, doctors, midwives and staff specialists each year for the last four years?
- (4) How many administrative staff are employed by the district this year and each year for the last four years?
- (5) What is the retention rate of nurses, doctors and staff specialists this year and each year for the last four years?
- 4054 INTERCITY FLEET FOR SOUTH COAST—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Transport—

Noting Question 2593 and you answer on 18 April 2024 in relation to the New Intercity Fleet (NIF):

- (1) When will the South Coast line be seeing its first NIF carriages on the line?
- (2) Why is the South Coast line the last line to receive the NIF?
- (3) How many NIF trains are currently stationed at Waterfall?
- (4) How many additional seats and services will be added to the South Coast line as part of timetable changes?
- (5) When will the Endeavour Class trains be replaced with new hybrid trains?
- (6) Will the replacement of Endeavour class trains result in additional seats and services?
- (7) Will the replacement hybrid trains result in a direct service from Bomaderry to Sydney without the need to change trains?
- (8) Is the Minister and her department considering a new express service from Kiama to Sydney and Sydney to Kiama with limited stops at only major stations?
- 4055 ILLEGAL TOBACCO—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) How many officers in your department investigate illegal tobacco in New South Wales?
  - (2) How does this compare with enforcement officers in South Australia?

- (3) Where are these officers located?
  - (a) How many are located in metropolitan New South Wales and how many are located in regional New South Wales?
- (4) How many arrests have been instigated as a result of investigations by your department this year and for the last two years?
- (5) How many prosecutions have occurred as a result of investigations by your department?
  - (a) Of these, how many have resulted in convictions?
- (6) Are current penalties for selling, distributing and supplying illegal tobacco working as intended?
- (7) Are you aware of any health official, investigating illegal tobacco, resigning for any reason associated with undue or inappropriate pressure from anyone associated with illegal tobacco?
  - (a) If yes, what action has your department taken?
- (8) How does your departments efforts to investigate and prosecute illegal tobacco compare with other jurisdictions such as South Australia in terms of the numbers of investigations, prosecutions and convictions based on publicly available data from the South Australian Government?
- (9) Why weren't recent changes to vaping laws drafted to mirror restrictions around illegal tobacco?
- (10) Will you consider moving the enforcement function for illegal tobacco laws to the Department of Fair Trading, like South Australia?
  - (a) If not why not?
- (11) Is your department best placed to enforce illegal tobacco laws?
  - (a) If yes, why?
- (12) Will you work with the cross bench to strengthen illegal tobacco laws in New South Wales?
  - (a) If not, why not?
- 4056 HAZARD REDUCTIONS (CONTINUED)—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

With reference to Question 3576 and your answer on 19 September 2024:

- (1) In relation to (Question 3578 [1]), can you list related names and papers?
- (2) In relation to (Question 3578 [2]), what role does FLARE Lab (University of Melbourne) play in identifying and determining burn locations?
- (3) In relation to (Question 3578 [2]), what role does the BFMC play in identifying and determining burn locations?
- (4) In relation to (Question 3578 [3]), was the calculation of 129,711 properties determined by FLARE Lab using Phoenix?
- (5) In relation to (Question 3578 [3]), what was the shortfall of properties and hectares?
- (6) In relation to (Question 3578 [4]), did research by the CSIRO's 'Project Vesta' show that bushfire risk is primarily driven by understorey height and cover rather than by the weight of fuels?
  - (a) If so, can you list any changes to policies and protocols that recognise the hazard reduction value of long-unburnt forests with naturally open understoreys?
- (7) In relation to (Question 3578 [4]), did research by the University of Wollongong find that prescribed burning leverage is negative (that is, prescribed burning increases bushfire likelihood) in the South East Corner, South East Coastal Plain and New South Wales South Western Slopes Bioregions?

- (a) If so, has prescribed burning been discontinued in these bioregions, and if not, can you list the journal articles that justified this decision?
- (8) In relation to (Question 3578 [4]), did research by the University of Wollongong find that crown fire in the Sydney basin, Blue Mountains and Illawarra is most likely in areas that have been burned within the previous 5-15 years, and any form of canopy damage is unlikely by 30 years?
  - (a) If so, can you list any changes to policies and protocols that recognise the hazard reduction value of long-unburnt forest in these regions, and if no such policies or protocols have been developed, can you list the journal articles that justified this decision?
- (9) In relation to (Question 3578 [4]), did analysis of New South Wales mapped fire records by the University of Wollongong find that bushfire likelihood was lowest in all long-unburnt forests and woodlands of the Australian Alps?
  - (a) If so, can you list any changes to policies and protocols that recognise the hazard reduction value of long-unburnt forest in these forest types, and if no such policies or protocols have been developed, can you list the journal articles that justified this decision?
- (10) In relation to (Question 3578 [6]):
  - (a) Was the south-west Australian prescribed burning program cited as evidence for the efficacy of prescribed burning in many bushfire inquiries informing New South Wales policy?
  - (b) Was the only peer-reviewed analysis used to support the program found to falsely attribute bushfire reductions to prescribed burns that occurred after those bushfires had occurred?
  - (c) Did peer-reviewed analysis of Western Australian mapped fire records find that prescribed burning in fact increased bushfire likelihood in those forests?
  - (d) Was the Departmental rejection of that research found to depend upon a mathematical fallacy?
  - (e) Has the Government responded to these findings, and if so what was the response?
  - (f) If they were rejected, what journal papers have been used to justify that rejection?
- 4057 RESIDENTIAL CARAVAN PARKS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—

