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- *1261 FARM INNOVATION FUND—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
 - (1) How much money has been allocated under the Farm Innovation Fund (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (a) How many applications have been received to date, disaggregated by electorate?
 - (b) How many applications have been approved, disaggregated by electorate?
 - (c) How many applications were denied, disaggregated by electorate?
 - (i) What was the reason for applications being denied?

Answer-

- (1) Total allocated \$405,888,204.00 as at 22 September 2019 (Reports are run weekly so information provided is as at 22 September 2019).
- (a) Information cannot be disaggregated by electorate.
- (b) Information cannot be disaggregated by electorate.
- (c) Information cannot be disaggregated by electorate.
- (i) Reasons for applications being denied were that the applications did not meet the NSW Rural Assistance Authority Guidelines which can be found at: www.raa.nsw.gov.au/loans/farm-innovation-fund.
- *1262 TOTAL NUMBER OF LICENCED COMMERICAL FISHERS RESIDING IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
 - (1) What was the total number of licenced commercial fishers residing in New South Wales for each financial year from 2011-12 to 2018-19, disaggregated by:
 - (a) electorate;
 - (b) fishing region;
 - (c) licence class?

Answer-

- (1) (a) Please see Appendix A, Table 1: Total number of licenced commercial fishers residing in New South Wales for each financial year from 2011-12 to 2018-19 by electorate
- (b) Please see Appendix A, Table 2: Total number of licenced commercial fishers residing in New South Wales for each financial year from 2011-12 to 2018-19 by fishing region.
- (c) There is only one commercial fishing licence class.
- *1263 LEASE OF 525 HIGH STREET MAITLAND ADVICE TO PROPERTY NSW—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) Have you provided or sought any advice to or from Property NSW since 1 January 2016 regarding:
 - (a) Revenue NSW's future occupation of 525 High Street Maitland beyond the existing lease?
 - (b) Revenue NSW's relocation away from 525 High Street Maitland to another location in Maitland or another location in the Hunter or Central Coast regions?

Answer-

I am advised:

(1)

- (a) DFSI (now Department of Customer Service) have not provided formal advice about Revenue NSW future occupation at 525 High Street, Maitland.
- (b) DFSI instructed PNSW to undertake a market search for new accommodation premises in March 2019. The market search resulted with no suitable accommodation options for relocation in Maitland or other Hunter regions.
- *1264 DISCOUNTED ENERGY EFFICIENT AIR CONDITIONER FOR HOUSEHOLDS PROGRAM—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) In regards to the Discounted Energy Efficient Air Conditioner for Households Program, how many installers have been found not to comply with the updated AS/NZS 3000:2018 that came into effect on 1 January 2019?

- (2) Will there be an independent review into the approved installers?
 - (a) If so, who will conduct the review?
 - (b) Will the report be made public?
- (3) Have householders and small businesses been informed that their installer has not complied with the updated standard?
 - (a) If so, how were they contacted?
 - (b) How many householders or small businesses were contacted?
- (4) What risk is there for households and small businesses who have had an installer that has not complied with the standards?
- (5) How many households or small businesses have been approved for air conditioner incentive grants (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (a) How many installers were approved (as at 19 September 2019)?

Answer-

- (1) 18.
- (2) The Government is consulting with Fair Trading NSW, the regulator of the Standards, to address any issues of noncompliance. As a result, the program administrator; Air Conditioning Incentives will not be accepting any new requests whilst we investigate this issue.
- (3) The Department of Planning, Industry and Environment is currently developing the best approach to rectification, including customer communication. Any risk is low and notifying customers prematurely could cause further risks if it prompts them to access or inspect the electrical circuits.
- (4) Fair Trading NSW advised "The likelihood of a person receiving an electric shock from a fixed appliance, such as an air conditioner, is low and therefore the risk for not having an RCD on existing circuits is low, but the installation of an RCD helps mediate these risks."
- (5) 661 households, 15 small businesses.
 - (a) 123.
- *1265 PAY DISPARITY MAITLAND SCHOOLS—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

What steps has the Government taken to address the pay disparity that has affected many school teachers in the Maitland electorate due to the pay scale changes in their 2014 award negotiations?

Answer—

The current teachers' award, the Crown Employees (Teachers in Schools and Related Employees) Salaries and Conditions Award 2017, expires on 31 December 2019, and negotiations for a replacement award will commence in mid-October this year, in line with the NSW Government Wages Policy. The teacher pay discrepancy issue will be considered as part of this process.

- *1266 REVENUE NSW LEASE OF 525 HIGH STREET MAITLAND—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) When does the Government lease expire for the Revenue NSW office located at 525 High Street Maitland?
 - (2) Does the existing lease for 525 High Street Maitland have provision for an extension; (a) If so, for how long?
 - (3) Has the Department of Finance, Services & Innovation provided any advice to Property NSW since 1 January 2016 regarding Revenue NSW's future occupation of 525 High Street Maitland beyond the existing lease?
 - (4) Has the Department of Finance, Services & Innovation sought any advice from Property NSW since 1 January 2016 regarding Revenue NSW's relocation away from 525 High Street Maitland to another location in Maitland or another location in the Hunter or Central Coast regions?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) The existing lease at 525 High Street, Maitland expires 9 May 2022.
- (2) There are no further option terms under the existing lease.
- (3) DFSI have not provided formal advice around future occupation at 525 High Street, Maitland.
- (4) DFSI instructed PNSW to undertake a market search for new accommodation premises in March 2019. The market search concluded with no suitable accommodation options for relocation in Maitland or other Hunter regions.

- *1267 SCHOOL COUNSELLORS MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
 - (1) How many of the 100 extra School Counsellors and 350 extra School Support Officers promised by the Government will be located in the Maitland electorate?
 - (2) How many School Counsellors are currently employed at Maitland electorate schools, disaggregated by school?
 - (3) Are there currently wait lists for students needing to see a School Counsellor?
 - (a) If so, how many students were on the wait list at each school (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (4) When did the department last review School Counsellor numbers in the Maitland electorate?

 (a) How often are reviews conducted?

Answer-

- (1) As part of the \$88.4 million election commitment, up to 100 additional counselling staff and 350 mental health workers (student support officers) will be employed so that every high school will have a full time school counselling position and an additional full time student support officer. High schools in the Maitland electorate that will receive a student support officer position are: Maitland High School, Maitland Grossmann High School, Francis Greenway High School and Rutherford High School. All four high schools in the Maitland electorate already have 1.0 FTE school counselling allocation.
- (2) There are 15 school counselling staff employed in the Maitland electorate schools. School counselling staff provide service to more than one school. The amount of counselling service provided to a school is determined by their school counselling allocation. The counselling allocation for schools in the Maitland electorate, disaggregated by school, is shown in the table at the end of this answer.
- (3) Data on students waiting to see a school counsellor is not collected centrally.
- (4) The school counselling allocation to all schools, including those in the Maitland electorate, was reviewed in 2018. The reviews are conducted every three years.

School Name	2019-2021 Allocation (FTE)	
Ashtonfield Public School	0.55	
Bolwarra Public School	0.35	
Francis Greenway High School	1.00	
Gillieston Public School	0.15	
Hunter River Community School	0.35	
Largs Public School	0.15	
Lochinvar Public School	0.15	
Maitland East Public School	0.60	
Maitland Grossmann High School	1.00	
Maitland High School	1.00	
Maitland Public School	0.40	
Metford Public School	0.40	
Millers Forest Public School	0.05	
Morpeth Public School	0.15	
Nillo Infants School	0.05	
Rutherford High School	1.00	
Rutherford Public School	1.00	
Telarah Public School	0.75	
Tenambit Public School	0.45	
Thornton Public School	0.50	
Woodberry Learning Centre	0.25	
Woodberry Public School	0.25	

*1268 AIR CONDITIONING SCHOOLS MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

Which schools in the Maitland electorate will have air conditioning installed under the NSW Budget 2019-20?

Answer—

Air conditioning will be installed at the following schools in the Maitland electorate under the NSW Budget 2019-20:

- The following spaces under the 2019-20 Integration Program:
 - A new support classroom at Tenambit Public School;
 - Two new support classes at Maitland Public School;
 - Two new support classes at Woodberry Public School.

Francis Greenway High School and Maitland Public School have had air conditioning installed as part of the Cooler Classrooms Program under the NSW Budget 2019-20.

- *1269 WAITING LIST FOR SPECIAL NEEDS STUDENTS IN MAITLAND—Ms Jenny Aitchison asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
 - (1) In regards to the Regional North NSW Department of Education networks:
 - (a) How many students from Kindergarten to Year 6 have applied for a position in a support class this school year?
 - (i) How many have applied disaggregated by network location?
 - (b) How many students have been assessed as 'medium' or 'high' this year by Department of Education assessment panels that review support class applications?
 - (i) How many have been assessed as medium disaggregated by network location?
 - (c) How many students have been placed in a support class since the beginning of this school year?
 - (i) Which schools were they placed in?
 - (d) How many students whose need has been assessed as 'medium' or 'high' by Department of Education assessment panels are still waiting for support class placement?
 - (e) How many students that are still waiting for support class placement have waited:
 - (i) Less than 3 months;
 - (ii) More than 3 months;
 - (iii) More than 6 months;
 - (iv) More than 12 months;
 - (v) For 2 years?

Answer-

I have assumed the Member's question relates to the three Principal networks in the Maitland area, rather than the entire Regional North Operational Directorate and I therefore provide the following answer by reference to Cessnock, Maitland and Hunter Principal Networks. The Upper Hunter Principal Network is part of the Rural North Operational Directorate.

(1)

- (a) As of 4 October 2019, there have been 139 students from Kindergarten to Year 6 who have applied for a position in a support class in the 2019 school year.
 - (i) In the Hunter Principal Network 22 students applied for a place in support classes; the Maitland Principal Network, 53 students; the Cessnock Principal Network, 35 students; the Upper Hunter Principal Network, 18 students. In addition, 11 students from outside of these four Principal Networks applied for places.
- (b) Of the 139 students who applied for places, 134 students have been assessed as having 'medium' or 'high' needs.
 - (i) In the Hunter Principal Network there are 6 students who have been assessed as 'medium'; in the Maitland Principal Network, 14 students; the Cessnock Principal Network, 9 students, and the Upper Hunter Principal Network, 5 students.
- (c) There have been 78 students placed in support classes this year.
 - (i) The students were placed in support classes at 18 schools across the four Principal Networks.
- (d) There are 56 students who have been assessed as 'medium' or 'high' by the Department of Education Placement Panels who are still waiting for placement in a support class.
- (e) Of the 56 students who are still waiting for a place in a support class,
 - (i) 40 have been waiting less than 3 months;
 - (ii) 11 have been waiting more than 3 months;

- (iii) 5 have been waiting more than 6 months;
- (iv) No student has been waiting for more than 12 months;
- (v) No student has been waiting for 2 years.
- *1270 WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCE OFFERS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education—
 - (1) Considering that Western Sydney University incorrectly sent out offers for places in a Bachelor of Health Science degree on Thursday 12 September 2019, has this type of error previously occurred at Western Sydney University?
 - (2) Has this type of error previously occurred at any other university located in New South Wales?
 - (a) If yes, was an investigation conducted?
 - (i) Were these results made publicly available?
 - (3) Has counselling been offered to those recipients adversely affected by the notification of the offer and then the withdrawal of the offer?

Answer—

- (1) The Department of Education does not collect this information.
- (2) The Department of Education does not collect this information.
- (3) The Department of Education has been advised by Western Sydney University that counselling has been offered to all students adversely affected.
- *1271 WATERNSW CONTACT WITH COUNCILS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) Considering that towns/communities are projected to run out of water within the next 6 months, has WaterNSW contacted the relevant Councils to advise and discuss options?
 - (a) How often is WaterNSW in contact?
 - (b) What is timeframe that WaterNSW has advised the relevant Councils of their dire situation?
 - (2) How regularly does WaterNSW do water projections for the Councils?
 - (a) Is this information distributed immediately?
 - (3) Which towns/communities are projected to run out in the next 6 months?
 - (a) Have they all been contacted by WaterNSW?
 - (b) Was the contact prior to media reports of 14 and 15 September 2019?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) It is important to note that local councils and local water utilities are regulated by the Government through Department of Planning, Industry and Environment - Water. However, WaterNSW regularly deals with those local councils and local water utilities who are its bulk water customers. This year WaterNSW established River Operations Stakeholder Consultation Committees (ROSCCOs), which are valley based, ongoing committees formed with key stakeholders including local councils and local water utilities, to engage in discussions about river operations, as well as current storage levels and predictions under various scenarios. Meetings of each ROSCCO have occurred throughout the year. In addition to ROSCCOs, WaterNSW has a number of other forums such as Customer Advisory Groups and Drought Roadshows, where these issues are discussed with stakeholders including local councils. The Critical Water Advisory Panel also provides valley-specific advice to the Minister on the most appropriate management actions during an extreme event. The CWAP is made up of NSW Government officers and WaterNSW staff, with an option to include local council representation for local water utilities via a central/regional coordinating body. In addition, the Government has appointed James McTavish, Regional Town Water Supply Coordinator to engage with local councils and local water utilities to ensure New South Wales residents are able to access to safe and acceptable drinking water.
- (2) WaterNSW publishes a weekly water availability report, which keeps the community and stakeholders updated with information regarding water storage in New South Wales. Councils also receive regular updates via the forums oulined in the previous response, and on allocations from the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment Water.
- (3) As a result of measures taken by WaterNSW and the Government, WaterNSW does not expect any towns on regulated river systems to experience of loss of surface water supplies in the next 6 months.

- *1276 STUDY OF THE IMPACT OF MINING ON THE CORDEAUX DAM CATCHMENT AREA—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) Considering the University of New South Wales (UNSW) Water Research Laboratory has been conducting a study of the impact of mining on the Cordeaux Dam catchment area for the past 5 years on behalf of WaterNSW:
 - (a) How often do WaterNSW receive reports?
 - (b) Are the results of the study made available to the public?
 - (2) Is the UNSW Water Research Laboratory conducting studies at any other locations across New South Wales?
 - (a) If yes, where are these studies being conducted, what has been the duration of the studies and are they ongoing?
 - (3) Has the study of the impact on the mining on the Cordeaux Dam catchment shown a negative impact on the catchment area?
 - (a) Has this been getting more severe as the study has progressed?
 - (b) How long is the study expected to continue?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) WaterNSW's funding only commenced in August 2018, and the project is a long-term study that will run for 3.5 years. WRL has not provided any reports on this research project and is not expected to finalise a report until 2021.
- (2) This is a question for the UNSW Water Research Laboratory.
- (3) WRL has not completed its report on the research project.
- *1278 ADMITTANCE OF NEW SOUTH WALES PRISONERS—Mr Clayton Barr asked the Minister for Counter Terrorism and Corrections—
 - (1) Considering that New South Wales prisoners are admitted to hospitals in Queensland, Victoria and the Australian Capital Territory, how many prisoners were admitted in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2018-19?
 - (2) How many Corrective Services NSW staff are deployed with each prisoner over a 24-hour period?
 - (a) Are the deployed Corrective Services NSW staff replaced in the New South Wales gaol they are assigned to?
 - (b) Is there an additional budget allocation to allow for staff to be deployed interstate or is the cost borne by the gaol the prisoner is assigned to?

Answer-

- (1) Figures are provided for both movements from correctional centres and movements from court cells managed by Corrective Services New South Wales in Tables 1 and 2 in Appendix B.
- (2) The number of staff deployed to manage New South Wales inmates admitted to hospitals is dependent on the management requirements of each individual inmate and the type of shift roster used at the correctional centre housing the inmate. Most correctional centres operate eight-hour shifts, but some operate 12-hour shifts. Most commonly, two staff per eight-hour shift (six staff over 24 hours) are deployed to supervise inmates admitted to hospital.
- (a) Correctional Centres manage the absence of staff deployed to hospital escorts by engaging additional temporary or casual staff or by varying the Centre's operating routine to realign resources.
- (b) The cost of interstate hospital escorts is borne by the gaol the inmate is assigned to.
- *1281 NEWCASTLE 500 COORDINATION OFFICE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Jobs, Investment, Tourism and Western Sydney—
 - (1) How many Destination NSW staff work in the Newcastle 500 Coordination Office?
 - (2) Who is the Newcastle 500 Coordination Office's Community Liaison Officer?
 - (3) How can the Community Liaison Officer be contacted?

