

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

# QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

No. 25

## WEDNESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2015

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#### 12 AUGUST 2015

(Paper No. 16)

- \*426 ROADS, MARITIME AND FREIGHT—CAR REGISTRATION RECORDS—Dr Faruqi asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) Are there any ongoing issues related to the integration of Roads and Maritime Services databases with those of Service NSW, specifically related to incorrect records for car registration being used by Police?
  - (2) Has the Roads and Maritime Services received any complaints from the NSW Police in relation to incorrect car registration records?

Answer-

I am advised:

Roads and Maritime Services is not aware of any ongoing issues related to the integration of Roads and Maritime Services databases with those of Service NSW. Roads and Maritime uses reasonable efforts to ensure vehicle registration records are up to date and accurate. Measures are taken to correct errors whenever detected or notified to Roads and Maritime by customers or other enforcement agencies.

- \*427 ROADS, MARITIME AND FREIGHT—EPPING TO THORNLEIGH THIRD TRACK PROJECT—Dr Faruqi asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council—
  - (1) What is the current budget of the Epping to Thornleigh Third Track Project?

(2)

- (a) Has the budget been revised since May 2013?
- (b) If so:
  - (i) How much has the budget been revised by?
  - (ii) What was the reason for revising it?

Answer-

I am advised:

- (1) The current budget for the project is available on the Commonwealth department of Infrastructure and Regional Development website.
- (2)
- (a) Yes.
- (b)
- (i) The project is anticipated to be \$43 million less than the original estimate of \$520 million.
- (ii) It is standard practice to monitor and revise budgets of infrastructure projects as they progress.
- \*428 FINANCE, SERVICES AND PROPERTY—WORKCOVER NSW INVESTIGATIONS—Mr Shoebridge asked the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water representing the Minister for Finance, Services and Property—
  - (1) How many investigations have WorkCover NSW commenced as at today's date into workplace injuries and unsafe workplaces relating to the allegations of child sexual abuse at each the following workplaces:
    - (a) Knox Grammar School, Sydney?
    - (b) RG Dance, Sydney?
    - (c) Bethcar Children's Home, Brewarrina?
    - (d) Ben Venue Public School, Armidale?
    - (e) St Agnes Catholic Primary School, Matraville?
    - (f) Mangrove Yoga Ashram (Satyananda Yoga Ashram)?
    - (g) Swimming Australia Ltd, Sydney?

- (h) Marcellin College, Randwick?
- (i) Marcellin Junior School, Coogee?
- (j) St Anne's Primary School, Bondi?
- (k) St Joseph's School, Lismore?
- (1) Marist College, Penshurst?
- (m) Marist Brothers High School, Maitland?
- (n) Marist Sacred Heart Primary School, Mosman?
- (o) Marist Brothers Primary School, Eastwood?
- (p) Marist College, Pagewood?
- (q) St Thomas Moore School, Campbelltown?
- (r) St Carthage's Primary School, Lismore?
- (s) North Coast Children's Home, Lismore?
- (t) YMCA NSW, Caringbah?
- (u) Hamilton Marist Brothers?
- (v) St Patrick's College, Goulburn (now Trinity Catholic College Goulburn)?
- (w) St Stanislaus' College, Bathurst?
- (2) In relation to each investigation in (1) above when was it commenced?
- (3) How many prosecutions relating to unsafe workplaces have WorkCover NSW commenced as a result of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse?
- (4) If there have been either no investigations or no prosecutions, why has WorkCover not investigated or prosecuted for unsafe workplaces that allow the injury of people in them, namely children who are sexually assaulted?

#### Answer—

SafeWork NSW (formerly WorkCover) does not have the authority or jurisdiction to investigate allegations of child sex abuse.

Given the serious nature of such allegations, the NSW Police Force is rightly the appropriate law enforcement agency to investigate such matters.

