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- (1) How many projects, undertaken in public and private schools in the Mount Druitt electorate were funded under the Commonwealth Government's Building the Education Revolution (BER) Program?
- (2) What is the description and cost of each of these projects?

3492 COAL TRANSPORTATION IN NSW AND THE HUNTER—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Resources and Energy, Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Central Coast—

With regard to the transportation of coal in NSW and the Hunter:

- (1) What percentage of coal in NSW is transported by rail?
- (2) What percentage of coal in NSW is transported by road?
- (3) What percentage of coal in the Hunter is transported by rail?
- (4) What percentage of coal in the Hunter is transported by road?

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With regard to Coal Seam Gas Exploration Licence known as PEL 267 with an expiry date of 19 January 2012:

- (1) Was the coal seam gas exploration licence known as PEL 267 renewed?
- (2) If PEL 267 was renewed, what is the new expiry date?
- (3) Were there any condition changes applied to licence PEL 267 at renewal in 2012?
- (4) What percentage of the licence granted in 1984 remains under licence?
- (5) What areas are covered by PEL 267?
- (6) What areas have been relinquished from PEL 267 since the licence was granted in 1984?

3494 CELLAR DOOR SUBSIDY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—

With regard to the Cellar Door Subsidy that has been removed from the 2012-13 NSW Budget:

- (1) What was the total cost of this program in 2011-12?
- (2) How many cellar doors in NSW are affected by and received the Cellar Door Subsidy in 2011-12?
- (3) How many of these affected cellar doors are located in the Hunter Valley?
- (4) What was the total value of the Cellar Door Subsidy directly forwarded to wineries in the Hunter Valley?
- (5) When were the wineries, affected by the removal of the Cellar Door Subsidy, notified that the program would no longer be funded?

3495 WINE EQUALISATION TAX—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—

With regard to the Wine Equalisation Tax (WET) that affects the Wine Industry of NSW:

- (1) Before the WET was introduced, did the Government levy a 15% tax on alcohol sales through State Business Franchise fees and were cellar doors subject to these fees?
- (2) In what year were these fees deemed unconstitutional by the High Court?
- (3) By agreement between the Government and the Federal Government of the time, what impact did this High Court Ruling have on the federal sales tax applied to alcohol sales?
- (4) (a) Did the Federal Government of the time return a portion of the sales tax collected, back to NSW, with the intent of this funding being forwarded to cellar door retailers?
(b) If so, why was this arrangement reached and at what rate/value was the funding returned to NSW?
- (5) (a) When did this sales tax arrangement between the Government and the Federal Government cease?
(b) Why did this cease?
- (6) In what year was the WET introduced?
- (7) (a) Does the WET have a built in component that allows specific funds to be channeled back to the NSW and then on to cellar doors by agreement between the Government and the Federal Government?
(b) If not, what source of funding has been used by the Government to fulfill the Cellar Door Subsidy?

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- (8) What change in process or taxation, that would affect the source of funding used by the governments of the past decade to deliver the Cellar Door Subsidy, has there been to make the Cellar Door Subsidy un-deliverable in 2012-13?

3496 ECONOMIC ASSESSMENT OF MINING AFFECTED COMMUNITIES ROYALTIES FIGURES—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, and Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services—

With reference to the Economic Assessment of Mining Affected Communities, dated February 2013 and the Economic Assessment of Mining Affected Communities, dated December 2011:

Can the Minister explain the inconsistencies in the figures of royalties received between the 2011 and the 2013 reports at Figure 1 in both reports, being the royalties received for the 2010-11 period for each of the local areas below:

- (1) Cessnock: Royalties received reported in the 2011 report \$25 million, in 2013 \$1 million;
- (2) Lake Macquarie: Royalties received reported in the 2011 report \$50 million, in 2013 \$1 million;
- (3) Wollongong: Royalties received reported in the 2011 report \$40 million, in 2013 \$2 million;
- (4) Wollondilly: Royalties received reported in the 2011 report \$40 million, in 2013 \$60 million;
- (5) Cobar: Royalties received reported in the 2011 report \$15 million, in 2013 \$48 million;
- (6) Bland: Royalties received reported in the 2011 report \$10 million, in 2013 \$50 million?