Answer-

(1) Supercars Australia, as the owner and operator of the Newcastle 500, is responsible for community engagement. The Supercars Australia Community Engagement Team can be contacted by email at community@supercars.com or by telephone on (02) 8346 2676.

The Newcastle 500 Coordination Unit was established in Newcastle ahead of the inaugural Newcastle 500 event to ensure community concerns around the civil works program and the staging of the first event were heard and to assist in mitigating these concerns.

There is no longer a Newcastle 500 Coordination Unit situated in Newcastle, however, dedicated staff from Destination New South Wales travel regularly to Newcastle for

the planning, coordination, and oversight of the Newcastle 500. The community should continue to engage with Supercars Australia as the event owner.

- (2) See answer to Question 1.
- (3) See answer to Questions 1 and 2.
- *1282 STOCKTON EROSION—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Minister for Local Government—
 - (1) Is the Minister aware that erosion at Stockton has reached crisis point with the suburb's only childcare centre closing as it is at risk of washing into the ocean?
 - (2) What are the primary drivers of erosion at Stockton?
 - (3) Have the Newcastle harbour break walls impacted on erosion at Stockton?
 - (a) If so, how?
 - (b) If not, why not?
 - (4) How much did the Government spend on addressing erosion in New South Wales in each year from 2011 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?

Answer-

- (1) Following my visit to Stockton on 30 September 2019, I declared the beach a Significant Open Coast Location, which allows Council to apply for funding to implement actions in their Coastal Zone Management Plan at any time.
- (2) The Stockton area has been the subject of several studies to investigate coastal processes. An outline of the information from these studies is publicly available and provided in the Newcastle Coastal Zone Management Plan 2018 https://newcastle.nsw.gov.au/getmedia/53bd2002-a14c-4cdd-8f7a-55226d96da06Newcastle-Coastal-Zone-Management-Plan-2018.aspx.
- (3) The impacts of the breakwaters have been investigated in several studies that are publicly available, including the Newcastle Coastal Zone Hazards Study Final Report 2016 https://www.newcastle.nsw.gov.au/Newcastle/media/Images/Pages/Environment/Coast%20and% 20River/Attachment-B-CCL-221116-Newcastle-Coastal-Zone-Hazards-Study-20mb.pdf.
- (4) Since 2011 the New South Wales Government has awarded over \$1.39 million to the City of Newcastle Council to address issues across the region's coastline.
- *1284 JENNY'S PLACE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CENTRE FUNDING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp asked the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
 - (1) Has the Minister reconsidered his decision not to fund Jenny's Place Domestic Violence Resource Centre?
 - (2) Why has the Minister to date refused to fund this important service that is utilised by the entire Hunter region (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (3) Does the Minister acknowledge this is an invaluable service that saves lives?
 - (4) What action will the Minister take to stop its closure due to lack of funding?

Answer-

Jenny's Place continues to receive Government funding to support its important work providing specialist support services, including refuge and outreach services for women and children who are experiencing domestic and family violence.

In 2019-20, the Government will allocate Jenny's Place approximately \$1.4 million for their Specialist Homelessness Service Newcastle Eastern Suburbs Women and Family

Homelessness Support that provides crisis and transitional accommodation, as well as other supports.

I refer to my answer to LA Q928 for more information about the Government's commitment to funding services to combat domestic and family violence, including in the Newcastle region.

*1285 FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR WATER DONATIONS—Mrs Helen Dalton asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

- (1) What financial support is the Government providing, to cover either transport or water bottle purchase costs, for those volunteers transporting donated bottled water to towns in Western New South Wales experiencing water shortages?
- (2) How has the Government made the volunteers aware of any financial support on offer?

Answer-

The Government has been covering the cost of purchasing and transporting water for carting, while working with community groups like Givit, Menindee Water Run and Dignity Water who help with distribution. These groups maintain regular communication with government officials who oversee provision of water to towns to ensure their water supply.

- *1286 BIODIVERSITY LAWS APPLYING TO WATER OFFICIALS—Mrs Helen Dalton asked the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
 - (1) Considering that the Department of Primary Industries Biodiversity website states a property owner has the right to refuse a visitor entry to their property if they do not "clean and/or check their vehicles, equipment, clothing and boots in a designated area when they arrive and leave the property", can a farmer deny a water corporation official entry to their property, in accordance with these guidelines?
 - (a) Can a farmer deny a member of a joint water supply scheme entry to their property, in accordance with these guidelines?

Answer-

I am unable to find any Department of Primary Industries Biodiversity website as indicated in the question, and cannot understand the question in relation to biodiversity regulation.

- *1291 REPAIR SHOPS—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) What assessment has the Government made of the value of repair shops in reducing waste and encouraging reuse and recycling?
 - (2) How does the Government support the establishment and operation of repair shops and similar non-profit waste reduction programs?
 - (3) Does the Government provide practical support such as funding, venues or subsidised rent for these programs?
 - (4) What plans does the Government have to help repair shops operate and reduce waste?

Answer-

- (1) The Government considered the value of repair shops when developing the NSW Circular Economy Policy Statement, published in February 2019.
- (2) Reuse and repair projects are eligible for funding through the Better Waste and Recycling Fund, under the nine-year \$802 million Waste Less, Recycle More initiative.
- (3) Practical support is available for repair shops through the Better Waste and Recycling Fund. This program provides direct funding to councils for local project such as these that encourage reuse and recycling.
- (4) Future opportunities for continuing support for this sector are articulated in the NSW Circular Economy Policy Statement. It identifies reuse and repair as a key focus area in the move to a circular economy. Opportunities will also be considered as part of the 20 Year Waste Strategy currently being developed.
- *1294 FORESHORE WALK—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
 - (1) Is the Government still committed to providing public access via a foreshore walkway around Barangaroo South, Central and the Headland Reserve through to Walsh Bay?
 - (a) Is it true that the foreshore walkway is currently inaccessible and blocked?
 - (b) What work is required to complete this foreshore connection; and
 - (c) When does the Government expect that the community will be able to use the foreshore walkway?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) (a) No. The majority of the foreshore promenade/walkway is accessible, including large sections of Barangaroo South and Barangaroo Reserve (former Headland Park.
- (b) The Southern Cove at Barangaroo South and foreshore promenade adjacent to the Crown Sydney

Hotel Resort is currently under construction.

- (c) The Barangaroo precincts are managed by Infrastructure NSW who report to the Premier. This question should be referred to the Premier.
- *1295 ASBESTOS EDUCATION—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) Considering increased reports of illegal asbestos dumping, what measures has the Government taken to improve education and information about risks and responsible disposal?
 - (2) How does the Government inform householders about identifying and disposing of asbestos responsibly?
 - (3) How does the Government ensure that asbestos disposal fees for small quantities of material from households is accessible and affordable?
 - (4) What further action will the Government take to improve responsible asbestos disposal?

Answer-

- (1) The Government has taken significant steps to improve education on risks and responsible, lawful disposal of asbestos including:
- the NSW Illegal Dumping Strategy 2017-21;
- the draft NSW Asbestos Waste Strategy 2019-21;
- \$8.57 million in funding to local government and Local Aboriginal Land Councils; and
- ongoing communication and links to other government agencies and national campaigns.
- (2) The Government informs householders about asbestos identification and lawful disposal through:
- the Government's NSW Asbestos Coordination Committee (NACC);
- the NSW Illegal Dumping Strategy 2017-21;
- the draft NSW Asbestos Waste Strategy 2019-21; and
- SafeWork NSW material and links to national campaigns.
- (3) The Government's Waste Less, Recycle More initiative has provided funding to local government to reduce the cost of asbestos waste disposal for householders including subsidies for free disposal. This includes the Householder Asbestos Disposal Scheme pilot, where 23 local government areas trialled waiving the levy on separated, wrapped and bonded asbestos to reduce disposal costs. The Aboriginal Communities Waste Management Program also provides funding for asbestos waste clean-up and disposal to discreet Aboriginal communities across New South wales.
- (4) The draft New South Wales Asbestos Waste Strategy 2019-21 outlines actions to help people manage asbestos waste safely and protect them from poor asbestos waste management practices.
- *1299 TENANTS ADVICE AND ADVOCACY SERVICES—Mr Alex Greenwich asked the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) What funding does the Government provide to NSW Tenants Advice and Advocacy Services?
 - (2) What percentage of Rental Bond Board Interest Account income is allocated to Tenants Advice and Advocacy Services?
 - (3) What percentage of Property Services Statutory Interest Account income is allocated to Tenants Advice and Advocacy Services?
 - (a) Has any of this funding increased since 2011 and by what proportion?
 - (4) What data does the Government have about the number of cases these services report managing since 2011:
 - (a) Have services increased or decreased and by how much?
 - (5) What plans does the Government have to increase funding for Tenants Advice and Advocacy Services?
 - (a) If so, when will increased funding apply?

Answer-

- (1) The Government currently provides annual funding of \$11 ,927,573 (plus GST) for Tenants Advice and Advocacy Program (TAAP) services.
- (2) The percentage allocated from these accounts to the Tenants Advice and Advocacy Services vary annually.
- (3) The percentage allocated from these accounts to the Tenants Advice and Advocacy Services vary annually.
- (4) Customer Service records the number of clients and cases these services support, however records are not available from 2011 .due to a change of reporting structure.

(5) The Government intends to continue its existing funding arrangement for TAAP.

*1300 GREYHOUND DEATHS—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

What is the Government doing to prevent the killing of healthy greyhounds?

Answer—

The Greyhound Welfare & Integrity Commission's (Commission) responsibilities include initiating, developing and implementing policies relating to the welfare of greyhounds.

The Commission's Greyhound Re-homing Policy, available on its website, specifies that owners are responsible for re-homing greyhounds they are no longer able to retain and sets out a number of steps that owners must take in attempting to re-home a greyhound.

*1301 GREYHOUND RACING TRACK GRAFTON—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

Is \$4.6 million being spent to build a new greyhound racing track in Grafton?

Answer-

Yes

*1302 WATER SECURITY—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

What is the Government doing to secure the state's water supplies for the future?

Answer—

I am advised:

WaterNSW is working to secure bulk water supplies in the short-term through a range of valley specific responses.

This includes the installation of a temporary weir at Dungowan, and the construction of a new Chaffey to Dungowan pipeline to extend supplies in the Peel Valley, as well as the raising of Warren Weir and accessing deep storage access at Burrendong Dam to extend supplies in the Macquarie Valley.

WaterNSW is also working to improve the state's long-term water security. In June 2018, WaterNSW released a 20 Year Infrastructure Options Study (rural valleys) which provides a strategic level qualitative assessment of potential infrastructure options in regulated river water supply areas across Rural NSW.

This Options Study identified preferred infrastructure options for end use water users that met objectives around water availability, infrastructure capacity and community/environmental benefits.

In addition to this, WaterNSW has also progressed State Infrastructure Strategy Priority Catchment studies in the Lachlan, Macquarie and Gwydir valleys to identify water security projects, as well as studies under the Commonwealth's National Water Infrastructure Development Fund.

On the back of these studies, work is currently underway to progress a number of water security projects, including the Lostock to Glennies Creek pipeline, a new reregulating storage on the Mid-Macquarie and the Lake Rowlands to Carcoar pipeline.

*1303 WATER SHORTAGES—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

What is the Government doing to stop towns in New South Wales running out of water?

Answer—

I am advised:

The Department of Planning, Industry and Environment is closely monitoring the drought situation and its impact on towns and communities throughout regional NSW. The Department employs a risk-based approach to reporting and management of critical water shortages in regional NSW towns.

Financial and technical assistance is available to Regional NSW's Local Government water utilities to support the continued delivery of town water services when a town or village supply is threatened by an extreme event such as drought. Funding is provided for the cost of water carting or emergency infrastructure.

Since the beginning of this drought, the NSW Government has committed more than \$130 million to water infrastructure projects, water carting and emergency works projects to ensure communities have

sustainable water supplies. This includes \$78 million recently approved for delivery of the Critical Drought Initiatives.

*1304 GAMBLING ADDICTION REDUCTION MEASURES—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

What is the Government doing to address the increased level of gambling addiction in the community?

Answer-

This questions should be directed to the Minister for Customer Service.

*1305 ENGINEERING REGISTRATION SCHEME—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

When will the Government introduce an engineering registration scheme similar to that in Queensland? Answer—

On 23 October 2019, I introduced the Building and Design Practitioners Bill 2019.

*1306 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REDUCTION MEASURES—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—

What is the Government doing to reduce the level of domestic violence in our community?

Answer-

I am advised:

In 2016, the Government announced the New South Wales Domestic and Family Violence Blueprint for Reform 2016-2021. The Blueprint provides the framework for building an effective system that addresses the causes and responds to the symptoms of domestic and family violence. It includes strategies to prevent domestic and family violence, intervene early with individuals and communities at risk, support victims, hold perpetrators to account, and improve the quality of services and the system as a whole. The Blueprint is available at www.women.nsw.gov.au.

The Government is investing \$431 million over four years to tackle domestic violence through a range of initiatives. This is in addition to the hundreds of millions of dollars the Government spends each year to combat domestic and family violence through mainstream services in justice, police, health, child protection, social housing and homelessness services.

The Government's commitment to reducing domestic and family violence is reinforced by the Premier's Priority to reduce the number of domestic violence reoffenders by 25 per cent by 2023. More detail about the Premier's Priority is available at https://www.nsw.gov.au/improving-nsw/premiers-priorities/.

*1308 ASBESTOS-FREE SCHOOLS IN CHARLESTOWN ELECTORATE—Ms Jodie Harrison asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

What is the Government doing to ensure schools in the Charlestown electorate are asbestos free?

Answer—

The Department of Education has a rigorous system of maintenance and monitoring at all schools across the State.

The Department has a panel of contractors that specialise in asbestos materials including carrying out necessary investigations, overseeing and reporting on remedial works.

Whitebridge and Warners Bay high schools have works scheduled over the January school holiday period to remediate vermiculite ceilings containing asbestos material.

In the majority of cases, asbestos-containing materials (ACM) are typically bonded products that do not readily release fibres (non-friable) and are considered safe if left undisturbed. Any known friable ACM, which can readily release fibres, is immediately removed.

Members of the community with concerns regarding the presence of asbestos in schools can visit the Asbestos Register section on the Department's website at http://www.dec.nsw.gov.au/about-us/supplying-to-us/asbestos-register.

*1311 OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS PROVIDERS LEASES—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

- (1) How many out of school hours (OOSH) providers operating in Government schools have been issued new leases in each of the 2014-15 to 2018-19 financial years?
- (2) What is the total increase in revenue raised through the renegotiation and issuing of new leases in each of the 2014-15 to 2018-19 financial years?
- (3) How does the Department notify and inform providers of changes to the formula governing teacherstudent ratios and other measures in the OOSH sector?
- (4) Why is the category of lessee (A, B or C) not included on leases issued to OOSH providers?

Answer-

- (1) 2014-2015 financial year: 108; 2015-2016 financial year: 63; 2016-2017 financial year: 108; 2017-2018 financial year: 91; 2018-2019 financial year: 110. These figures represent licence start dates. They do not include deed of variations or extensions to previously existing licence agreements issued during these dates. Additionally, the figures may not reflect the actual number of providers operating in Government schools, only those that have been issued new licences. A number of these would also be renewals of existing licences that had expired.
- (2) The data requested is not held centrally.
- (3) As the national statutory authority, it is the role of the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECQA) to advise the children's education and care sector of changes to the Early Childhood Education and Care National Quality Framework including the National Law. Further questions should be referred to ACECQA. Additionally, within NSW, the Department communicates with the sector via the newsletter, EC Extra, circulated by email and published on the Department's website and at biannual Sector Roadshows. All education and care services in NSW also have access to the Information and Enquiries Hotline.
- (4) The Department issues a standard lease to its outside school hours care providers. The category of lessee is only used by the Department to determine the licence fee.
- *1316 CANTERBURY RACECOURSE MEETINGS—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
 - (1) Has the Minister or any member of his department met with the Australian Turf Club, Mirvac, Canterbury-Bankstown Council or anyone associated with Canterbury Racecourse in relation to the proposed rezoning of Area 6 carpark?
 - (a) If so, when?
 - (2) Has the Minister or any member of his department met with the Australian Turf Club, Mirvac, Canterbury-Bankstown Council or anyone associated with Canterbury Racecourse in relation to the future of the racecourse?
 - (a) If so, when?