- \*429 LANDS AND WATER—MANLY OVAL REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Shoebridge asked the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
  - (1) What if any permission or approvals have been granted to allow Manly Council to redevelop and/or seek expressions of interest or tenders to redevelop the Manly Oval, being Crown Land Lot 7379 on DP 1164856?
    - (a) When were such permissions or approvals granted and by who?
  - (2) On and from 1 January 2013 what if any communication has the relevant Minister and/or the Department had with Manly Council regarding Manly Oval, being Crown Land Lot 7379 on DP 1164856?
  - (3) Has Manly Council requested approval by the Minister and/or the Minister's delegate or other relevant State government official to redevelop Manly Oval by building underground car-parking on the site?
  - (4) Does the NSW Government consent to Manly Council redeveloping Manly Oval by building underground car-parking on site?

## Answer-

- (1) None.
- (2) By letter dated 2 July 2013.
- (3) See response to question 1.
- (4) See response to questions 1 and 3.

- \*430 CORRECTIONS—TIME ON SENTENCE AND TIME ON REMAND—Mr Shoebridge asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council representing the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) For all inmates who received a custodial sentence between 1 January 2014 and 31 January 2014 for the following time periods:
    - (a) zero to six months?
    - (b) seven to 12 months?
    - (c) 13 to 18 months?
    - (d) 19 to 24 months?
    - (e) 25 to 60 months?
    - (f) more than 5 years?, how many were held on remand for the following amounts of time?
      - (i) zero to one month?
      - (ii) two to six months?
      - (iii) seven to nine months?
      - (iv) 10 to 12 months?
      - (v) 13 to 18 months?
      - (vi) 19 to 24 months?
      - (vii) more than 2 years?
      - (viii) entire time on remand?

#### Answer-

I am advised:

The response to the above questions is provided in the following table:

Time on Remand									
Number of Inmates									
Aggregate sentence term	Zero to 1 month	2 to 6 months	7 to 9 months	10 to 12 months	13 to 18 months	19 to 24 months	More than 2 years	Entire time	Total
Zero to six months	1561	196	6	0	1	0	0	51	1815
Seven to 12 months	1883	541	17	2	0	0	0	27	2470
13 to 18 months	1069	554	32	8	1	0	0	10	1674
19 to 24 months	527	370	39	26	9	0	0	10	981
25 to 60 months	714	417	152	140	127	34	6	9	1599
More than 5 years	100	75	49	53	120	84	83	0	564
Total	5854	2153	295	229	258	118	89	107	9103

- \*431 CORRECTIONS—INMATES HELD IN POLICE CELLS—Mr Shoebridge asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council representing the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) In 2014 how many inmates were held in police cells, in table form, for the following time periods (a) minimum?

- (b) first quartile?
- (c) median?
- (d) third quartile?
- (e) maximum?

#### Answer-

I am advised: The response to the above questions is provided in the following table. It should be noted that these statistics are only for inmates held in the custody of Corrective Services NSW, and not all police cells in NSW:

Statistic	Time Period	Unit	Number
Minimum	1.6	hours	1292
1st quartile	4.9	hours	5170
Median	14.8	hours	6459
3rd quartile	29.3	Hours	6460
95th percentile	3.9	Days	5168
Above 95th Percentile			1293
Total			25842

- \*432 CORRECTIONS—INMATES IN CUSTODY—Mr Shoebridge asked the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council representing the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs—
  - (1) What is the average length of time that an inmate spends in custody?
  - (2) What is the expected length of time that an inmate spends in custody?
  - (3) What proportion of this time in question (1) and question (2) is spent on remand?
  - (4) What proportion of the inmate population spends enough time in sentenced, as opposed to remand, custody to complete literacy programs that would bring them up to School Certificate standard?
  - (5) .
    - (a) Has this information already been assembled prior to January 2015?
    - (b) If so, for what purpose was it used?
  - (6) Is School Certificate standard still considered by Corrective Services to be sufficient for survival in contemporary Australian society?