With respect to Residential Caravan Parks in New South Wales:

- (1) Does the Government have any intention to reform the Residential Parks legislation and Manufactured Estate legislation in New South Wales?
- (2) Is the Minister aware of the Queensland Government's recent legislative reforms concerning residential parks and manufactured estates of June 2024 and is the Minister considering similar reforms?
- (3) Would the Government consider a voluntary buy-back scheme for buyers and 'forced' buy-back scheme for Residential Park owner operators?
  - (a) If not, why not?
- (4) Would the Government consider introducing a buy-back scheme for New South Wales?
- (5) Is the current legislation and regulations of the Residential and manufactured estate sector in New South Wales sufficient in servicing the sector?
- (6) With respect to capital replacement cost provisions, are these provisions fit-for-purpose and is the Minister considering any amendments?
- (7) Is the Government considering a rent ceiling for residential caravan parks?

- (8) Is the Government considering changes that would allow greater opportunities for residents to apply to New South Wales Civil and Administrative Tribunal with respect to complaints concerning the operations of residential caravan parks including complaints concerning maintenance and other park issues?
- (9) What reforms is the Government considering to minimise disputation in residential caravan parks?
- (10) Have you met with representatives of residential park owners and tenants and if so, when?
- (11) Are you considering making changes to the law that would require park owners to produce a 'park comparison document' and 'maintenance and capital replacement plan' for homeowners to access which will force competitive downward pressure on site rents between park owners.
- (12) How do you as Minister consult on issues and possible reforms with the residential parks sector?
- 4058 HELIPADS AND HOSPITALS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to buildings hospitals and helipads:

- (1) What was the budget for:
  - (a) The new rooftop helipad servicing the Randwick Hospitals Campus?
  - (b) The helipad at the Tweed Valley Hospital?
  - (c) The helipad at the Goulburn Hospital Redevelopment?
  - (d) The new rooftop helipad at the Shoalhaven Hospital?
  - (e) The new rooftop helipad on Nepean Hospital's 14-storey tower?
- (2) Is it best practice to install helipads during stage one of new builds?
- (3) Can you outline the assessment and decision-making process in determining there would not be a helipad in stage one of the new Shellharbour build?
- (4) Did NSW Helicopter Retrieval Services and expert clinicians recommend a helipad?
  - (a) Can you provide details on their assessment and consideration of recent data and other clinical and situational factors considered?
- (5) In relation to (3) and (4), was air traffic and proximity to an airport a factor in not building a helipad at stage one?
- (6) Did other tenders for the new build include a helipad in stage one?
- (7) Can you outline how the new hospital is being designed to enable construction of a future rooftop helipad?
- (8) What would the cost of this helipad be?
- (9) Have flight paths been designed and planned for the new Shellharbour Hospital?
- (10) Will you intervene and amend plans to ensure a helipad is delivered during stage one of the new Shellharbour Hospital?
- 4059 CONSULTATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EXPENDITURE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

With reference to Question 2712 and your answer of 25 April 2024:

- (1) Can you inform the House of the progress made since asking the Department of Education to work to improve its processes for consultation with local communities?
- (2) Can you list the third parties and or external facilitators used by the department for consultations?

- (4) In total, how many community consultations for educational offerings has the department undertaken and how many have been completed?
- (5) Noting the Eastern Suburbs Consultation Report by SEC Newgate, can you list any studies or consultations that have been undertaken for the Shoalhaven and the Illawarra?
- 4060 CAMDEN HEAD PILOT STATION—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
  - (1) Can the Minister explain why the Camden Head Pilot Station located on Crown Land which was Gazetted in 1890 does not have State Heritage Significance status?
  - (2) Are there plans to elevate the Camden Head Pilot Station to State Heritage Significance status?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 4061 CAMDEN HAVEN BREAKWALL REPAIRS—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Will the Maritime Infrastructure Delivery Office (MIDO) undertake the reconstruction work to replace the rocks adjacent to the Camden Haven Breakwall which were damaged during the March 2021 floods?
    - (a) If not, why not?
- 4062 MAMMOGRAM SERVICE ACCESSIBILITY—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) Is travel to access a mammogram service eligible for IPTAAS if all other eligibility criteria are met?
  - (2) Have the criteria changed that would impact eligibility to access a mammogram service?
    - (a) If so, when did the eligibility criteria change?

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