Answer-

My diary disclosures are made public in accordance with the Ministerial Code of Conduct via the Department of Premier and Cabinet website.

- *1317 REGIONAL RAIL TRAILS IN TOURISM GRANT APPLICATIONS—Ms Jo Haylen asked the Minister for Jobs, Investment, Tourism and Western Sydney—
 - (1) When applying for tourism grants, why are proposed regional Rail Trails not considered to be eligible as "economic development?"
 - (2) How many proposed regional Rail Trails have formed the basis of applications for tourism grants in each of the 2014-15 to 2018-19 financial years?
 - (3) How many have been approved in each of the 2014-15 to 2018-19 financial years?

Answer—

(1) Each grant program administered by the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE) has approved eligibility and assessment criteria outlined in program guidelines. A rail trail project may meet a grant program's eligibility requirements but may not meet the grant program's "economic development" assessment criteria (if relevant).

(2)

2014-15 N/A

2015-16 N/A

2016-17 6

2017-18 2

2018-192

(3)

2014-15 N/A

2015-16 N/A

2016-17 0

2017-18 1

2018-190

*1318 LAKE MACQUARIE DEVELOPMENT WATER RESOURCES—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

What efforts is the Government making to ensure that water resources for residents will not be affected as a result of the development of 5,000 lots in Lake Macquarie North West, Minmi and Fletcher?

Answer-

I am advised:

I understand that part of the planning proposal referenced is currently before the Land and Environment Court.

Hunter Water will work to enable the growth of the Lower Hunter region, in accordance with the population forecasts of the Greater Newcastle Metropolitan Plan.

*1319 GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE TO ALLEVIATE FLOOD MITIGATION PROBLEMS IN WALLSEND CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—

Considering Newcastle City Council has committed \$3 million towards the Tyrrell Street Bridge upgrade in efforts to alleviate flood mitigation problems in the Wallsend Central Business District, what resources can the Government provide to assist with the necessary upgrade?

Answer-

The Government offers financial assistance and technical support to Councils that manage flood risk through the Floodplain Management Program. The Government has previously provided funding under this program to address flooding issues at Wallsend. City of Newcastle can apply for further funding assistance when the program opens for applications in early 2020.

*1321 WALLSEND ELECTORATE ASBESTOS IN SCHOOLS—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

Considering a number of schools in the Wallsend electorate have been flagged for obtaining asbestos, when will the asbestos be removed?

Answer—

The Department of Education has a rigorous system of maintenance and monitoring at all schools across the State.

The Department has a panel of contractors that specialise in asbestos materials including carrying out necessary investigations and overseeing and reporting on remedial works.

When the presence of asbestos is reported, immediate action is taken by the Department to protect public health, including isolating the area and engaging a licensed contractor to remediate the site in line with NSW Work Health and Safety legislation.

In the majority of cases, asbestos-containing materials (ACM) are typically bonded products that do not readily release fibres (non-friable) and are considered safe if left undisturbed. Any known friable ACM, which can readily release fibres, is immediately removed.

Members of the community with concerns regarding the presence of asbestos in schools can visit the Asbestos Register section on the School Infrastructure NSW website at https://www.schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/about-us/workingwithus/schoolsasbestos-register. html.

The Department is not currently aware of any immediate risk from asbestos containing materials at any school in the Wallsend electorate, and no work is currently scheduled for removal of asbestos containing materials.

*1324 CAPITAL FUNDING FOR SCHOOL PROJECTS AND FACILITY UPGRADES—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

Will capital funding be provided for school upgrades as opposed to schools applying for community grants projects to fund school projects and facility upgrades?

Answer—

Schools that are identified for upgrade will be provided with capital funding subject to the development of a business case approved by NSW Treasury. Schools may also apply for funding options separately.

*1326 NORTHERN NSW FOOTBALL—Ms Sonia Hornery asked the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—

Considering the Minister's response to LA Q818, what funding is available to facilitate the development of infrastructure for Northern NSW Football?

Answer-

All sport grant programs are publically available on the Office of Sport's website.

- *1327 PACIFIC HIGHWAY WORKS CENTRAL COAST—Mr David Mehan asked the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
 - (1) On what dates were the planning of works begun, the construction of the upgrade begun and the construction ended for the following stages of the upgrading works on the Pacific Highway on the Central Coast:
 - (a) Stage 1, Ourimbah;
 - (b) Stage 2, Ourimbah;
 - (c) Stage 3a, Ourimbah Lisarow;
 - (d) Stage 3b, Ourimbah Lisarow;
 - (e) Stage 4, Lisarow Narara;
 - (f) Stage 5, Lisarow Narara, including Manns Road;
 - (g) Wyoming roundabout and widening?

Answer-

I am advised:

(1)

- (a) Stage 1, Ourimbah: The strategic design was displayed in April 2004. The Review of Environmental Factors was determined in June 2006. Construction started at the end of 2006. Construction ended at the end of 2007.
- (b) Stage 2, Ourimbah: The strategic design was displayed in April 2004. The Review of Environmental Factors was determined in June 2007. Construction started in June 2008. Construction ended in December 2010.
- (c) Stage 3a, Ourimbah Lisarow: The strategic design was displayed in November 2009. The concept design and Review of Environmental Factors was displayed in June 2011 and the Review of Environmental Factors was determined in October 2011. Construction started in March 2016. Construction ended in October 2018.
- (d) Stage 3b, Ourimbah Lisarow: Route options were displayed in 2012. Review of Environmental Factors was displayed in July 2016 and determined in February 2017. Construction started in November 2018. The project is currently in construction.
- (e) Stage 4, Lisarow Narara: Route options were displayed in 2012. The project has not yet reached planning approval.
- (f) Stage 5, Lisarow Narara, including Manns Road: The strategic design was displayed in May 2016. The Review of Environmental Factors for the initial intersections were displayed in June 2019. The Review of Environmental Factors has not yet been determined.
- (g) Wyoming roundabout and widening Pacific Highway upgrade between Renwick Street and Brookes Avenue: The Review of Environmental Factors was displayed in 1999. The Review of Environmental Factors was determined in 2001. Construction started in 2001. Construction ended in 2003.
- *1328 BANKSTOWN LIDCOMBE HOSPITAL SECLUSION RATE AND PHYSICAL RESTRAINT EVENTS—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Health and Medical Research representing the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women—

Considering the recommendations of the December 2017 Review of seclusion, restraint and observation of consumers with a mental illness in NSW Health facilities, and in light of the data contained in the Bureau of Health Information Healthcare Quarterly Apr-Jun 2019 Bankstown- Lidcombe Hospital showing an increase in the rate of seclusion and events and the use of physical restraint, what action is being taken to reduce the seclusion rate and events involving the use of physical restraint at Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital?

Answer-

The \$25 million Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital emergency department redevelopment will include dedicated mental health facilities. Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital has developed local seclusion and restraint prevention action plans in partnership with consumers and carers.

Updates on the implementation of recommendations from the Review of seclusion, restraint and observation of consumers with a mental illness in NSW Health facilities are available on the NSW Health website.

*1332 PENSIONER CONCESSIONS LOCAL COUNCIL RATES—Ms Janelle Saffin asked the Minister for Local Government—

Will the Government consider increasing pensioner concessions for local council rates and charges to reflect the inflation rate and to be in line with rate increases?

Answer_

The New South Wales Government understands the importance of continuing to assist pensioners to meet cost-of-living pressures. This is why the Government has invested \$79 million in the 2019-20 budget to ease cost-of-living pressures on pensioners through subsidising council rates and charges.

Each New South Wales council has the discretion to provide further concessions above the legislated maximum concessions for pensioners.

*1333 AIR CONDITIONING INSTALLATION COOLER CLASSROOMS LISMORE ELECTORATE—Ms Janelle Saffin asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

What protection from possible asbestos exposure will there be for the school students, parents, teachers and staff of the schools across the Lismore electorate during the installation of air conditioning under the Cooler Classrooms program?

Answer-

The Cooler Classrooms Program operates in strict accordance with SafeWork NSW protocols and all applicable legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines including the Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan for NSW Government Schools.

When the Cooler Classrooms Program delivers an air conditioning and fresh air ventilation system in a room where the Department's Asbestos Register has records of bonded asbestos, the Program, wherever possible, designs and installs the air conditioning systems to avoid disruption of hazardous materials.

If friable asbestos is found during the course of installation, the program pauses the delivery of the project until the appropriate remediation or removal work is completed in accordance with the Department's Asbestos Management Plan and SafeWork NSW protocols.

Installation works recommence after the required remediation or removal work is complete.

*1334 PUBLIC SECTOR JOB RELOCATION TO ILLAWARRA REGION—Mr Paul Scully asked the Premier—

What is the number of public sector jobs and the current location of the departments and agencies relocated to the Illawarra region since March 2011?

Answer—

I refer you to the answer from the Minister for Water, Property and Housing to LA Q737.

- *1336 GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT AND AGENCY RELOCATIONS—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) Did the Government receive any submissions for the relocation of departments and agencies from local government or regional peak organisations in Wollongong and the Illawarra and South Coast in

support of the relocation to these areas at any time since the introduction of the Decade of Decentralisation initiative?

- (a) If so, please name the organisation, date of the submission, and the request for the relocation of the department and agency.
- (b) What was the Government's response to each of the requests and the date on which the responses were provided?

Answer-

I have been advised that,

Property NSW is not responsible for submissions for the relocation of departments and agencies as part of the Decade of Decentralisation initiative. This matter should be referred to the Minister for Regional NSW, Industry and Trade.

- *1337 ASSET SALES IN ILLAWARRA ELECTORATES—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) As at 19 September 2019, how many property assets owned by Property NSW have been sold since March 2011 in the:
 - (a) Heathcote electorate;
 - (b) Keira electorate:
 - (c) Wollongong electorate;
 - (d) Shellharbour electorate;
 - (e) Kiama electorate;
 - (f) South Coast electorate?
 - (2) As at 19 September 2019, how many property assets owned by each NSW Department have been sold since March 2011 in the:
 - (a) Heathcote electorate:
 - (b) Keira electorate;
 - (c) Wollongong electorate;
 - (d) Shellharbour electorate;
 - (e) Kiama electorate:
 - (f) South Coast electorate?
 - (3) As at 19 September 2019, how many property assets owned by each NSW agency have been sold since March 2011 in the:
 - (a) Heathcote electorate;
 - (b) Keira electorate;
 - (c) Wollongong electorate;
 - (d) Shellharbour electorate;
 - (e) Kiama electorate;
 - (f) South Coast electorate?
 - (4) As at 19 September 2019, how many property assets owned by each NSW Statutory Authority have been sold since March 2011 in the:
 - (a) Heathcote electorate:
 - (b) Keira electorate;
 - (c) Wollongong electorate;
 - (d) Shellharbour electorate;
 - (e) Kiama electorate;
 - (f) South Coast electorate?
 - (5) As at 19 September 2019, how many property assets owned by each NSW corporation have been sold since March 2011 in the:
 - (a) Heathcote electorate:
 - (b) Keira electorate;
 - (c) Wollongong electorate;
 - (d) Shellharbour electorate;
 - (e) Kiama electorate;
 - (f) South Coast electorate?
 - (6) What was the physical address and location of the property assets in (1) (5)?
 - (7) What was the price sought for each asset?
 - (8) What was the total cost for the disposal of each asset?

- (9) What were the net proceeds from the sale of each asset?
- (10) Is there any plan to sell property assets still held by the entities referred to in (1) to (5) in the listed electorates?
 - (a) If so, what assets have received a market valuation over the last 12 months?

Answer-

I am advised:

Data in the Government Property Register (GPR) is not captured by State electorate. The data has been aligned as closely as possible to the corresponding Local Government Area (LGA), noting that some electorates overlap multiple LGAs.

- (1) 20 property assets owned by Property NSW have been sold since March 2011.
- (2) 9 property assets owned by NSW Departments have been sold since March 2011.
- (3) 8 property assets owned by NSW agencies have been sold.
- (4) 655 property assets owned by NSW Statutory Authorities have been sold.
- (5) 91 property assets owned by NSW corporations have been sold since March 2011.
- (6) Specific location of these proprieties are unable to be provided as there may be overriding confidentiality, Government policy or other concerns that would need to be investigated before this information is published.
- (7) This information is not captured by the Government Property Register.
- (8) This information is not captured by the Government Property Register.
- (9) This information is not captured by the Government Property Register.
- (10) Property NSW can only respond with consideration to assets in its portfolio. Two properties have been identified for potential divestment by Property NSW in the nominated electorates. No decisions have been made on when or if these assets will be sold.
 - (a) One asset has had a market valuation undertaken over the last 12 months.

*1339 ENERGY EFFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR GOVERNMENT-LEASED BUILDINGS—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

- (1) How many buildings leased by the Government in the Wollongong electorate have onsite energy generation, capture or storage?
- (2) Does the Government have minimum energy efficiency requirements in buildings that it leases?
 - (a) If so, do all of the leased buildings in the Wollongong electorate meet these minimum requirements?

Answer—

- (1) There are no sites in the Wollongong electorate with any generation, capture or storage.
- (2) Yes, the NSW Government Resource Efficiency Policy (GREP) and the Property NSW Green Lease Schedule requires leased properties to achieve minimum standards NABERS energy ratings of 4.5 star for all pre 2019 leases and 5.0 star for all post 2019 leases.
 - (a) Within Wollongong there are two current Green Leases (Table 1). Both were signed prior to 2019 and are therefore subject to the 4.5 star NABERS rating. Both of these sites meet the applicable minimum requirements. A third site (Table 2) does not have a Green Lease requirement as its leases were signed before 2014 or were below the NLA trigger level. However, the relevant leased area is compliant with the target 4.5 NABERS Energy rating target.

Table 1

Site Name	Total NLA sqm	NABERS Energy Target (excl. Green Power)	Current NABERS Energy (excl. Green Power)	NABERS rating Expiry
Wollongong, 84 Crown Street	8,434	4.5	4.5	29/04/2020
Wollongong, 93-99 Burelli Street	5,770	4.5	5.5	19/09/2020

Table 2

Site Name	Total NLA sqm	NABERS Energy	Current NABERS	NABERS rating
		Target (excl. Green	Energy (excl. Green	Expiry
		Power)	Power)	

Wollongong, 90 Crown Street	4,061	4.5	4.5	9/10/2019

- *1340 WOLLONGONG PUBLIC SCHOOL UPGRADE—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
 - (1) Is the upgrade to Wollongong Public School currently on time and on budget?
 - (2) Have energy efficiency elements been incorporated into the design of the buildings?
 - (a) If so, what are they?
 - (b) If not, why not?
 - (3) Does the upgrade include any onsite energy generation, capture or storage technologies?
 - (a) If so, what are they?
 - (b) If not, why not?
 - (4) What is the expected energy rating of the buildings?
 - (5) What proportion of the work was undertaken by Illawarra-based contractors?
 - (6) Was any steel used in the construction of the new buildings?
 - (a) If so, was this steel produced at Port Kembla steel works?

Answer-

- (1) The project to upgrade Wollongong Public School was initially impacted by an unexpected archaeological find. After consultation and resolution with the Office of Environment and Heritage, the project has proceeded, with an expected delivery of mid-2020.
- (2) The project incorporates energy efficient elements such as natural lighting and ventilation, energy and water efficient fixtures and low emissivity glazing.
- (3) The project will provide both solar generation and rainwater harvesting.
- (4) It was not required that the project be assessed under the Greenstar energy rating.
- (5) Several Illawarra based services have been used throughout this project including electrical, concrete and landscaping supply, civil contractors, general supplies and metal trades.
- (6) The Department of Education can confirm that steel was used in the construction of the new buildings. The steel used in the project was fabricated in Sydney and other locations. The Department cannot determine if it was produced in Port Kembla.
- *1341 GWYNNEVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL UPGRADE—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
 - (1) Is the upgrade to Gwynneville Public School currently on time and on budget?
 - (2) Have energy efficiency elements been incorporated into the design of the buildings?
 - (a) If so, what are they?
 - (b) If not, why not?
 - (3) Does the upgrade include any onsite energy generation, capture or storage technologies?
 - (a) If so, what are they?
 - (b) If not, why not?
 - (4) What is the expected energy rating of the buildings?
 - (5) What proportion of the work was undertaken by Illawarra-based contractors?
 - (6) Was any steel used in the construction of the new buildings?
 - (a) If so, was this steel produced at Port Kembla steel works?