#### Answer-

## I am advised:

- (1) For inmates discharged in 2014 the average length of time was 227.6 days.
- (2) Sentenced inmates can expect to spend at least their non-parole period in custody. Inmates with a total sentence of more than three years can only be released to parole if the State Parole Authority approves their release. There is no expected length of time for remand inmates because courts decide whether these inmates are released on bail or convicted and sentenced to imprisonment.
- (3) On average, inmates discharged in 2014 spent 17.7% of their time in custody on remand.
- (4) Corrective Services NSW delivers adult literacy and numeracy programs to develop inmate core skills to Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF) level 3. The time to complete these programs varies dependent on the inmate's skills level. In general, inmates with the lowest literacy and numeracy skills require up to 480 hours of participation in literacy programs to develop skills to ACSF level 3.
- (5) No.
- (6) The ACSF level 3 is considered sufficient to positively participate in community; workplace and education activities.

#### **16 SEPTEMBER 2015**

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499 SPORT, TRADE, TOURISM AND MAJOR EVENTS—TRADE, TOURISM, MAJOR EVENTS AND SPORTS MINISTERIAL OFFICES—Mr Mookhey to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sport—

(1)

- (a) How many staff were employed in the Minister for Trade, Tourism and Major Events, and Minister for Sports ministerial office in the last month?
- (b) What was the average salary for staff members in the Minister's office during the last month?
- (c) What is the average salary for a ministerial staffer in the Minister's office based on appointments in the last month?

(2)

- (a) Did the Minister or the Minister's staff incur data charges on a mobile phone or tablet device greater than \$1000 for the last month?
- (b) If so, how many times did this occur in the last month?
- (c) What was the individual cost of each data charge over \$1000 for the last month?

(3)

- (a) Has any artwork been purchased or leased for display in the Minister's office in the last month?
- (b) What was the cost of this artwork?

(4)

- (a) Have any floral displays or indoor plants been hired or leased for display in the Minister's office in the last month?
- (b) If so, what was the cost of these items?

(5)

- (a) How much did the Minister's office spend on Foxtel subscriptions in the last month?
- (b) Which Foxtel package does the Minister's office receive?

(6)

- (a) What was the total cost of all subscriptions by the Minister and the Minister's staff to online news services, newspapers, magazines, journals or periodicals in the last month?
- (b) What are services, newspapers, magazines, journals and periodicals subscribed to?
- (c) Who is the subscriber for each of these?

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- (a) What was the total value of all gifts purchased for use by the Minister and the Minister's office in the last month?
- (b) What were the gifts purchased?
- (c) Who were they given to?

(8)

- (a) Does the Minister purchase bottled water or provide water coolers for the Minister's office?
- (b) If so, what was the cost of this for the last month?

(9)

- (a) What are the names of all contractors or consultants employed or paid for by the Minister's office, under any agreement, contract or fee-for-service arrangement for the last month?
- (b) Do they have Australian Business Numbers?
- (c) If so, what are the details?
- (d) What are the details of paid or unpaid invoices and amounts?
- (e) What are the details of services and fees provided by each contractor or consultant?

(10)

- (a) Have any of the Minister's overseas trips in the past month been paid for in part or in full by using public money?
- (b) If so, did any of the Minister's relatives or friends accompany the Minister on these trips?

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- (a) Has the Minister undertaken any official overseas travel that was privately funded in the last month?
- (b) What was the nature of these trips?
- (c) Who paid for these trips?
- (12) What was the total bill for the Minister's office in the last month for each of the following:
  - (a) Taxi hire?
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  - (d) Hire car rental?

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- (a) Has the Minister used Uber in the past month?
- (b) If so, were any of these occasions in an UberX vehicle?

(14)

- (a) Has the Minister or anyone in the Minister's office used Uber services travelling to or from work-related events, meetings or functions in the past month?
- (b) Were any of those services in an UberX vehicle?