3497 COAL SEAM GAS EXPLORATION LICENCE PEL 267—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure, and Minister Assisting the Premier on Infrastructure NSW, Leader of the House—

With regard to the coal seam gas exploration licence known as PEL 267:

- (1) Will PEL 267 be affected in any way by The Strategic Regional Land Use Policy which was released 11 September 2012?
- (2) Will PEL 267 be affected in any way by measures to further strengthen the regulation of the Coal Seam Gas industry in NSW announced by the Premier and Deputy Premier on 19 February 2013?

3498 ECONOMIC ASSESSMENT OF MINING AFFECTED COMMUNITIES SURVEY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, and Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services—

With regard to Economic Assessment of Mining Affected Communities (February 2013), pages 4 and 5, under the heading Redefinition of Mining Affected:

- (1) When was the Minister informed that the Local Government and Shires Association would be used to disperse a survey to assist the Working Group to categorise LGA's for the purpose of the 2012 assessment?
- (2) Did the Minister subsequently approve this approach?
- (3) What factors did the Minister consider as to whether it was appropriate for the Working Party to outsource the survey process to the LGSA?
- (4) Was every council in NSW approached and provided with a survey?
- (5) On what date(s) was information and the survey sent out to councils and on what date(s) was it due back for consideration by the Working Party?
- (6) How does Newcastle satisfy the criteria listed that "(i) LGAs that neighbour active mining areas and provide dormitory services and/or are used as transport thoroughfares" when neighbouring LGA's have been classified as Tier 3, Tier 4 and two non-Mining Affected, which means none of the surrounding LGAs qualify?
- (7) What percentage of coal in NSW is transported by truck?
- (8) What percentage of coal in NSW is transported by rail?

3499 CONTROL AND AUTHORITY OF CELLAR DOOR SUBSIDY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Tourism, Major Events, Hospitality and Racing, and Minister for the Arts—

With regard to control and authority of the budget allocated to fund the Cellar Door Subsidy:

- (1) Does your Ministry have the authority and control over the funding of Cellar Door Subsidy?
- (2) In 2011-12 was the Cellar Door Subsidy funded from within your portfolio budget?
- (3) If the authority and funding for the Cellar Door Subsidy is not within your portfolio, in which Ministry does it sit?
- (4) If the authority and funding for the Cellar Door Subsidy is not within your portfolio, as Minister for Tourism and Hospitality, were you consulted prior to the removal of the Cellar Door Subsidy?

- (5) If the authority and funding for the Cellar Door Subsidy is not within your portfolio, as Minister for Tourism and Hospitality, were you provided with any impact statements to demonstrate that the removal of the Cellar Door Subsidy would not have a negative impact on the tourism and hospitality industries of NSW?
- 3500 CONTROL AND AUTHORITY OF CELLAR DOOR SUBSIDY—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Trade and Investment, and Minister for Regional Infrastructure and Services—
- With regard to control and authority of the budget allocated to fund the Cellar Door Subsidy:
- (1) Does the Ministry have the authority and control over the funding of Cellar Door Subsidy?
 - (2) In 2011-12 was the Cellar Door Subsidy funded from within your portfolio budget?
 - (3) If the authority and funding for the Cellar Door Subsidy is not within the Minister's portfolio, in which Ministry does it sit?
 - (4) If the authority and funding for the Cellar Door Subsidy is not within the Minister's portfolio, as Minister for Trade and Investment, and Regional Infrastructure and Services, was the Minister consulted prior to the removal of the Cellar Door Subsidy?
 - (5) If the authority and funding for the Cellar Door Subsidy is not within the Minister's portfolio, as Minister for Trade and Investment, and Regional Infrastructure and Services, was the Minister provided with any impact statements to demonstrate that the removal of the Cellar Door Subsidy would not have a negative impact on the regional industries of NSW?
- 3501 KIDS SYSTEM—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- With the cessation of the \$9 million Assist program:
- (1) Does the Minister plan to undertake a new project to address the ongoing problems with the KiDS system?
 - (2) What funding has been allocated for this project?
 - (3) When will it begin?
 - (4) When will it be completed?
- 3502 COMMUNITY BUILDERS PROGRAM—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- (1) Why were only two projects in Greater Western Sydney funded in the latest round of the Community Builders Program, compared to 35 in the previous round, representing an 87 per cent decrease in funding for the region?
 - (2) What projects were abolished due to the \$8.9 million budget cut the Community Builders Program, which is a reduction of 76 per cent of the total allocation in 2010-11?
- 3503 VACANT CASEWORKER POSITIONS—Ms Linda Burney to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- (1) Does Family and Community Services fill vacant caseworker positions when they are caused by a caseworker taking maternity leave?
 - (2) Does Family and Community Services fill vacant caseworker positions when they are caused by a caseworker being seconded or deployed to another role in the department?
- 3504 RAINBOW CROSSING AT TAYLOR SQUARE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- With regard to the rainbow crossing at Taylor Square on a one month trial:
- (1) How many people have contacted the Government in support of making the crossing permanent?
 - (2) How will the Government consider the tourism benefits of the rainbow crossing as part of its decision?
 - (3) What other issues will the Government assess as part of its decision?
 - (4) If there are no negative safety impacts, does the Government support keeping the rainbow crossing?
- 3505 INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Small Business—
- (1) What action has the Small Business Commissioner taken to help small businesses use information communication technology to access global business opportunities?
 - (2) How does the Small Biz Connect ensure that small businesses it works with are maximising use of information communication technology to expand their market?