Answer-

- (1) The Gwynneville Public School upgrade is on track for completion as committed. The budget was recently revised to include the installation of air conditioning systems.
- (2) This project incorporates energy efficient elements such as natural lighting and ventilation, energy and water efficient fixtures and low emissivity glazing.
- (3) This project will provide solar generation and rainwater harvesting.
- (4) A Greenstar energy rating assessment was not required for this project.
- (5) Several Illawarra based services have been used including electrical; sand, soil and concrete supply; civil contractors; general supplies; and metal trades.
- (6) Steel was used in the construction of the new buildings, however, the source of the steel production is indeterminate.

*1342 YEAR 12 COMPLETION RATES—Mr Paul Scully asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

Further to LA Q880, what was the year 12 completion rate for all public schools in the Wollongong electorate in each calendar year from 2010 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?

Answer-

Measurement Year	Percent of students who completed (1)
2007	67.2
2008	66.1
2009	71.6
2010	71.1
2011	71.9
2012	65.7
2013	67.4
2014	63.6
2015	64.0
2016 (2)	65.6

Notes:

- (1): "Completion" is defined as the proportion of students who started year 10 in a government school in the Wollongong State Electoral District (2018 boundaries) and who were awarded an HSC within three years of the Measurement Year. Students completing other credentials (such as the International Baccalaureate) are not recorded as completing.
- (2): There are students who completed Year 10 in 2016 who are still at school.
- *1348 WOMEN'S FINANCIAL LITERACY PROGRAMS—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Health and Medical Research representing the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women—

What programs does the Government offer to develop women's financial literacy to improve personal and business outcomes?

Answer—

As Minister for Women, I am passionate about empowering women and girls of all ages. Developing women's financial literacy and capability is critically important to achieving women's personal as well as professional goals.

In my role as Minister for Women, I chair the Council of Women's Economic Opportunity. The Council's role is to advise the Government on barriers and opportunities related to women's economic opportunity and empowerment. After the discussion at my first meeting as Minister in May 2019 I instigated a piece of work around financial literacy resources for women in New South Wales. Women NSW has been working with members of CWEO to establish a web-based resource that will make relevant financial information more visible and accessible to women in different life stages. It is estimated th is will be published by December 2019.

I am also pleased women can access free, confidential, independent financial counselling through the Financial Counselling Association of NSW (FCAN), which receives funding from the Government through the Fair Trading Financial counselling services program. For more information visit http://www.fcan.com.au/.

The Government is also committed to working across Government to address some of the hurdles women may face on the journey whilst starting and growing their own businesses including financial literacy barriers.

As part of the Year Two Action Plan of the NSW Women's Strategy (2018-2022) Women NSW is working with The Sydney School of Entrepreneurship to deliver a series of talks with aimed at females starting and growing their businesses. This year at least one of the talks will be held in rural New South Wales. The Sydney School of Entrepreneurship is a collaboration between 11 New South Wales universities and TAFE NSW that aims to educate and drive the next generation of Australian entrepreneurs. The NSW Women's Strategy is available online: https://www.women.nsw.gov.au/strategies-and-resources/nsw-womens-strategy.

TAFE NSW is also investing \$7.8 million over four years to help up to 5,000 women start their own businesses through a series of online courses, which will include outcomes around financial literacy.

- *1350 REGIONAL YOUTH TASKFORCE CENTRAL COAST REPRESENTATIVES—Ms Liesl Tesch asked the Minister for Health and Medical Research representing the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women—
 - (1) What process was used to develop the Regional Youth Taskforce?
 - (2) Who were the representatives from the Central Coast involved in the taskforce?

Answer-

- (1) An application process was developed between the Office for Regional Youth and the Advocate for Children and Young People, where applicants were asked to provide solutions to key issues they believe are facing regional youth. The process used for selecting NSW Government youth representative bodies was followed and all Taskforce members were approved by Cabinet.
- (2) The two Central Coast representatives are Josef Graf Cooper and Jasmin Hughes.
- *1353 FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE GOVERNMENT LAND—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

What land did the Government own in the Fairfield electorate as of 30 June, 2019?

Answer—

As at 30 June 2019, The Government Property Register (GPR) has identified 20,483,976 square metres of land with Government interest within the Fairfield Local Government Area.

An outline of ownership by Cluster is listed below:

Cluster	Total of Lot area (m2)	Total Lots
Education	1,644,477.00	247
Health	150,672.00	7
Planning, Industry and Environment	16,394,559.35	3,197
Stronger Communities	828,457.00	67
Transport	1,561,411.11	578
Treasury	68,159.00	32
Grand Total	20,647,735.46	4,128

Disclaimer: The total area by Cluster will differ to the total listed within Fairfield LGA due to multiple agencies having an interest in the same parcel. Where this occurs the lot area will be counted multiple times.

Note: Specific locations of these properties are unable to be provided, as there may be overriding confidentiality, Government policy or other concerns that would need to be investigated before this information is published.

Note: data in the Government Property Register (GPR) is not captured by State electorate. The data has been aligned as closely as possible to the corresponding LGA.

- *1354 ASBESTOS RELATED INFRINGEMENTS CUMBERLAND—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) How many businesses within the Cumberland local government area have been issued with asbestos related infringements in each recurring year from 2015 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (a) What was the average cost for each infringement?
 - (b) What was the total revenue collected in each recurring year for these infringements?

Answer-

I am advised that the EPA has not issued any such notices. However, the only holds information which is reported to it via the EPA Environment Line and via RIDonline. Council and the RID squad can also issue infringement notices for illegal dumping which may not be reported to the EPA. The EPA does not hold this information.

- (1) None, however infringement notices may have been issued by Cumberland Council or the former Auburn, Parramatta and Holroyd Councils.
- *1355 ASBESTOS DUMPING CUMBERLAND—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—

- (1) How many incidents of illegally dumped asbestos were recorded in the Cumberland local government area in each recurring year from 2015 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (a) How many of these incidents resulted in infringement notices being issued to the offending individual(s)?
 - (b) What was the total annual cost for clean-up and decontamination of affected sites in each recurring year from 2015 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (c) What was the approximate response and clean-up time for sites which were affected by illegally dumped asbestos?

Answer—

- (1) A total of 86 reports of illegal dumps alleging asbestos have been recorded by the EPA and RIDonline since Cumberland Council was formed on 12 May 2016.
 - (a) The EPA, local government and RID squad officers can issue infringement notices for illegal dumping. No infringement notices were issued by the EPA for asbestos dumping in the Cumberland LGA between 12 May 2016 and 19 September 2019. There may be further infringement notices issued by Cumberland Council but not reported to the EPA.
 - (b) The EPA provided \$6,510.00 to Cumberland Council for cleaning up dumped asbestos in the Cumberland LGA in 2017. Council may also have funded its own clean-up operations so it may be best placed to provide this information.
 - (c) The EPA does not manage the clean-up of these incidents and as such, does not have this information. Cumberland Council may be best placed to provide this information
- *1356 ASBESTOS RELATED INFRINGEMENTS FAIRFIELD—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) How many businesses within the Fairfield local government area have been issued with asbestos related infringements in each recurring year from 2015 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?
 - (a) What was the average cost for each infringement?
 - (b) What was the total revenue collected in each recurring year for these infringements?

Answer-

I am advised that the EPA has not issued any such notices. However, the only holds information which is reported to it via the EPA Environment Line and via RIDonline. Council and the RID squad can also issue infringement notices for illegal dumping which may not be reported to the EPA. The EPA does not hold this information.

- (1) None, however infringement notices may have been issued by Fairfield City Council.
- *1357 SCHOOL AIR CONDITIONING FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
 - (1) Which schools in the Fairfield electorate are going to have their air conditioning installed under the 2019-2020 State Budget?
 - (a) How many air conditioning units will be installed in each school?

Answer-

The Department of Education is currently considering funding air conditioning in some schools in the Fairfield electorate under the 2019-2020 State Budget. These schools, and the number of air conditioning units are yet to be determined.

*1358 VILLAWOOD GOVERNMENT-OWNED VACANT LAND—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

Are any plans in place for the use of the vacant government-owned land at Kamira Court in Villawood?

Answer—

I am advised:

This matter should be referred to the Minister for Water, Property and Housing.

- *1359 ASBESTOS DUMPING FAIRFIELD—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) How many incidents of illegally dumped asbestos were recorded in the Fairfield local government area in each recurring year from 2015 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?

- (a) How many of these incidents resulted in infringement notices being issued to the offending individual(s)?
- (b) What was the total annual cost for clean-up and decontamination of affected sites in each recurring year from 2015 to 2019 (as at 19 September 2019)?
- (c) What was the approximate response and clean-up time for sites which were affected by illegally dumped asbestos?

Answer-

- (1) A total of 132 reports of illegal dumps alleging asbestos have been recorded by the EPA and RIDonline in the Fairfield LGA in this period.
 - (a) The EPA, local government and RID squad officers can issue infringement notices for illegal dumping. No infringement notices were issued by the EPA for asbestos dumping in the Fairfield LGA in this period. There may be further infringement notices issued by Fairfield City Council but not reported to the EPA.
 - (b) The EPA has provided \$65,997 to Fairfield City Council for cleaning up dumped asbestos for the mentioned period. Council may also have funded its own clean-up operations so it may be best placed to provide this information.
 - (c) The EPA does not manage the clean-up of the majority of these incidents therefore is unable to provide this information. Fairfield Council may be best placed to provide this information.
- *1363 WRAN LEISURE AND AQUATIC CENTRE VILLAWOOD—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Local Government—
 - (1) What assistance, financial or otherwise, can be provided to the City of Canterbury Bankstown Council in order to assist council to maintain the operation of the Wran Leisure and Aquatic Centre at Villawood?
 - (2) Has the council sought assistance, financial or otherwise, from the Government, in order to assist the council to maintain the operation of the Wran Leisure and Aquatic Centre at Villawood?

Answer-

The New South Wales Government has provided funding for councils, including the City of Canterbury Bankstown, through the Stronger Communities and New Implementation Funds which councils have been able to apply for.

Regarding the Office of Local Government, the City of Canterbury Bankstown has not sought funding for maintaining the operation of the Wran Leisure and Aquatic Centre at Villawood.

When it comes to other grant funding programs specific to other portfolio offices, I suggest the member direct her question to the relevant Minister.

The Government will continue to support all councils in New South Wales.

- *1367 WRAN LEISURE AND AQUATIC CENTRE MAINTENANCE ASSISTANCE SPORT—Ms Tania Mihailuk asked the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—
 - (1) What assistance, financial or otherwise, is able to be provided to maintain operations of the Wran Leisure and Aquatic Centre at Villawood?
 - (2) Has the Wran Leisure and Aquatic Centre at Villawood sought assistance, financial or otherwise, in order to maintain operations?

Answer-

- (1) -2 Maintenance of the Wran Leisure and Aquatic Centre is the responsibility of City of Canterbury Bankstown. The Office of Sport grant programs are available to support active recreation and sport programs, including facility development.
- *1368 VILLAWOOD GOVERNMENT-OWNED VACANT LAND HOUSING—Mr Guy Zangari asked the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

What plans are in place for the use of the vacant government-owned land at Kamira Court in Villawood?

Answer—

I am advised that the future of the vacant government-owned land at Kamira Court in Villawood is subject to the rezoning of the Villawood Town Centre. Fairfield City Council is currently leading the rezoning.

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- 1369 NARRABRI COURT HOUSE—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1370 DECOMMISSIONING OF THE MENINDEE TO BROKEN HILL PIPELINE AND IMPACT ON LANDHOLDERS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1371 HEIGHT OF THE NEW WILCANNIA WEIR—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1372 LEETON HOSPITAL DOCTOR—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1373 GROUNDWATER LICENCES—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1374 REGIONAL TAX EXEMPTION—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Treasurer—
- 1375 APPLICATIONS FOR DISASTER RELIEF FUNDING RECEIVED BY THE RURAL ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- 1376 IMPLEMENTATION OF PERFORMANCE AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1377 EDUCATION FUNDING IN GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1378 DECLINE IN NAPLAN RESULTS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1379 IMPROVING THE USE OF EVIDENCE TO FORM PLANS AND STRATEGIES—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1380 QUALITY SCHOOLS REFORM—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1381 FREIGHT TRANSPORT RESTRICTED BY NARROW MULYANDRY BRIDGE—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1382 EQUITY OF OPPORTUNITY IN RURAL AND REMOTE SCHOOLS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1383 REOPENING OF THE BRIDLE TRACK—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1384 PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS SALARY WAGE CAP EXEMPTION—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1385 BUILDINGS IN LIVERPOOL ON THE COMBUSTIBLE CLADDING REGISTER—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1386 DELAY OF STATUTORY REVIEW—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1387 ORAL CARE LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1388 SENIOR SAVERS CARD—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Customer Service—

- 1389 RECRUITMENT OF NSW CRIME COMMISSIONER—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1390 AUSTRALIAN LATIN AMERICA SOLIDARITY ARCHIVE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1391 COMBUSTIBLE CLADDING LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1392 JOB LOSSES AT SERVICE NSW LIVERPOOL CENTRE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1393 PROPOSED ADDITIONAL COMMUTER CARPARK AT EDMONDSON PARK RAILWAY STATION—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1394 CANCELLATION OF BUS SERVICES—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1395 MAINTENANCE OF STORM DRAINS IN THE COOGEE ELECTORATE—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1396 SCHOOL FENCING—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1397 CHANGES TO CATCHMENTS FOR PUBLIC PRIMARY AND HIGH SCHOOLS—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1398 15-19 CROWN STREET WOLLONGONG REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1399 HOUSING NSW HEAD LEASES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—

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- 1400 DIALYSIS PATIENTS IN POSTCODE 2293—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1401 VOUCHERS UNDER NSW ORAL HEALTH FEE FOR SERVICE SCHEME—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1402 SCHOOL MAINTENANCE IN WENTWORTH SHIRE—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1403 LEETON DISTRICT HOSPITAL NURSE ABUSE INCIDENTS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1404 OUTSOURCING OF STERILISATION SERVICES—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1405 COUNCIL RATES REBATES FOR PENSIONERS—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1406 ASBESTOS REMOVAL IN SCHOOLS IN SUMMER HILL ELECTORATE—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1407 REGION 6 BUSES LIVERY—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1408 TEMPE STATION WORKS—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—

- 1409 PROPOSED HARBOUR BRIDGE BICYCLE RAMP—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1410 SYDNEY TRAINS INFRINGEMENTS—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1411 ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS IN REGIONAL AND RURAL COMMUNITIES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—
- 1412 CONTAMINATED RECYCLING WASTE—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1413 UNDERQUOTING IN SUMMER HILL ELECTORATE—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
- 1414 PLANNING PROPOSAL IN BONDI JUNCTION STRATEGIC MERIT—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1415 PLANNING PROPOSAL IN BONDI JUNCTION HEIGHT LIMIT—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1416 PLANNING PROPOSAL IN BONDI JUNCTION MEETING WITH RESIDENTS—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1417 LAND AND HOUSING CORPORATION COSTS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
- 1418 PUBLIC SECTOR JOB CUTS IN WOLLONGONG LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Premier—

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- 1419 TEN YEAR LICENCE RESTRICTIONS FOR CLASS C AND R—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1420 EAST MAITLAND LANDS OFFICE BUILDING—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1421 FRESH MILK AND DAIRY COMMISSIONER—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- 1422 ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS IN MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—
- 1423 ASBESTOS REMOVAL FROM MAITLAND ELECTORATE SCHOOLS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1424 ASBESTOS IN GOVERNMENT OWNED OR LEASED PROPERTIES IN MAITLAND—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1425 MAITLAND HOSPITAL NURSING STAFF VACANCIES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1426 GOVERNMENT OWNED LAND IN MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1427 SCHOOL ZONE SIGNS WITHOUT FLASHING LIGHTS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1428 PUBLIC SECTOR AGENCIES IN MAITLAND ELECTORATE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—