(15)

- (a) Has the Minister or anyone in your office sought reimbursement for using Uber services to travel to or from work-related events, meetings or functions in the past month?
- (b) What was the value of those reimbursements?

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- (a) Has the Minister used Airbnb in the past month?
- (b) Has the Minister or anyone in the Minister's office used Airbnb as an accommodation solution whilst travelling on official business in the past month?

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- (a) Have any planes or helicopters been chartered by the Minister or the Minister's office and paid for with public money in the last month?
- (b) If so:
  - (i) What are the details of each trip?
  - (ii) What was the method of transport?
  - (iii) What was the cost?

(18)

- (a) What non-standard features were fitted to the ministerial vehicle in the last month?
- (b) What was the cost of each non-standard feature?

(19)

- (a) Have any departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities utilised the services of labour hire firms in the past month?
- (b) If so:
  - (i) What were the names of the firms utilised?
  - (ii) What was the total amount paid to each firm engaged?
  - (iii) What was the average tenure period for an employee provided by a labour hire company?
  - (iv) What was the longest tenure for an employee provided by a labour hire company?
  - (v) What were the duties conducted by employees engaged through a labour hire company?
  - (vi) What were the office locations of employees engaged through a labour hire company?
  - (vii) What was the highest hourly or daily rate paid to an employee provided by a labour hire

company?

- (20) How many media or public relations advisers were employed for each of the Minister's portfolio agencies in the past month?
- (21) What is the forecast for the current financial year for the number of media or public relations advisers to be employed and their total cost in the past month?
- (22) What was the total cost of media monitoring services used by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?

(23)

- (a) Has the Minister had media training or speech training in the past month?
- (b) If so, who paid for it?
- (c) If paid by taxpayers, what was the amount?

(24)

- (a) How much have the Department or agencies under the Minister's portfolio responsibility spent in legal costs in the past month?
- (b) For what specific purposes or matters was legal advice sought?
- (25) Have departments or agencies under the Minister's portfolio engaged any consultants to provide the following services or advice in the past month:
  - (a) Social media?
    - (i) If so, what was the cost of these services?
  - (b) Photography?
    - (i) If so, what the cost of these services?
  - (c) Acting training?
    - (i) If so, what was the cost of these services?
  - (d) Ergonomics?
    - (i) If so, what was the cost of these services?

(26)

- (a) How many redundancies were processed by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?
- (b) Of these redundancies, how many were:
  - (i) Voluntary?
  - (ii) Forced?
- (c) What was the total cost of all redundancies?

(27)

- (a) How many staff were dismissed from departments or agencies under the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?
- (b) What were the reasons for each dismissal?
- (28) How much was spent on corporate hospitality by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?

(29)

- (a) How many tickets to sporting events were provided to the Minister's office in the past month?
- (b) What was each event? Please list.

(30)

- (a) How many tickets to theatre or art galleries were provided to the Minister's office in the past month?
- (b) What was each event? Please list.

(31)

- (a) How much did departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities spend on restaurant bills during the past month?
- (b) What proportion of these bills related to alcohol?

(32)

- (a) Were instances of internal fraud detected by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?
- (b) What was the sum total of any such fraud?
- (c) What was the result of any investigations?

(33)

- (a) How large were the vehicle fleets of each department in the Minister's portfolio in the past month?
- (b) What was the composition of this fleet in terms of engine size?
- (c) How many of the fleet were involved in an accident during the year 2014-2015?
- (d) What was the total cost of insurance claims and repairs?
- (34) How much did departments or agencies spend on newspaper and journal subscriptions in the past month?

(35)

- (a) How many Senior Executive Service (SES) employees were employed within departments or agencies under the Minister's ministerial portfolio in the past month?
- (b) What was their remuneration band?
- (c) For each SES employee, how many have:
  - (i) No staff reporting to them?
  - (ii) less than two staff reporting to them?
  - (iii) less than five staff?
- (36) How many sick days, leave days or days attributable to workers compensation were lost for each department or agency within the Minister's portfolio responsibility in the past month for:
  - (a) workplace bullying?
  - (b) stress leave?
  - (c) sick leave?