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- (3) What other action in the last two years has the Government taken to help small businesses embrace the digital economy?
- 3506 RED GUM TRIAL THINNING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- With regard to the proposal to trial thinning of 216 hectares of the red gums in the Murray Valley national parks in New South Wales:
- (1) What action will the Office of Environment and Heritage take to prepare a Public Environment Report as required under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999?
 - (2) Who will coordinate the report process?
 - (3) (a) Will the proposal be withdrawn, amended or continue as is?
(b) If it will be amended, how will it be amended?
 - (4) Given contractors have already been engaged to conduct the trial, will the Government buy these contractors out?
 - (5) How was the initial proposal peer reviewed?
 - (6) Why weren't state forests chosen for the trial instead of national parks?
 - (7) Why weren't areas where significant declines in canopy already exist chosen for the trial?
 - (8) Why has such a large area been selected?
 - (9) Given the effect of recent major flooding on conditions for thinning trials, why hasn't the proposal been dropped?
 - (10) What assessment has been done on the impact of 100 years of logging in the River Red Gum wetlands has had on the stand conditions?
- 3507 BOTANY BAY LOCAL AREA COMMAND—Mr Ron Hoenig to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- Does the Minister or the Government have any intention to merge or amalgamate the Botany Bay Local Area Command with any other Local Area Command?
- 3508 AIRPORT RESERVE CONNECTING ROAD—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- (1) Is the Minister aware of plans to construct a connecting road through the Airport Reserve at Bankstown Airport to Milperra Road?
 - (2) Will the Government act to prevent the construction of such a road to prevent a potential increase in congestion on Milperra Road?
- 3509 STRATA AND COMMUNITY TITLE LAW REVIEW—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
- (1) What is the current status of the Strata and Community Title Law Review being undertaken by NSW Fair Trading?
 - (2) When does the Government expect to introduce legislation to amend Strata and Community Title Laws in NSW?
- 3510 LOCAL AREA COMMAND MERGERS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Minister for the Hunter, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- Given that the Government has decided not to proceed with its plans to merge Botany Bay Local Area Command and St George Local Area Command, will the Government now rule out merging Bankstown and Campsie Local Area Commands?
- 3511 RECOGNITION OF THE RIGHTS OF VOLUNTEERS REPORT—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—
- (1) When will the Government release the Recognition of the Rights of Volunteers report received by the Government last year?
 - (2) Will the Government commit to make all of the findings contained within this report public?
 - (3) Will the Government commit to implement a formal system of protection for the rights of volunteers in NSW?
- 3512 BOARDING HOUSE REGISTRATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—