- 1429 COBAR AND NYNGAN COURT HOUSES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1430 RENEWAL OF PETROLEUM EXPLORATION LICENCES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
- 1431 COOKS RIVER—Ms Sophie Cotsis to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1432 NEWCASTLE SUPERCARS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Jobs, Investment, Tourism and Western Sydney—
- 1433 HUNTER SCHOOL OF THE PERFORMING ARTS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1434 STOCKTON BEACH NOURISHMENT OFFSHORE SAND DREDGING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
- 1436 COASTAL EROSION COLLAROY AND STOCKTON—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1437 GOVERNMENT PAYROLL FUNCTIONS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1439 STOCKTON BEACH OFFSHORE SAND DREDGING—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1440 STOCK ANIMAL SEIZURE ORDER REVIEW AND APPEAL—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- 1441 GRIFFITH AND WADE HIGH SCHOOLS MERGER EVALUATION—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1442 ISOLATED PATIENTS TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1443 WESTERN HARBOUR PRECINCT AND PYRMONT PENINSULA PLANNING REVIEW—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1444 COUNCIL PLANNING POWERS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1445 VOTING AGE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier—
- 1446 REGENERATIVE AGRICULTURE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- 1447 ULTIMO CREATIVE INDUSTRIES PRECINCT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1448 AT RISK CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
- 1449 BAY PRECINCT CREATIVE INDUSTRIES PRECINCT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1450 MOORE PARK REVENUE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1451 PUBLIC DENTAL SERVICES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1452 SCHOOLS FUNDING MECHANISMS WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

- 1453 NEWCASTLE INNER CITY BYPASS ROAD CONGESTION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1454 ROAD CONGESTION WALLSEND MEASUREMENT—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1455 ROAD CONGESTION WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1456 POTENTIAL OVERCROWDING ISSUES IN SCHOOLS IN WALLSEND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1457 FLOOD MITIGATION PROBLEMS IN WALLSEND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1458 MAINTENANCE BACKLOG AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN WALLSEND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1459 BATHROOM FACILITIES TRAINS AND STATIONS FOR NEW MOTHERS—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1460 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RESOURCE CENTRE WALLSEND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1461 OVER DEVELOPMENT AROUND CENTENNIAL PARK—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1462 DEVELOPMENT OF SITE NORTH EAST CORNER OF CENTENNIAL PARK—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1463 DECISION ON TOWERS ADJACENT TO CENTENNIAL PARK—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1464 PLANNING APPROVAL FOR TOWERS ADJACENT TO CENTENNIAL PARK—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1465 WINDANG BRIDGE REHABILITATION—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- REVIEW OF ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS UNANDERRA STATION—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1467 WOLLONGONG ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE MASTER PLAN—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—
- IMPORTED TIMBERS USED BY GOVERNMENT ENTITIES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
- 1469 COMPULSORY PREFERENTIAL VOTING—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Premier—
- 1470 AUSTRALIAN MADE STEEL—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1471 MENTAL HEALTH CALLS AND NSW POLICE FORCE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1472 PUBLIC SECTOR JOB REDUCTIONS IN WOLLONGONG AND THE ILLAWARRA—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Premier—
- 1473 PRIVATE NATIVE FORESTRY REVIEW REPORT—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
- 1474 TOMAREE HOSPITAL DATA BUREAU OF HEALTH INFORMATION—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—

- 1475 NATIONAL PARKS PLANS OF MANAGEMENT—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1476 HERITAGE NEAR ME EXPENDITURE—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1477 HERITAGE EMERGENCY WORKS GRANT—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1478 STATE OF THE PARKS REPORT—Ms Kate Washington to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1479 FAIRFIELD HOSPITAL FUNDING—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1480 MOBILITY-FRIENDLY ACCESS TO AND FROM CARRAMAR, YENNORA AND VILLAWOOD TRAIN STATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1481 MOBILE SPEED CAMERAS FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE REVENUE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Small Business—
- 1482 LICENCE RENEWAL FEE DISCOUNT ELIGIBILITY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1483 FAIRFIELD HOSPITAL RESOURCING CONSULTATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1484 FAIRFIELD HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT WAIT TIMES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1485 LICENCE CONSOLIDATION REFUND—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1486 CANLEY VALE STATION ELEVATORS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1487 BUS SERVICES FAIRFIELD LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1488 TEN YEAR LICENCE RENEWAL RESTRICTIONS FOR CLASS R OR LR—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Customer Service—

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- 1489 TOORALE STATION DIVERSION AND DAM INFRASTRUCTURE—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1490 TOORALE WARREGO RIVER WATER DIVERSION—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1492 ULTIMO TAFE CLADDING—Ms Yasmin Catley to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education—
- 1493 MOTOR NEURONE DISEASE GOVERNMENT FUNDING FOR RESEARCH—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1494 BROKEN HILL PIPELINE BENEFIT FOR NORTHERN IRRIGATORS INFORMATION—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1495 MOAMA POLICE STATION TOILET AND CHANGE ROOM FACILITIES—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- 1496 WEST CORURGAN PRIVATE IRRIGATION DISTRICT—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1497 RESTRICTING NEW WATER LICENCES LOWER MURRAY RIVER—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1498 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LIAISON OFFICERS TOTAL NUMBER BY DISTRICT—Ms Lynda Voltz to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1499 GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS AWARDED TO BMD HOLDINGS PTY LTD—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Small Business—
- 1500 DISASTER RELIEF FUNDING NOTIFICATION OF DECLINED APPLICATION—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- 1501 RESTART NSW FUNDS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Treasurer—
- 1502 GRANVILLE ELECTORATE SCHOOLS ASBESTOS REMEDIATION—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1503 M4 CHURCH STREET EXIT ACCIDENT NUMBERS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1504 SERVICE NSW CENTRE AT MERRYLANDS—Ms Julia Finn to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1505 NOISE CAMERA TECHNOLOGY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1506 POWER OF ATTORNEY LAWS AND THE ELDERLY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1507 ACCESSIBLE TRANSPORT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1508 RABBIT FARMING NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- BROADSPECTRUM SOCIAL HOUSING REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE CONTRACT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1510 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE POLICE AND JUSTICE RESPONSE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1511 HIGH STREET SMALL BUSINESS SUPPORT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Small Business—
- 1512 ROADSIDE CANNABIS TESTING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1513 CORRESPONDENCE REGARDING MEDIATION AND COMMUNITY JUSTICE CENTRES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1514 M2 AND M7 TOLL CHANGES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1515 DXW CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL DECISION—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- ABORIGINAL LANGUAGES ACT 2017 COMMENCEMENT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
- 1517 BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY SECURITY OF PAYMENT AMENDMENT ACT 2018 COMMENCEMENT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
- 1518 SURETY BOND SCHEME CANCELLATION OUTCOMES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—

- 1519 WITNESSING OF OVERSEAS DOCUMENTS COMPLEXITIES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1520 LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL ACUTE CARE SURGERY UNIT CLADDING—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1521 SECURITY INDUSTRY AMENDMENT (PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS) ACT 2016 COMMENCEMENT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1522 WOLLONGONG HOSPITAL WAITING TIMES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1523 TAMWORTH HOSPITAL ADDITIONAL SECURITY—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1524 BEGA VALLEY YOUTH HOMELESSNESS SERVICES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
- 1525 TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION PROGRAM PAYMENT TIME—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
- 1526 BEGA VALLEY PUBLIC HOUSING PROPERTIES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
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- 1589 PORT OF NEWCASTLE CONTAINER CAP AND FEE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Treasurer—
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- 1591 PUBLIC TRANSPORT SUPPORT FOR VULNERABLE PEOPLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
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- 1593 NEWCASTLE MINES GROUTING FUND—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
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- 1596 MURRAY DARLING BASIN PLAN ICAC INVESTIGATION—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
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- 1628 APPROVED TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT DEVICES NUMBER FAIRFIELD—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—

- 1629 SOCIAL HOUSING PROPERTIES IN GW10 FAIRFIELD—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1630 HOMELESSNESS FUNDING IN FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
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- 1634 FAIRFIELD COURT HOUSE—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
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- 1636 FAIRFIELD ELECTORATE COOLER CLASSROOMS PROGRAM APPLICATIONS—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

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- 1638 WESTERN WILD DOG COORDINATOR—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
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- 1640 NURSES IN WESTERN AND FAR WEST NSW LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICTS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
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- 1650 OBSTETRICS BEDS AT GRIFFITH BASE HOSPITAL—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
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- 1658 WALAMA COURT ESTABLISHMENT—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1659 NSW LAW REFORM COMMISSION GUARDIANSHIP RECOMMENDATIONS—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
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- 1661 LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT WAIT TIMES—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1662 ENERGY RETAILERS BILLING ERROR COMPLAINTS FROM LIVERPOOL ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1663 CRIMINAL PROCEDURE ACT SECTION 293—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
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- 1665 WORKPLACE INJURIES AT LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL—Mr Paul Lynch to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1666 RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF THE 378 BUS ROUTE—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1667 WATER SAVING SCHEMES—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1668 MAMMOGRAM MACHINE FOR ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1669 SHOALHAVEN HOSPITAL MENTAL HEALTH UNIT TEMPORARY CLOSURE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1670 BLACKTOWN AND MOUNT DRUITT HOSPITALS SURGICAL SERVICES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1671 KEIRA PUBLIC SCHOOLS DEMOUNTABLES—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

- 1672 CLADDING ON GOSFORD HOSPITAL—Ms Liesl Tesch to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1673 CONSULTATION ON CHANGES TO THE EMERGENCY SERVICES LEVY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Treasurer—

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- 1674 DROUGHT RELIEF SMALL BUSINESS LOW INTEREST LOANS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Treasurer representing the Minister for Finance and Small Business—
- 1675 HUDSON PEAR ERADICATION PLAN FUNDING—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
- 1676 MEDICAL EQUIPMENT COSTS PATIENTS CAMPBELLTOWN AND CAMDEN HOSPITALS—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1677 HURLSTONE AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL—Mr Anoulack Chanthivong to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1678 NARRANDERA TO TOCUMWAL RAIL LINE REOPENING FEASIBILITY STUDY CONFIDENTIALITY DECISION—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1679 LOCAL GOVERNMENT MEDIA POLICIES—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1680 NARRANDERA TO TOCUMWAL RAIL LINE REOPENING FEASIBILITY STUDY COMMERCIAL-IN-CONFIDENCE—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1681 ORANGE SQUASH CENTRE—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Treasurer—
- 1682 MOUNT CANOBOLAS MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAILS PROJECT—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Treasurer—
- 1683 ORANGE REGIONAL CONSERVATORIUM AND PLANETARIUM—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Treasurer—
- 1684 GAME DEVELOPMENT INDUSTRY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Jobs, Investment, Tourism and Western Sydney—
- 1685 DRUG POSSESSION OFFENCES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
- 1686 AIR CONDITIONING INCENTIVES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1687 COOKS RIVER ECOLOGICAL MANAGEMENT—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- 1688 POKER MACHINE LICENCES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
- 1689 SYDNEY METRO WEST PROJECT—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
- 1690 CANNABIS REGULATION AND POLICING—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
- 1691 SPRINTER RESEARCH GROUP EVALUATION OF ACTIVE KIDS PROGRAM—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—

- 1692 SCHOOL STUDENTS WELLBEING—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- 1693 RECYCLING RATES—Ms Jo Haylen to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
- 1694 SMART START INTERLOCKS COMPLAINTS—Mr Jamie Parker to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
- 1695 DIGNITY SUPPORTED ACCOMMODATION CONTRACTS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
- 1696 REVIEW OF SOUTH EAST REGIONAL HOSPITAL RECOMMENDATIONS IMPLEMENTATION—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
- 1697 COMPULSORY THIRD PARTY INSURANCE FRAUD—Ms Lynda Voltz to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

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- 1698 EMERGENCY SERVICES RESPONSE TIME ABERGLASSLYN HOUSE FIRE—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
 - (1) When was the first triple zero call received by Fire and Rescue NSW to a house fire in Peppertree Circuit Aberglasslyn on Wednesday 22 October 2019?
 - (2) Which emergency service was first on the scene?
 - (a) What was the response time from when the triple zero call was received to when services arrived on the scene?
 - (3) How many Fire and Rescue NSW services attended the scene?
 - (a) From which stations did they attend?
- 1699 DRUG-RELATED ADMISSIONS TO MAITLAND PSYCHIATRIC WARD—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) How many inpatients were treated at the Mental Health Ward at Maitland Hospital from 2016 to 2019, disaggregated by calendar year (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (a) How many of these mental health inpatients were diagnosed with a condition associated with illicit drug use, disaggregated by calendar year (as at 24 October 2019)?
- 1700 SPORT ACTIVE KIDS PROVIDERS ACCREDITATION—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans—
 - (1) What accreditation must Active Kids swimming program provider organisations obtain for registration?
 - (2) What accreditation must the staff hold?
 - (a) Are all staff members required to have Working with Children Check clearance?
 - (b) How does the Department of Sport monitor and enforce these requirements?
- 1701 GONE FISHING DAY—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
 - (1) Was funding provided for the 2019 Gone Fishing Day from the Recreational Fishing Trust Fund?
 - (a) If so, how much was provided?
 - (i) How was this funding distributed?
 - (b) How many applications for funding were received?
 - (i) How many were approved?
 - (ii) How many were denied?
- 1702 PFAS DETECTION AND PROPERTY VALUES TRUEGAIN RUTHERFORD—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

- (1) How many property owners were notified by the Environment Protection Authority of downstream per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) contamination from the Truegain Rutherford site discovered in March 2018?
- (2) What was the location by street address of those who were notified?
 - (a) How many property sales occurred in this location between 2016 and 2019, disaggregated by year (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (b) What was the median value of these property sales, disaggregated by year?
- 1703 JUSTICE OF THE PEACE APPLICATIONS—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
 - (1) What is the current processing time for a new Justice of the Peace application?
 - (2) What is the current processing time for a Justice of the Peace reappointment?
 - (3) How many applications has the Department successfully received from applicants in the Maitland electorate?
 - (4) How many applicants have received emails incorrectly informing them that their applications were unsuccessful?
- 1704 SPECIALIST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND HOMELESSNESS PROVIDERS MAITLAND—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
 - (1) How many referrals for Specialist Domestic Violence and Homelessness program providers serving the Maitland area have been received in the period from 2016 to 2019 (as at 24 October 2019) disaggregated by:
 - (a) Calendar year;
 - (b) Domestic Violence and Homelessness clients?
 - (2) How many emergency, temporary, medium-term and long-term placements have been made from 2016 to 2019 (as at 24 October 2019) disaggregated by:
 - (a) Calendar year;
 - (b) Domestic Violence and Homelessness clients?
- 1705 CESSNOCK ROAD UPGRADE AT TESTERS HOLLOW COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS FEEDBACK—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
 - (1) During the recent exhibition of the Review of Environment Factors (REF) for the upgrade of Cessnock Road at Testers Hollow, how many responses were received in the form of:
 - (a) comments from the community;
 - (b) submissions from stakeholders?
 - (2) What issues were raised by the community and stakeholders with the upgrade project that was placed on public exhibition?
 - (3) Given the recent feedback on the REF, will the final business case be prepared on the exhibited upgrade or a revised project taking account of the recent community and stakeholder comments?
 - (4) When is construction forecast to commence on the upgrade of Cessnock Road at Testers Hollow?
- 1706 MAITLAND BOARDING HOUSES—Ms Jenny Aitchison to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
 - (1) How many registered Assisted Boarding Houses operate in Maitland?
 - (a) What are the names and addresses of these Assisted Boarding Houses?
 - (b) How does Ageing, Disability and Home Care NSW determine whether or not these Assisted Boarding Houses meet their licensing requirements?
 - (2) How many registered General Boarding Houses operate in Maitland?
 - (a) What are the names and addresses of these General Boarding Houses?
 - (3) Does Housing NSW, Compass, Hume or any other community housing provider refer clients to any of the Assisted Boarding Houses and General Boarding Houses for emergency, short-term, medium-term or long-term accommodation?
- 1707 LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION ADMINISTRATION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Local Government—

How many different election companies were contracted by Councils to administer the 2016 New South Wales Local Government elections?