(37)

- (a) Have any of the departments or agencies under the Minister's portfolio area employed actors for staff training in the past month?
- (b) If so:
  - (i) What was the size of the contract for the provision of actors for staff training in the Minister's departments?
  - (ii) What was the term of the contracts for the provision of actors for staff training in the Minister's departments?
  - (iii) What were the tender numbers for each of the contracts?

(38)

- (a) Do the departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio have an iTunes account?
- (b) What was the total expenditure in the past month on iTunes?
- (c) What applications, subscriptions or services were purchased through iTunes?

(39)

- (a) Do the departments or agencies within your portfolio have an Android account?
- (b) What was the total expenditure in the past month on Android?
- (c) What applications, subscriptions or services were purchased through Android?
- (40) In the past month, has the Minister been advised of any safety issues concerning programs operated by the departments or agencies in the Minister's portfolios?
- (41) In the past month, has the Minister been advised of any waste issues concerning programs operated by the departments or agencies in the Minister's portfolios?
- (42) How many highlighters were purchased by the Minister's office in the past month?
- (43) How much was spent on stationery by the Minister's office in the past month?

(44)

- (a) How many cab charges were used by the Ministers office between 9am and 5pm on a weekday in the past month?
- (b) How many of these totalled less than \$10?
- (c) How many of these totalled more than \$50?
- (d) How many of these totalled more than \$100?
- 500 PLANNING—STATE SIGNIFICANT INFRASTRUCTURE—Ms Sharpe to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for Planning—

Since March 2015, what percentage of State Significant Infrastructure has been assessed and determined within four months?

501 PLANNING—STATE SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT—Ms Sharpe to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for Planning—

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502 PLANNING—PUBLIC TRANSPORT DEMOGRAPHICS—Ms Sharpe to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for Planning—

What percentage of the population is living within thirty minutes by public transport of a city or major centre in metropolitan Sydney?

503 PLANNING—PUBLICATION OF DECISIONS—Ms Sharpe to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for Planning—

Since 28 March 2015, what percentage of decisions determined by the Minister for Planning or the Department of Planning have been published within five days?

- 504 PRIMARY INDUSTRIES—FISHING THREATS TO THE GREY NURSE SHARK POPUATION—Ms Sharpe to ask the Minister for Primary Industries, and Minister for Lands and Water—
  - (1) Given that one of the major threats to the Grey Nurse Shark is hooking by recreational anglers, how does the Minister for Primary Industries ensure compliance enforcement by the Department of Primary Industries Fisheries officers at Fish Rock and Green Island near South West Rocks on the Mid North Coast?

(2)

(a) How often do Department of Primary Industries Fisheries compliance officers patrol Fish Rock and Green Island near South West Rocks on the Mid North Coast of NSW?

(b)

- (i) Do Fisheries keep log books of their patrols at this site?
- (ii) If not, why not?
- (3) Earlier this year a Fisheries officer told the Macleay Argus that a fisher was found fishing with bait illegally at this site but did not know if the fisher had been charged:
  - (a) Was the offender charged?
  - (b) What was the result?
- 505 INNOVATION AND BETTER REGULATION—INNOVATION AND BETTER REGULATION MINISTERIAL OFFICES—Mr Mookhey to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for Innovation and Better Regulation—

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  - (1) Since April 2011 how many hectares of high conservation and strategic conservation value have been given permanent conservation protections?
  - (2) Since April 2015 how many hectares of high conservation and strategic conservation value have been given permanent conservation protections?
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- 517 ENVIRONMENT—ACTION TO REDUCE IMPACT OF NATIVE SPECIES—Ms Sharpe to ask the Minister for Ageing, Minister for Disability Services, and Minister for Multiculturalism representing the Minister for the Environment, Minister for Heritage, and Assistant Minister for Planning—

(1)

(a) What action has been taken to reduce the impact of invasive species on National Parks and Wildlife Service parks and reserves?