- How many boarding houses and boarding house operators have registered with the Government since January 2013?
- 3513 **PROPERTY DAMAGE EXPLOITATION PREVENTION**—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
- What action will NSW Fair Trading take to prevent unlicensed tradesman and fraudsters taking advantage of those who suffered property damage during the recent bush fire season?
- 3514 **CONSUMER COMPLAINT INCREASES**—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
- In reference to the recent announcement by NSW Fair Trading of the Top Ten Consumer Complaints 2012:
- (1) What action will the Minister take to address the significant increase in the instance of consumer complaints in the category "Electrical, electronic, white goods and gas appliances" from 2,611 in 2011 to 4,253 in 2012?
 - (2) (a) Has the Minister sought advice as to the likely reasons for this increase?
(b) If so, what are the reasons reported?
- 3515 **SECOND HAND DRIFT SMOKE**—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
- In reference to the campaign Stop the Smoke:
- (1) How many inquiries and items of correspondence have been received by NSW Fair Trading since March 2011 regarding the issue of second hand drift smoke in strata residences?
 - (2) What is the total number of submissions received at each stage of the ongoing review of Strata and Community Title Laws which addressed the issue of second hand drift smoke in strata residences?
- 3516 **BUILDER SHORTAGES**—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Fair Trading—
- In regard to Master Builders Association estimates that 80,000 builders throughout Australia will retire by the end of the decade, what action will the Government take to address the possible shortage of builders in NSW?
- 3517 **MOTORCYCLIST E-TAGS**—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- (1) Can the Minister provide a timeline for implementing a better e-tag solution for motorcyclists?
 - (2) What specific solutions are the Government considering?
- 3518 **WHOLE OF TRANSPORT BRANDING STRATEGY**—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- How much funding has been allocated to develop a "whole of transport" branding strategy?
- 3519 **DUNMORE STATION SHARED BICYCLE AND PREDESTRIAN CROSSING**—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport—
- In relation to the recent NSW Shell Cove Station Review of environmental factors:
- (1) Does the Government plan to close the shared bicycle and pedestrian crossing at Dunmore Station?
 - (2) If so, when was this decision made?
 - (3) What were the factors determining this decision?
 - (4) Will the Government provide an alternative crossing in this area?
- 3520 **ROADS AND MARITIME SERVICES EXTERNAL REVENUE TARGETS**—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- Given that Roads and Maritime Services external revenue targets for 2012-13 have been set at \$690 million, up from \$514 million in the previous year:
- What increases have occurred in the following areas to lead to this new target:
- (1) Harbour Bridge toll receipts;
 - (2) Tunnel toll receipts;
 - (3) Rental income;
 - (4) External commercial services;
 - (5) Advertising; and
 - (6) E-tag revenue?

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- 3521 AUBURN RAILWAY STATION UPGRADES—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Transport—
- (1) Since March 2011 what upgrades have been undertaken at Auburn Railway station?
 - (2) What was the cost for each project of work undertaken?
- 3522 AMY STREET OVERBRIDGE—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Transport—
- In reference to Auburn City council's decision regarding the upgrade of the Amy St overbridge:
- (1) Will the \$600,000 allocated for this bridge in the 2010-11 State budget be spent?
 - (2) Will this money go to Auburn City Council?
 - (3) What works are the council required to undertake with the money?
 - (4) Is any additional money being given for this project?
 - (a) If so, how much?
 - (b) If so, for what purpose or specific works?
- 3523 AGEING, DISABILITY AND HOME CARE HOURS—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Ageing, and Minister for Disability Services—
- (1) How many Ageing, Disability and Home Care attendant care hours were not delivered in the last financial year?
 - (2) What savings does this represent?
- 3524 BERALA RAILWAY STATION—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Transport—
- (1) When will a full easy upgrade access for Berala Railway Station be provided?
 - (2) When will Berala Station be upgraded?
 - (3) What priority do the above upgrades have against other stations?
 - (4) Will any upgrade comply with the relevant disability legislation?
- 3525 CENTRAL COAST MENTAL HEALTH THERAPY TEAM—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Healthy Lifestyles, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- In relation to the success of the Central Coast Mental Health Therapy Team and the waiting lists for its services:
- (1) Why is the Minister allowing the recent changes which will effectively disperse the team?
 - (2) What consultation was undertaken with the professionals on the team before the decision was made?
 - (3) Has the Minister spoken to any of the professionals on the team about their opinion of the impact of any changes on their work?
 - (4) Who made the decision to disperse the team and on what basis?
 - (5) What steps are being taken to address the concerns of the professionals in the team or those in the community about the disbandment of the team?
- 3526 DISABILITY ORGANISATION PROCUREMENT—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Local Government, and Minister for the North Coast—
- In relation to Government policy that encourages public sector agencies to procure goods and services from disability employment organisations:
- (1) What goods and services have been procured from disability organisations from June 2011 to April 2012 for each department or agency under the Minister's administration?
 - (2) Which disability organisations have been procured from?
- 3527 DEPARTMENT AND AGENCY CONSULTANTS AND SPECIFIC PROJECTS—Mrs Barbara Perry to ask the Minister for Family and Community Services, and Minister for Women—
- In reference to the NSW Auditor General's Financial Audit, Volume One 2013 "Focusing on themes from 2012" for any agencies or departments in the Minister's cluster:
- (1) (a) What was the \$3,414, 864 for 2011 spent on?
 - (b) Was any other money spent on consultants in the same period?
 - (2) (a) What was the \$1,877,832 for 2012 spent on?
 - (b) Was any other money spent on consultants in the same period?
 - (3) Can the Minister provide a breakdown of consultants used and specific projects worked on by Department and Agency in 2011 and 2012?