- 1708 BIODIVERSITY OFFSETS AND KOALA HABITATS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) How are biodiversity offsets policed and monitored in New South Wales under the Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016?
 - (2) Are there any figures available on the effects of developments in the Hunter Valley on koala habitats under the biodiversity offsets scheme?
- 1709 ABORIGINAL HOUSING PROPERTIES CESSNOCK—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) How many Aboriginal housing properties are located in the electorate of Cessnock (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (2) How many are 1 bedroom properties?
 - (a) Are the properties houses or units?
 - (3) How many are 2 bedroom properties?
 - (a) Are the properties houses or units?
 - (4) How many are 3 bedroom properties?
 - (a) Are the properties houses or units?
 - (5) Are there any properties with 4 or more bedrooms?
 - (6) How many properties have been purchased since 1 July 2011 (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (7) How many properties have been sold since 1 July 2011 (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (8) Are any of the Aboriginal housing properties currently vacant (as at 24 October 2019)?
- 1710 DEFINITION OF DAMS, WEIRS AND RESERVOIRS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) What are the different types of dams in New South Wales?
 - (a) What is the definition of each type?
 - (2) What are the different types of weirs in New South Wales?
 - (a) What is the definition of each type?
 - (3) What are the different types of reservoirs in New South Wales?
 - (a) What is the definition of each type?
 - (4) Are the answers to questions 1, 2 and 3 standard across all Australian States?
 - (a) If no, which States vary?
- 1711 CREATE NSW'S ARTS AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FUNDING—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
 - (1) Of the 156 successful applicants from rural and regional areas who received funding from Create NSW's Arts and Cultural Development Program, how many of these have received funding from this program previously?
 - (a) What was the maximum funding amount received by a previously successful recipient?
 - (b) What was the minimum funding amount received by a previously successful recipient?
 - (2) Have any of these recipients been successful on more than 2 occasions?
 - (a) If yes, how many?
- 1712 CESSNOCK DISTRICT HOSPITAL FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT MEDICAL STAFF—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - How many full-time equivalent medical staff were employed at Cessnock District Hospital in each year from 2011 to 2019 (as at 24 October 2019)?
- 1713 ISOLATED PATIENTS TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) How many patients from the electorate of Cessnock accessed the Isolated Patients Travel and Accommodation Assistance Scheme (IPTAAS) in each financial year since 1 July 2015 (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (2) How many patients' families from the electorate of Cessnock accessed the scheme in each financial year since 1 July 2015 (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (3) What was the average distance travelled by families from the electorate of Cessnock who accessed

the scheme?

- (a) What was the longest distance travelled?
- (4) What was the average duration of the stay by families from the electorate of Cessnock who accessed the scheme?
 - (a) What was the longest duration of stay?
- 1714 MY COMMUNITY PROJECT GRANTS PROJECTS—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Customer Service—

Is there any requirement for recipients of a My Community Project grant to make their completed projects available to the community, beyond the specific group they represent?

- 1715 INDEPENDENT PLANNING COMMISSION—Mr Clayton Barr to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
 - (1) How many of the 30 members of the Independent Planning Commission (IPC) make up a Panel and are required to read and consider public submissions received?
 - (a) Who is tasked with reading the submissions if not the panel members?
 - (i) Do these individuals have any authority in the decision-making process?
 - (2) Once the period for making a submission has ended, how soon after the closing date do Commission Panel members meet to discuss the submissions?
 - (a) Is it normal practice for a decision to be made and a response written prior to these meetings?
 - (i) If not, what happened to initiate the Rix's Creek South Mine announcement which was made and then withdrawn on 4 October 2019?
 - (3) Are all Commission Panel members impartial in relation to the project they are allotted?
 - (a) How is this verified by the Commissioner?
- 1716 WATER LICENCE FIXED CHARGES REBATE—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) Why is the rebate for fixed charges on water licence holders not being extended to stock and domestic licence holders in the lower Namoi?
 - (a) Are there plans to extend the rebate to stock and domestic licence holders?
- 1717 TAFE NSW TAMWORTH ENROLMENTS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education—
 - (1) How many students currently enrolled at TAFE NSW Tamworth list their home address as being within the 2390 postcode (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (a) In which courses are these students enrolled?
- 1718 TAFE NSW EXPENDITURE WESTERN NSW—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education—
 - (1) What was the annual expenditure between the 2008-2009 and the 2018-2019 financial years for the following TAFE NSW locations:
 - (a) Bourke;
 - (b) Brewarrina;
 - (c) Broken Hill;
 - (d) Cobar;
 - (e) Condobolin;
 - (f) Coonabarabran;
 - (g) Coonamble;
 - (h) Dunedoo;
 - (i) Gilgandra;
 - (j) Lake Cargelligo;
 - (k) Lightening Ridge;
 - (l) Menindee;
 - (m) Narrabri;
 - (n) Nyngan;
 - (o) Walgett;
 - (p) Warren;

- (q) Wilcannia?
- (2) For the above listed TAFE NSW locations, at which sites are Automotive Trade courses offered?
 - (a) For each site, what level of Automotive Trade qualification can a student attain?
 - (b) How many students are currently enrolled in these courses (as at 24 October 2019)?
- TAFE NSW COURSE AFFORDABILITY—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary 1719 Education—
 - (1) What assistance is available for students studying at TAFE NSW who are unable to cover course
 - Where a student is unable to study their preferred course at their local TAFE campus, does TAFE NSW provide assistance for that student to travel to an alternate campus?
 - (3) Does TAFE NSW offer the opportunity to remote access courses from other TAFE NSW campuses?
- ASSET PRIVATISATION IN NEWCASTLE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Treasurer—
 - (1) Are there any more plans to privatise any Government owned assets or services in Newcastle?
 - (2) Will you rule out privatising any more public assets or services in Newcastle?
- PORT OF NEWCASTLE CONTAINER THRESHOLD LEVEL-Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the 1721 Treasurer-
 - (1) What is the Government's source of funds for paying NSW Ports for container volumes exceeding a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle?
 - Does Government financial support become payable to the lessee of Port Botany and Port Kembla when container volumes exceed a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle?
 - Does the Government require the Port of Newcastle to pay a penalty, in the form of passing the cost of any payment made to NSW Ports, for container volumes exceeding a threshold at the Port of Newcastle?
 - (4) Is it Government policy not to develop a container terminal at the Port of Newcastle before container capacity is reached at Port Botany followed by Port Kembla?
 - (5) Do the lease arrangements for the ports of Newcastle, Botany and Kembla reflect the 2013 NSW Government's Freight and Ports Strategy and the 2018 NSW Freight and Ports Plan - that Port Kembla should be the State's next container terminal once Port Botany reaches capacity?
 - (6) Under the Government's container terminal policy, is it a condition for developing a container terminal at the Port of Newcastle that the developer pays the Government's penalty for container volumes exceeding a threshold level?
 - (7) Did the Government lease the Port of Newcastle to be able to pay NSW Ports Pty Ltd for container volumes exceeding a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle?
 - (a) If not, what is the Government's source of funds to be able to pay NSW Ports Pty Ltd for container volumes exceeding the threshold level at the Port of Newcastle until 2063?
 - (8) On what date did the Government inform the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) of its decision to pass to the developer of a container terminal at the Port of Newcastle, any cost incurred in paying the lessee of Port Botany and Port Kembla for container volumes exceeding a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle?
 - (9) Is there agreement or disagreement between the Government and the ACCC about the date that the Government disclosed the Port Commitment Deeds for Port Botany and Port Kembla to the ACCC?
 - (a) Is the date sub judice?
 - (10) Is there agreement or disagreement between the Government and the ACCC about the date that the Government disclosed the Port Commitment Deed for the Port of Newcastle to the ACCC?
 - (a) Is the date sub judice?
 - (11) Considering that there is no legislated cap on the number of containers that can travel through the Port of Newcastle, was a container volume threshold at the Port of Newcastle given as an instruction to Morgan Stanley for a conducting a scoping study into leasing Port Botany and Port Kembla?
 - (a) If no, on what date did the Government decide on a container volume threshold at the Port of Newcastle?
 - (12) Was a decision made in 2012 to pass to the developer of a container terminal at the Port of Newcastle the cost of paying a lessee of Port Botany and Port Kembla for container volumes exceeding a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle?
 - (a) If no, on what date was this decision made?

- (13) Is the Government's decision to pass to the developer of a container terminal at the Port of Newcastle the cost of paying financial support to NSW Ports for container volumes exceeding a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle, consistent with the Government's decision that Port Kembla will be the State's next major container terminal after Port Botany reaches capacity?
- (14) Does the Government agree or disagree with the statement by the Independent Commission Against Corruption in its Operation Spicer Report dated August 30 2016 that "as a statutory state-owned corporation, the NPC [Newcastle Port Corporation] was obliged to comply with the NSW Government's "Working with Government Guidelines"?
- (15) Is the Ports Assets (Authorised Transactions) Amendment Act 2013 sub judice?
- (16) For the purposes of the Port Commitment Deeds for Port Botany, Port Kembla and the Port of Newcastle, does the term "container" have a confidential meaning?
- (17) Considering that the Government charges a penalty for container volumes above a threshold level at the Port of Newcastle, how many containers a year were shipped through the port since it was leased?
- (18) Considering that the Port of Newcastle is not prevented from developing a container terminal, would a container terminal be an uneconomic enterprise contrary to market demand if the Government did not require the Port of Newcastle to pay a penalty for container volumes exceeding a threshold level?
- 1722 BIRTH CERTIFICATE SEX RECORD CHANGE—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Attorney General, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence—
 - (1) Are there plans to implement legislation to allow transgender and gender diverse (TGD) people change the sex recorded on their birth certificate without having to undergo medical or surgical intervention?
 - (a) If so, when?
 - (b) If not, why not?
- 1723 NEWCASTLE LIGHT RAIL PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT SYSTEM—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Is the Minister aware that the public announcement system at the Queens Wharf Newcastle Light Rail stop is loud and is having a negative impact on residents in the nearby Menkins Apartment building located at 161 Scott Street, Newcastle?
 - (2) Will action be taken to lower the volume of the public announcements at the Queens Wharf Newcastle Light Rail stop, especially early in the morning and late at night, to mitigate the negative impact on residents?
 - (a) If not, why not?
 - (3) Will the Minister meet with residents of the Menkins Apartment building to discuss their concerns?
- 1724 MATER HOSPITAL BUS SERVICES—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) What time do bus services to Mater Hospital finish on weekdays?
 - (2) What time do bus services to Mater Hospital finish on weekends?
 - (3) Will the hours that the Mater Hospital is serviced be increased?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 1725 DESTINATION NSW REVIEW—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Treasurer—
 - (1) Did Treasury undertake a review into the strategy and direction of Destination NSW?
 - (a) If so, will the findings of the review be made public?
 - (i) If not, why not?
- 1726 52 NOBBYS ROAD CARPARK DOORS—Mr Tim Crakanthorp to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) Is the Minister aware that the garage doors to the underground carpark in Nobby's Road Housing complex have been broken for over four years before being removed altogether?
 - (2) Why were the doors removed instead of replaced?
 - (3) Is the Minister aware there have been a number of reports of anti-social behaviour in the carpark since the doors were reported broken and subsequently removed?
 - (4) Will the doors be replaced so the carpark is secure?

- (a) If not, why not?
- 1727 LOWER MURRAY GROUNDWATER WATER SHARING PLAN REVIEW RECOMMENDATIONS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

Considering your answer to LA Q200 stated the Lower Murray Groundwater Water Sharing Plan was informed by a 2006 NSW Natural Resource Commission review of the plan, and considering the review states that the Lower Murray Groundwater Water Sharing Plan, unlike other water sharing plans, "does not include the same provisions that allows recharge volumes and environmental water provisions to be amended" and recommends there be "consistency in amendment provisions" across plans, why has this recommendation not been implemented?

- 1728 REPRESENTATION TO FEDERAL MINISTER FOR WATER RESOURCES, DROUGHT, RURAL FINANCE, NATURAL DISASTER AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
 - (1) What representation have you made to the Federal Minister for Water Resources, Drought, Rural Finance, Natural Disaster and Emergency Management regarding the fact that as at 23 October 2019 South Australia's Lower Lakes are at 102 per cent capacity, 15,511 megalitres are flowing to South Australia per day, and 27 gates in the South Australian Murray are open to the sea?
 - (2) What has been the outcome of your representation?
- 1729 RECYCLED CONTENT FOR LOCAL COUNCIL PROJECTS—Mrs Helen Dalton to ask the Minister for Local Government—

Considering the report released by Local Government NSW titled 'At the Crossroads: The State of Waste and Recycling in NSW' that indicates household recycling and waste diversion rates are stagnating in New South Wales, will regulations be reviewed to allow Local Councils to prioritise procurement of recycled content for projects?

- 1730 FEE-FREE APPRENTICESHIPS BY REGION—Mr Jihad Dib to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education—
 - (1) How many fee-free apprenticeships have been taken up since announcement of this scheme, listed by region (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (a) How many applicants have left their fee-free apprenticeship without completion?
- 1731 TRUNDLE CENTRAL SCHOOL STUDENTS STRESS—Mr Philip Donato to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

Considering reports that school children at Trundle Central School are displaying physical symptoms of severe stress as a result of the effects of the drought crisis on their families and community, will the number of school counsellors increase and be available to students, as raised in LA Q9864 of Parliament 56/1?

- 1732 TEXTILE RECYCLING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) What programs does the Government operate or fund to support recycling of clothing and other textiles?
 - (2) What community education does the Government provide about this matter?
 - (3) What liaison has the Government carried out with charities and the fashion industry aimed at reducing textile waste?
 - (4) What advocacy has the Government carried out with the Commonwealth Government to support a national scheme to reduce and prevent textile waste and increase recycling?
 - (5) What further action will the Government take to reduce textile waste and ensure recycling of unwanted clothing and textiles?
- 1733 HORSE RACING REGULATION—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) What assessment has the Government made of the report by the Australian Broadcasting Corporation 7.30 Report program about systemic horse racing cruelty and 4,000 race horses being killed each year?
 - (2) What action has the Government taken to:
 - (a) enforce existing racing rules;
 - (b) reduce the volume of horses bred for and retired from racing;

- (c) increase industry investment in animal welfare;
- (d) encourage racing events for older horses;
- (e) support retraining of retired race horses;
- (f) increase rehoming of retired race horses;
- (g) minimise injury and death in races;
- (h) ensure lifetime tracing of race horses;
- (i) provide accurate public information about the racing industry including deaths and injury;
- (j) prevent cruel slaughter of race horses in abattoirs?
- (3) What action has the Government taken to improve Racing NSW oversight and enforcement?
- (4) What plans does the Government have to audit and overhaul Racing NSW to improve animal welfare outcomes in the racing industry?
- (5) What further action does the Government plan to address the cruelty and regulation failures exposed by this television program?
- 1734 DOLTONE HOUSE JONES BAY WHARF—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
 - (1) What neighbourhood disturbance complaints has the Government received about Doltone House Jones Bay Wharf?
 - (2) What concerns are raised in these complaints and how long have adjacent residents been raising these same concerns?
 - (3) What investigations and audits of liquor licence have been carried out in response to community complaints?
 - (4) Does this venue have a liquor licence for its SoHo facility?
 - (5) What licencing conditions have been applied in response to these complaints?
 - (6) What further action will the Government take to ensure compliance and protect adjacent residents from intrusive night time noise, anti-social behaviour and nuisance?
- 1735 RENTAL HOUSING MODIFICATIONS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) Noting the Australian Housing and Urban Research Institute's report entitled 'Mortgage stress and precarious home ownership: implications for older Australians' dated August 2019, what plans does the Government have to make it easier for the growing number of elderly persons in private rental housing to be able to make modifications to their home to aid access and mobility?
 - (2) What advice does Fair Trading provide to renters about making modifications to improve access and mobility?
 - (3) What plans does the Government have to review the Residential Tenancies Act 2010, to provide for tenants to modify their home to improve access and mobility?
- 1736 COMMUNITY COLLEGES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education—
 - (1) Noting Community Colleges Australia's report entitled 'Vulnerable and Disadvantaged Students of not-for-Profit Community Education Providers: Analysis of 2018 Data', how does the Government plan to support not-for-profit community education providers?
 - (2) What strategies has the Government implemented to:
 - (a) ensure community colleges can continue to provide high quality programs across New South Wales:
 - (b) ensure vulnerable and disadvantaged learners' access to 'second-chance' education;
 - (c) provide accessible fees for community college programs;
 - (d) support community college teachers and teaching;
 - (e) support the development and renovation of new and existing facilities?
 - (3) Does the Government plan to re-establish a Board of Adult and Community Education?
 - (4) What plans does the Government have to:
 - (a) provide core operational funding for adult and community education providers;
 - (b) increase funding for Community Service Obligation programs;
 - (c) increase funding for foundation skills, adult basic education and teaching of English as a second language;
 - (d) develop a specific adult education program to fund retraining and employment skills for older people?
 - (5) What advocacy has the Government carried out with the Commonwealth to formally recognise the

- role of adult and community education?
- (6) What further action will the Government take to support community colleges' sustainability, capacity and accessibility?
- 1737 NO GROUNDS HOUSING EVICTIONS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) What assessment has the Government made of the Productivity Commission's report entitled 'Vulnerable Private Renters: Evidence and Options 2019' that found no grounds terminations constitute a small but significant portion of landlord terminations and recommended no grounds terminations be removed from legislation?
 - (2) What consideration has the Government given to extend notice periods for no grounds evictions in order to improve tenant welfare?
 - (3) What action will the Government take to strengthen residential tenancy provisions that provide for greater certainty of tenure?
- 1738 FORESHORE WALK BARANGAROO SOUTH—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier—

When does the Government expect that the community will be able to use the foreshore walkway around Barangaroo South, Central and the Headland Reserve through to Walsh Bay?

- 1739 333 BUS SERVICE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) What does Opal travel data record about passenger numbers on 333 bus services?
 - (2) What are the on-time and cancellation rates for 333 bus services and what rates apply during peak travel periods?
 - (3) What assessment has the Government carried out into the reliability of 333 bus services?
 - (4) What assessment has the Government carried out into the need for more express or limited stop bus services between Bondi and the Central Business District?
 - (5) What plans does the Government have to increase 333 service levels, particularly in peak travel times?
 - (6) What further action will the Government take to improve 333 bus services to better meet community needs?
- 1740 THE METRO MINERVA THEATRE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Premier representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts, Vice-President of the Executive Council—
 - (1) What consideration has the Government given to re-activation of the Metro Minerva Theatre in Kings Cross?
 - (2) What liaison has the Government carried out with the building owners about possible use as a theatre?
 - (3) What plans does the Government have to encourage use of this building as a theatre?
- 1741 ENERGY PROVIDER SWITCHING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) Is it true that energy suppliers can switch a consumer's account to a new provider without expressed permission?
 - (2) How does the Government inform consumers about unauthorised switching and what action they can take?
 - (3) What advocacy has the Government carried out with the Commonwealth Government to prevent unauthorised account switching?
 - (4) What further action does the Government plan to ensure accounts can be transferred only with the consumer's consent?
- 1742 GAMBLING ADDICTION REDUCTION MEASURES—Ms Jodie Harrison to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
 - What is the Government doing to address the increased level of gambling addiction in the community?
- 1743 CHEMOTHERAPY PLACES AT MATER HOSPITAL—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) Considering that patients at the Calvary Mater Newcastle Hospital have waited up to 9 weeks to commence chemotherapy, how many chemotherapy places were available at the Hospital in:

- (a) The 2011-12 financial year?
- (b) The 2018-19 financial year?
- 1744 MEDICAL ONCOLOGISTS AT MATER HOSPITAL—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) Considering that patients at the Calvary Mater Newcastle Hospital have waited for up to 9 weeks before commencing chemotherapy treatment, how many medical oncologists were employed at the hospital in:
 - (a) The 2011-12 financial year?
 - (b) The 2018-19 financial year?
- 1745 HOMELESSNESS IN WALLSEND—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—

Considering that BaptistCare Hopestreet Wallsend has distributed over 110,000 meals to the region's vulnerable and homeless since August 2012, what is the Minister doing to address homelessness in the Wallsend electorate?

1746 RELOCATION OF MCCAFFREY DRIVE SPEED CAMERA—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—

Considering that recent data has shown that the McCaffrey Drive, Rankin Park, speed camera has seen a 367 per cent rise in casualty crashes since the camera was installed in the last 5 years and that further along McCaffrey Drive there have been a number of fatal crashes in the last 5 years, will the Minister consider relocating the camera to the area where these accidents have been occurring?

- 1747 CHEMOTHERAPY TREATMENT BENCHMARK TIMES—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) What was the accepted benchmark for the commencement of chemotherapy treatment at the Calvary Mater Newcastle Hospital in:
 - (a) The 2011-12 financial year?
 - (b) The 2018-19 financial year?
- 1748 COMMUNITY AND SMALL BUSINESS CCTV FUND IN THE WALLSEND ELECTORATE—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—

Considering the Community and Small Business CCTV Fund is only open for those in the Sydney Local Government Areas, will the Government provide a similar fund for businesses and community groups in the Wallsend electorate?

1749 PERMANENT PARK AND RIDE SERVICE TO JOHN HUNTER HOSPITAL—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—

Considering the success and the willingness of staff and visitors to utilise a Park and Ride Service from Hunter Stadium, will the Minister consider implementing a cost neutral park and ride service for staff, visitors and patients to the John Hunter Hospital on a permanent basis?

- 1750 GRIFFITHS ROAD SPEED CAMERA EDUCATION—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Considering the recent data which indicated that the red light and speed camera at Griffiths Road, Lambton is the fourth biggest earner from fines issued in the State and that despite the reduction in speed limit the number of low speed accidents have not reduced but the level of fines issued has continued to grow, what is the Government doing to educate drivers at Griffiths Road?
 - (2) How has the Government tried to reduce the number of fines being issued?
 - (3) How much money has been spent on educating drivers about reducing their speed along this section of road?
- 1751 GRIFFITHS ROAD SPEED LIMIT REVIEW—Ms Sonia Hornery to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—

Considering that despite the speed reduction at Griffiths Road, Lambton, the number of low speed accidents have not reduced but the level of fines issued has continued to grow, will the Minister consider a review of the decision to reduce the speed limit along this section of road?

- 1752 COMPANION ANIMALS ACT 1988 AMMENDMENT IMPOUNDING—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Local Government—
 - (1) Will the Minister amend the Companion Animals Act 1998, as per resolution 84 of the Local Government Association Conference (from Blacktown City Council), to
 - (a) prohibit cats roaming on public and private lands without permission;
 - (b) review the holding period for unidentified cats;
 - (c) ensure consistency between the Impounding Act 1993 and the Companion Animals Act 1998?
- 1753 COMPANION ANIMALS ACT 1988 AMENDMENT CAT ROAMING—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Local Government—
 - Will the Minister amend the Companion Animals Act 1998, as per the recent resolution of the Local Government Association Conference (resolution 83 from the Shoalhaven City Council), so that domestic cats may no longer roam?
- 1754 HOMELESSNESS ON THE CENTRAL COAST—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
 - (1) What specific homelessness funding has been allocated to the Central Coast?
 - (2) Has a count of homeless people on the Central Coast been undertaken?
- 1755 PACIFIC HIGHWAY UPGRADE LISAROW COMPLETION—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) When is the upgrade of the Pacific Highway at Lisarow (stage 3B) due to be complete?
 - (2) When will stages 4 and 5 of the Pacific Highway upgrade begin on the Central Coast?
- 1756 COMBUSTIBLE CLADDING BUILDINGS CENTRAL COAST COUNCIL AREA—Mr David Mehan to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
 - (1) How many buildings in the Central Coast Council area are listed on the combustible cladding register?
 - (2) Will the register be made available for public viewing?
 - (3) What steps have been taken to ensure the relevant public authorities are aware of these buildings and risks to the public minimised?
- 1757 CANTERBURY BANKSTOWN POLICE AREA COMMANDS RESOURCES—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
 - Will any additional funding or resources be allocated to Police Area Commands within the Canterbury Bankstown Local Government Area considering the increase in the number of Apprehended Violence Orders, the rate of domestic assault and the number of drug offences from July 2017 to June 2019 according to the recent Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research data?
- 1758 BANKSTOWN-LIDCOMBE HOSPITAL GREEN TRAVEL PLAN UPDATE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - What progress has been made on the development of a Green Travel Plan for Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital?
- 1759 CANTERBURY-BANKSTOWN HOSPITAL ALTERNATIVE PARKING OPTIONS—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - Have any alternative parking options close to the vicinity of the Canterbury-Bankstown Hospital been identified, pending the longer term redevelopment of the hospital?
- 1760 BANKSTOWN LIDCOMBE HOSPITAL TRAINING ACCREDITATION—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) Are the Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital's current Respiratory and Sleep Medicine and Orthopaedic Surgery adequate, considering their recent loss of training accreditation?
 - (a) What action will be taken to improve these services and allow the hospital to be re-accredited?
 - (b) What are the alternative local accredited training hospitals available for trainee doctors?
- 1761 BANKSTOWN ZONE SOCIAL HOUSING POPULATION GROWTH—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—

How will the Government ensure adequate social housing stock in the GW09 Bankstown allocation zone to meet future demand considering estimated population growth and the current social hosing waitlist?

- 1762 M5 EAST MOTORWAY CASH BACK SCHEME—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Considering the response to LA Q1149 received on 26 September 2019, will tolls on the M5 East Motorway be subject to cashback under the M5 Cashback Scheme?
 - (a) If not, why not, considering tolls on the M5 South-West are subject to cashback under the M5 Cashback Scheme?
- 1763 BANKSTOWN LIDCOMBE HOSPITAL REVIEW OF TRAFFIC FLOW AND DROP-OFF—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - What is the outcome of the review of traffic flow and drop-off to the Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital Emergency Department, undertaken as part of the planning for the Emergency Department's expansion?
- 1764 COMPULSORY THIRD PARTY REFUNDS BANKSTOWN ELECTORATE—Ms Tania Mihailuk to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
 - (1) How many drivers in the Bankstown electorate were eligible to receive a Compulsory Third Party (CTP) Green Slip refund in the 2018-19 financial year?
 - (a) How many received a CTP Green Slip refund in the 2018-19 financial year?
- 1765 IVANHOE AND BREWARRINA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES CLOSURES—Mr Chris Minns to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism and Corrections—
 - (1) What provision has the Government made for continuing the community development undertaken in the Ivanhoe community by the Warakirri Correctional Centre?
 - (2) Has the Government developed a strategy to engage with Central Darling and Brewarrina Shire Councils to avoid further economic degradation of Ivanhoe and Brewarrina?
 - (3) Are there Rural Community Impact Statements for the closures of Ivanhoe Warakirri and Brewarrina Yetta Dhinnakkal Correctional Centres?
- 1766 IVANHOE AND BREWARRINA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES REDUNDANCIES—Mr Chris Minns to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism and Corrections—
 - (1) How many staff at Ivanhoe Warakirri and Brewarrina Yetta Dhinnakkal Correctional Centres will lose their jobs following the closure of the centres?
 - (a) How many staff will be retained?
 - (2) How much does the Government anticipate redundancies will cost?
- 1767 INMATE FAMILY VISITS—Mr Chris Minns to ask the Minister for Counter Terrorism and Corrections—
 - (1) What considerations have been given to family members who will be required to travel significantly further to visit inmates following the closure of the Warakirri and Yetta Dhinnakkal Correctional Centres, considering Correctional Services NSW's Commitment to Service includes ensuring effective service provision to families and friends of inmates?
 - (a) Has the Government investigated alternative options to ensure that family members can remain in contact with inmates?
 - (b) Has the Government considered the negative impact on recidivism rates that causing a reduction in family contact during the time of incarceration might have on the broader community?
 - (2) What cultural provisions will be made for the Aboriginal populations of Warakirri and Yetta Dhinnakkal Correctional Centres when transfer of inmates to alternative facilities occurs?
- 1768 339 BUS SERVICE FREQUENCY—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—When will the timetable change to extend the 339 bus service to every 15 minutes be implemented?
- 1769 PRINCE OF WALES HOSPITAL ELECTIVE SURGERY WAIT TIME—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - Why is the median wait time for urgent elective surgery at the Prince of Wales Hospital 27 days and thus is the worst in the State?

1770 ASSISTANCE FOR FLAMMABLE CLADDING REMOVAL—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

What support is the Government giving both Randwick City Council and Waverley Council to remove flammable cladding from development sites in their respective local government areas?

1771 SERVICE NSW CENTRE RANDWICK—Dr Marjorie O'Neill to ask the Minister for Customer Service—

When will a Service NSW centre be opened in Randwick?

- 1772 HEALTH FUNDING—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) Is there a Treasury Cap on New South Wales health funding?
 - (2) What savings in total has NSW Health been asked to make in the 2019-2020 financial year?
 - (3) Does NSW Health need to make any savings to deliver on their election commitments?
 - (a) If so, what is the amount?
- 1773 LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT BUDGET SAVINGS—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) What amount of budget savings have the following local health districts and services been requested to make:
 - (a) Illawarra Shoalhaven;
 - (b) Central Coast;
 - (c) Nepean Blue Mountains;
 - (d) Northern Sydney;
 - (e) South Eastern Sydney;
 - (f) South Western Sydney;
 - (g) Sydney;
 - (h) Western Sydney;
 - (i) Far West;
 - (j) Hunter New England;
 - (k) Mid North Coast;
 - (l) Murrumbidgee;
 - (m) Northern NSW;
 - (n) Southern NSW;
 - (o) Western NSW;
 - (p) Sydney Childrens Hospital Network;
 - (q) Justice Health and Forensic Mental Health;
 - (r) St Vincents Health Network?
- 1774 SCHOOLS AIRCONDITIONING—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

When will Austinmer Public School, Wollongong High School of Performing Arts, and Woonona East Public School receive air conditioning, as per their successful application under the Cooler Classrooms Program?

- 1775 ASSERTIVE OUTREACH PROGRAM—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
 - (1) Which specific local government areas is the Assertive Outreach program currently working within (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (2) Will this initiative be rolled out within the Wollongong Local Government Area?
 - (a) If so, when?
 - (b) If not, why not?
- 1776 SOCIAL AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUND—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - (1) How much of the \$1.1 billion Social and Affordable Housing Fund has currently been allocated (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (2) How many additionally constructed social housing properties has the fund delivered (as at 1 October 2019)?