3528 COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—

Which members of the Community Relations Commission were appointed in 2012?

3529 COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION MEMBERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—

Which members of the Community Relations Commission are also members of the NSW Liberal Party?

3530 COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION MEMBER DONATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—

(1) Which members of the Community Relations Commission made political donations to the NSW Liberal Party and Liberal Parliamentary Members in 2011?

(2) Which members of the Community Relations Commission made political donations to the NSW Liberal Party and Liberal Parliamentary Members in 2012?

3531 2011 MULTICULTURAL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEES MEMBER DONATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—

Which members of the following Multicultural Consultative Committees made political donations to the NSW Liberal Party and Liberal Parliamentary Members in 2011:

- (1) Chinese;
- (2) Egyptian;
- (3) Filipino;
- (4) Greek;
- (5) Indian;
- (6) Italian;
- (7) Jewish;
- (8) Korean;
- (9) Lebanese;
- (10) Macedonian;
- (11) Maori and Pacific Island Communities;
- (12) Russian;
- (13) Sri Lankan;
- (14) Vietnamese; and
- (15) Croatian?

3532 2012 MULTICULTURAL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER DONATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—

Which members of the following Multicultural Consultative Committees made political donations to the NSW Liberal Party and Liberal Parliamentary Members in 2012:

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- (4) Greek;
- (5) Indian;
- (6) Italian;
- (7) Jewish;
- (8) Korean;
- (9) Lebanese;
- (10) Macedonian;
- (11) Maori and Pacific Island Communities;
- (12) Russian;
- (13) Sri Lankan;
- (14) Vietnamese; and
- (15) Croatian?

3533 MULTICULTURAL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE PROGRAM BUDGET—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Citizenship and Communities, and Minister for Aboriginal Affairs—

(1) What was the budget allocated to the Multicultural Consultative Committee program in 2011-2012?

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- (2) What was the total cost of administrating the Multicultural Consultative Committee program in 2011-2012?
- (3) How much is allocated to the Multicultural Consultative Committee program for the 2012-2013 period?
- 3534 LINNWOOD HOUSE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- (1) Does the Government plan to convert Linnwood House at Guildford into a museum?
- (2) If so, when?
- 3535 CHESTER HILL NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL FLASHING LIGHTS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Minister for Roads and Ports—
- (1) When will the next allocation of flashing lights in school zones be announced?
- (2) Will Chester Hill North Public School receive flashing lights this financial year?
- 3536 HOSPITAL INTERPRETERS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health, and Minister for Medical Research—
- (1) How many interpreters were employed in the following hospitals in 2011-2012:
- (a) Westmead;
 - (b) Blacktown;
 - (c) Bankstown;
 - (d) Fairfield;
 - (e) Auburn;
 - (f) Campbelltown;
 - (g) Ryde;
 - (h) Concord;
 - (i) Nepean;
 - (j) St George;
 - (k) Royal Prince Alfred;
 - (l) Prince of Wales; and
 - (m) Royal North Shore?
- (2) How many interpreters are employed in the same hospitals in 2012-13?