- 1777 HOMELESS-SPECIFIC MEDICAL CENTRE—Mr Ryan Park to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) Is the Minister and NSW Health aware of the trial of a homeless-specific medical centre in Western Australia?
 - (2) Are there plans to trial this initiative in Sydney?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 1778 NORTHERN RIVER FOOD TOURISM STRATEGY INVESTMENT—Ms Janelle Saffin to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
 - When will the Government's investment of \$240,000 over four years to support the Northern River Food Tourism strategy, in conjunction with industry body Northern Rivers Food, as announced during the election, be made?
- 1779 VOLUNTARY HOUSE RAISING SCHEME FUNDING REVIEW—Ms Janelle Saffin to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—
 - (1) Will the Government review the Voluntary House Raising Scheme's total funding pool available for New South Wales per annum (under the Floodplain Management Program)?
 - (a) Will a local allocation approach based on priority be reinstated?
 - (b) Will the financial barriers impeding landholder access to funding be removed, specifically the requirement to obtain detailed project cost quotes?
- 1780 TAXI LICENCES—Ms Janelle Saffin to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Will the Government consider increasing its current \$20,000 assistance package when buying back taxi licences to ensure that the compensation offered better reflects a fair and just value in line with pre-reform licences?
 - (2) Will the Government consider leasing the licences back to the industry for a price reflective of the market they have exclusive access to?
 - (3) Will the Government maintain a 'rank and hail' proposition to reduce entry costs for taxi operators and allow taxi networks to develop competitive business models?
- 1781 INTERSECTION OF COWLONG ROAD AND BRUXNER HIGHWAY SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS—Ms Janelle Saffin to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
 - Will Transport for NSW undertake a study of the dangerous intersection of the Cowlong Road and the Bruxner Highway at the Alphadale Crossroads (heading towards the Alstonville Plateau) considering its significant history of serious crashes and the proposed left-turn lane that will give some improvement to safety?
- 1782 BEXHILL AND MURWILLUMBAH EAST PUBLIC SCHOOLS UPGRADES—Ms Janelle Saffin to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
 - (1) When will the major upgrades at Bexhill Public School and Murwillumbah East Public School start?
 - (a) Will all five demountable classrooms at Bexhill Public School be replaced with permanent classrooms, as indicated by the Minister for Education on 7 March 2019?
 - (b) How many of the eight demountables at Murwillumbah East Public School will be replaced with permanent buildings?
- 1783 GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT AND AGENCY RELOCATIONS—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
 - (1) Did the Government receive any submissions for the relocation of departments and agencies from local government or regional peak organisations in Wollongong and the Illawarra and South Coast in support of the relocation to these areas at any time since the introduction of the Decade of Decentralisation initiative?
 - (a) If so, please name the organisation, date of the submission, and the request for the relocation of the department and agency.
 - (b) What was the Government's response to each of the requests and the date on which the responses were provided?
- 1784 LINKS TO LEARNING PROGRAM—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

- (1) Will the current Links to Learning Program be continued in 2020?
- (2) Considering the current program concludes in December 2019, when will existing providers be informed about future arrangements for the Links to Learning Program?
- (3) If the program is intended to continue in 2020:
 - (a) Will the current objectives of the program remain the same?
 - (b) Will there be changes to the overall funding allocated to the program?
 - (c) Does the Department intend to conduct a tender/procurement process to select providers to deliver the program?
 - (i) If so, will the process be an open or closed tender/procurement process?
 - (ii) When will the tender/procurement process be commenced?
- 1785 ILLAWARRA SHOALHAVEN REGIONAL TRANSPORT PLAN—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Will the Government publish an update to the Illawarra Shoalhaven Regional Transport Plan?
 - (a) If not, why not?
 - (b) If so, when?
- 1786 ROAD SAFETY ON M1 MOTORWAY—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Following serious accidents on Mount Ousley and near the Mount Keira Road overpass at West Wollongong, what steps have been considered to increase road safety along the M1 Motorway in these areas?
 - (2) Have these initiatives been implemented?
 - (a) If not, why not?
 - (b) If so, what was the nature of the measure and when was it implemented?
- 1787 WATER RESILIENCE PROJECTS IN WOLLONGONG ELECTORATE—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Treasurer—
 - (1) Considering the 2019-20 allocation of \$17.8 million to WaterNSW for "Other Resilience Measures" in the Wollongong electorate contained in the NSW Budget 2019-20 Wollongong Electorate Report:
 - (a) What projects are to be funded through this budget allocation;
 - (b) What funds are associated with each project?
- 1788 UNANDERRA STATION UPGRADE BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) What opportunities will be available for Wollongong and Illawarra-based small and medium sized businesses to be involved in the construction of the Unanderra Station upgrade?
 - (2) Will Transport for NSW make any specific arrangements to make sure Wollongong and Illawarra-based businesses are fully aware of opportunities to be involved in the Unanderra Station upgrade?
 - (a) If so, what is planned?
 - (b) If not, why not?
- 1789 REMEDIATION OF CRINGILA PUBLIC SCHOOL—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

What are the reasons for the delay in the Department opening a tender process for the clean-up and remediation of Cringila Public School following a fine issued by the Environment Protection Authority in 2018 relating to coal wash combustion?

- 1790 NSW BUILDING COMMISSIONER—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) Has the NSW Building Commissioner visited Wollongong?
 - (a) If so, on what date and with whom did he meet?
 - (i) What issues were discussed with each stakeholder he met with?
 - (b) If not, when will he do so?
 - (2) How many representations has the NSW Building Commissioner received in relation to building rectification works from:
 - (a) Wollongong building owners;
 - (b) Unit and apartment owners;

- (c) Strata management and committees?
- (3) Has the NSW Building Commissioner responded?
 - (a) If so, what was the nature of the response?
- (4) What is the estimated cost of the building rectification works which have been identified for Wollongong buildings?
- 1791 IMPACT OF BUSHFIRES ON NORTH COAST TIMBER SUPPLY AGREEMENTS—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Regional New South Wales, Industry and Trade—
 - (1) What has been the impact of bushfires on North Coast timber supply agreements?
 - (2) What plans does the Government have in place, or is considering, to ameliorate the impact on these timber supply agreements?
- 1792 ILLAWARRA SHOALHAVEN LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT BUDGET—Mr Paul Scully to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) What is the health budget for the 2019-20 financial year for the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District?
 - (2) What was the actual health budget for the 2018-19 financial year for the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District?
 - (3) What is the 2019-20 financial year service agreement for Wollongong Hospital?
 - (4) What was the 2018-19 financial year service agreement for Wollongong Hospital?
 - (5) Will the Minister guarantee there will be no funding cuts to the Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District in the 2019-20 financial year?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 1793 MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS AND FACILITIES INVESTMENT—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research representing the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women—
 - (1) In the 2018-19 financial year, how much did the Government spend on mental health programs and facilities in the Shellharbour electorate?
 - (a) What specific programs were delivered due to this investment?
- 1794 PORT KEMBLA STEEL—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Premier—
 - (1) How many Government funded projects across New South Wales are utilising steel sourced from Port Kembla Steelworks in their construction?
 - (a) What are these specific projects?
- 1795 IDENTITY THEFT—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
 - (1) Is the Government aware of any incidences or reports of identity theft linked to a drivers license being stolen out of a letterbox or during transit whilst being posted from Service NSW?
 - (a) If so, how many?
 - (2) What is the Government doing to protect the identities of citizens?
- 1796 DRIVERS LICENCE NUMBER—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Customer Service—
 - (1) For what reason are drivers unable to change their driver's licence number?
 - (2) Are victims of identity theft able to change their driver's licence number?
 - (a) If not, why not?
- 1797 SHELLHARBOUR HOSPITAL MENTAL HEALTH UNIT—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Research—
 - (1) How many additional staff members will be made available to Shellharbour Hospital for the upcoming holiday period, considering Shoalhaven Hospital's sub-acute mental health unit is temporarily closed and patients are being transferred to the Shellharbour Hospital mental heath unit for treatment?
 - (2) What is the average number of patients being treated by Shoalhaven Hospital's sub-acute mental health unit in a single day, calculated over the last:
 - (a) Week;
 - (b) 30 days;
 - (c) 90 days (as at 24 October 2019)?

- (3) How many mental health units across New South Wales public hospitals will experience a temporary closure over the upcoming holiday period?
- 1798 ALBION PARK RAIL BYPASS EMPLOYMENT—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) How many workers are currently employed in the Albion Park Rail bypass project (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (2) How many of these workers are employed on a:
 - (a) Full time basis;
 - (b) Part-time basis;
 - (c) Casual basis?
- 1799 WORKPLACE INJURY AND DEATHS—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) How many workers have lost their lives whilst at work since 1 January 2019 (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (2) How many workers have lost their lives whilst at work over the last five years (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (3) How many incidences of serious injuries at workplaces have been reported to the Government since 1 January 2019 (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (4) How many incidences of serious injuries at workplaces have been reported to the Government over the last five years (as at 24 October 2019)?
- 1800 WAGE UNDERPAYMENT SHELLHARBOUR—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
 - (1) How many incidences of workers being underpaid by businesses within the Shellharbour electorate have been reported to the Government over the last 12 months?
 - (a) What were the outcomes of the investigations?
 - (2) What is the Government doing to address the issue of wage theft in New South Wales, with specific reference to the Illawarra region and the Shellharbour electorate?
- 1801 PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER EMPLOYMENT SHELLHARBOUR—Ms Anna Watson to ask the Minister for Skills and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
 - (1) How many teachers are employed at public schools within the Shellharbour electorate (as at 24 October 2019)?
 - (a) How many teachers are employed on a non-permanent basis at public schools within the Shellharbour electorate (as at 24 October 2019)?
- 1802 VILLAWOOD GOVERNMENT-OWNED VACANT LAND—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
 - Are any plans in place for the use of the vacant government-owned land at Kamira Court in Villawood?
- 1803 MARITIME VESSEL CHECK POLICY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) What policy must staff of Maritime NSW adhere to when performing vessel checks in open waters throughout New South Wales?
 - (a) Can you provide me with a copy of this policy?
- 1804 PERSONAL WATERCRAFT INFRINGEMENT NOTICES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) For each year from 2011 to current (as at 24 October 2019), how many residents in the Fairfield electorate who were owners of personal watercraft were issued with an infringement notice for offences related to activities performed while using their watercraft in New South Wales waters?
 - (a) What is the breakdown by offence type?
- 1805 ORPHAN SCHOOL CREEK CONTAMINATION—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Energy and Environment—

- (1) Considering dead fish have been spotted in the Orphan School Creek in the Fairfield Local Government Area, is the Environmental Protection Agency aware of any contaminants or other issues affecting this waterway?
 - (a) If so, are there any health concerns for the residents within the vicinity of this waterway?
- 1806 AMATEUR FISHING LICENCE INFRINGEMENT—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—
 - (1) For each recurring year from 2011 to current (as at 24 October 2019), how many fishing related infringement notices were issued by the Department of Primary Industry to individuals holding an amateur fishing licence who reside in the Fairfield electorate?
 - (a) What is the breakdown per offence type?
 - (2) For each recurring year from 2011 to current (as at 24 October 2019), how many residents in the Fairfield electorate were issued infringement notices for non-compliance by the Department of Primary Industry for failing to produce an amateur fishing licence when requested?
- 1807 WATER ON THE M4 TUNNEL ROADWAY—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - (1) Is an excessive amount of water frequently flowing across the roadway on the M4 Tunnel going westbound from Haberfield at the entry point between the tunnel and the main tunnel?
 - (a) If so, how long has your office been aware of this issue?
 - (b) What is the source of the water?
 - (c) What efforts have been made to rectify this issue?
- 1808 SOCIAL HOUSING WAIT LIST IN GW10 AREA—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
 - What new initiatives have been incepted since March 2019 to address the rapidly increasing and bloated social housing waiting list in the GW10 area?
- 1809 HOMELESSNESS IN FAIRFIELD LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Families, Communities and Disability Services—
 - What new initiatives have been incepted since March 2019 to tackle homelessness in the Fairfield Local Government Area?
- 1810 PERSONAL WATER CRAFT NON-COMPLIANCE INFRINGEMENT NOTICES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Transport and Roads—
 - For each recurring year from 2011 to current (as at 24 October 2019), how many residents in the Fairfield electorate who were owners of personal watercraft were issued with infringement notices for non-compliance?
- 1811 FIREARM INFRINGEMENT NOTICES—Mr Guy Zangari to ask the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—
 - For each recurring year from 2011 to current (as at 24 October 2019), how many residents in the Fairfield electorate who were owners of firearms were issued with infringement notices for failing to adhere to firearms regulations?

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Questions to Chairs of Committees

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QCC 0001 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON PARLIAMENTARY PRIVILEGE AND ETHICS—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Chair of the Legislative Assembly Committee on Parliamentary Privilege and Ethics, Mr Peter Sidgreaves MP—

- (1) On what date(s) has the Legislative Assembly Committee on Parliamentary Privilege and Ethics (the Committee) met since your appointment as Chair?
 - (a) Where were each of those meetings held?
 - (b) What was the duration of each meeting (as recorded in the minutes)?
 - (c) What policy issues/other matters were discussed at each meeting?
- (2) On what date(s) are any future meetings of the Committee scheduled to be held?
- (3) Besides the meetings identified in part (1), what other activities have you engaged in as part of your role as Chair of the Committee?
- (4) On average, approximately how many hours per week do you spend completing work directly relating to your role as Chair of the Committee (not including work performed by your staff or Committee secretariat staff)?

QCC 0002 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON INVESTMENT, INDUSTRY AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Chair of the Legislative Assembly Committee on Investment, Industry and Regional Development, Mr Justin Clancy MP—

- (1) On what date(s) has the Legislative Assembly Committee on Investment, Industry and Regional Development (the Committee) met since your appointment as Chair?
 - (a) Where were each of those meetings held?
 - (b) What was the duration of each meeting (as recorded in the minutes)?
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QCC 0003 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY SERVICES—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Chair of the Legislative Assembly Committee on Community Services, Ms Wendy Lindsay MP—

- (1) On what date(s) has the Legislative Assembly Committee on Community Services (the Committee) met since your appointment as Chair?
 - (a) Where were each of those meetings held?
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QCC 0004 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND INFRASTRUCTURE—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Chair of the Legislative Assembly Committee on Transport and Infrastructure, Ms Robyn Preston MP—

- (1) On what date(s) has the Legislative Assembly Committee on Transport and Infrastructure (the Committee) met since your appointment as Chair?
 - (a) Where were each of those meetings held?

- (b) What was the duration of each meeting (as recorded in the minutes)?
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QCC 0005 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON LAW AND SAFETY—Mr Greg Warren to ask the Chair of the Legislative Assembly Committee on Law and Order, Ms Wendy Tuckerman MP—

- (1) On what date(s) has the Legislative Assembly Committee on Law and Safety (the Committee) met since your appointment as Chair?
 - (a) Where were each of those meetings held?
 - (b) What was the duration of each meeting (as recorded in the minutes)?
 - (c) What policy issues/other matters were discussed at each meeting?
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Appendix A

Table 1: Total number of licenced commercial fishers residing in New South Wales for each financial year from 2011-12 to 2018-19 by electorate

Electorate	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
Auburn	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Ballina	57	59	55	53	52	49	46	40
Balmain	8	8	8	8	7	6	6	6
Bankstown	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Barwon	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	2
Baulkham Hills	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	3
Bega	121	121	118	121	122	125	117	101
Blacktown	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cabramatta	5	4	4	2	2	2	2	2
Camden						1	1	1
Canterbury		1	1	2	2	1	1	1
Castle Hill	1							
Cessnock	4	4	4	6	6	6	5	4
Charlestown	5	6	7	8	9	9	8	10
Clarence	197	186	183	185	182	179	153	142
Coffs Harbour	61	61	54	51	56	62	58	52
Cronulla	1	2	4	4	4	4	3	3
Davidson	5	2	2	4	4	4	4	4
Drummoyne	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	3
Dubbo	1	1	1	1				
East Hills	4	6	7	3	3	8	6	6
Fairfield	7	4	4	5	4	4	4	2
Gosford	17	18	16	15	16	17	16	15
Hawkesbury	17	14	15	14	14	14	9	9
Heathcote	2	3	3	5	3	3	3	4
Holsworthy	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
Hornsby	5	5	6	7	7	6	5	5
Keira	11	13	12	8	7	6	5	6
Kiama	11	10	10	9	9	9	8	6
Lake Macquarie	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lane Cove	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Lismore	7	9	10	11	11	6	3	2
Londonderry	1	1	3	3	2	2	2	2
Maitland	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Maroubra	5	4	4	4	4	4	3	3
Miranda	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1
Monaro	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Table 2: Total number of licenced commercial fishers residing in New South Wales for each financial year from 2011-12 to 2018-19 by fishing region

Region	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
1	120	121	122	118	119	106	91	88
2	172	166	160	163	156	158	138	126
3	192	189	184	175	188	199	181	168
4	320	317	322	327	316	323	305	282
5	139	130	135	129	127	133	118	114
6	119	115	113	111	112	111	102	91
7	166	168	165	169	171	165	153	144
Interstate	61	65	73	75	65	64	62	56

Appendix B

Table 1: Interstate hospital (section 29) escorts from correctional centres, by financial year:

Financial year	ACT	Qld	Vic	Total
2014/15	5	=	-	5
2015/16	7	-	-	7
2016/17	13	-	-	13
2017/18	19	-	-	19
2018/19	54	-	-	54
Total	98	0	0	98

Table 2: Interstate hospital (section 29) escorts from court cells, by financial year:

Financial year	ACT	Qld	Vic	Total
2014/15	-	=	=	0
2015/16	-	=	1	1
2016/17	-	=	=	0
2017/18	-	=	=	0
2018/19	-	=	=	0
Total	0	0	1	1