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- (i) If action has been taken, will it lead to a positive response of native biodiversity of 50 per cent by October 2015?
- (ii) If not, what percentage of positive response of native biodiversity is forecast in National Parks and Wildlife Service parks and reserves?
- ARTS, JUSTICE AND POLICE, RACING—DEPUTY PREMIER, JUSTICE AND POLICE, ARTS, RACING MINISTERIAL OFFICES—Mr Mookhey to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council representing the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—

(1)

- (a) How many staff were employed in the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing ministerial office in the last month?
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- (a) How many staff were employed in the Minister for Corrections, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Veterans Affairs ministerial office in the last month?
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- (b) Were any of those services in an UberX vehicle?

(15)

- (a) Has the Minister or anyone in your office sought reimbursement for using Uber services to travel to or from work-related events, meetings or functions in the past month?
- (b) What was the value of those reimbursements?

(16)

- (a) Has the Minister used Airbnb in the past month?
- (b) Has the Minister or anyone in the Minister's office used Airbnb as an accommodation solution whilst travelling on official business in the past month?

(17)

- (a) Have any planes or helicopters been chartered by the Minister or the Minister's office and paid for with public money in the last month?
- (b) If so
  - (i) What are the details of each trip?
  - (ii) What was the method of transport?

(iii) What was the cost?

(18)

- (a) What non-standard features were fitted to the ministerial vehicle in the last month?
- (b) What was the cost of each non-standard feature?

(19)

- (a) Have any departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities utilised the services of labour hire firms in the past month?
- (b) If so:
  - (i) What were the names of the firms utilised?
  - (ii) What was the total amount paid to each firm engaged?
  - (iii) What was the average tenure period for an employee provided by a labour hire company?
  - (iv) What was the longest tenure for an employee provided by a labour hire company?
  - (v) What were the duties conducted by employees engaged through a labour hire company?
  - (vi) What were the office locations of employees engaged through a labour hire company?
  - (vii) What was the highest hourly or daily rate paid to an employee provided by a labour hire company?
- (20) How many media or public relations advisers were employed for each of the Minister's portfolio agencies in the past month?
- (21) What is the forecast for the current financial year for the number of media or public relations advisers to be employed and their total cost in the past month?
- (22) What was the total cost of media monitoring services used by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?

(23)

- (a) Has the Minister had media training or speech training in the past month?
- (b) If so, who paid for it?
- (c) If paid by taxpayers, what was the amount?

(24)

- (a) How much have the Department or agencies under the Minister's portfolio responsibility spent in legal costs in the past month?
- (b) For what specific purposes or matters was legal advice sought?
- (25) Have departments or agencies under the Minister's portfolio engaged any consultants to provide the following services or advice in the past month:
  - (a) Social media?
    - (i) If so, what was the cost of these services?
  - (b) Photography?
    - (i) If so, what the cost of these services?
  - (c) Acting training?
    - (i) If so, what was the cost of these services?
  - (d) Ergonomics?
    - (i) If so, what was the cost of these services?

(26)

- (a) How many redundancies were processed by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?
- (b) Of these redundancies, how many were:
  - (i) Voluntary?
  - (ii) Forced?
- (c) What was the total cost of all redundancies?

(27)

(a) How many staff were dismissed from departments or agencies under the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?

- (b) What were the reasons for each dismissal?
- (28) How much was spent on corporate hospitality by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?

(29)

- (a) How many tickets to sporting events were provided to the Minister's office in the past month?
- (b) What was each event? Please list.

(30)

- (a) How many tickets to theatre or art galleries were provided to the Minister's office in the past month?
- (b) What was each event? Please list.

(31)

- (a) How much did departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities spend on restaurant bills during the past month?
- (b) What proportion of these bills related to alcohol?

(32)

- (a) Were instances of internal fraud detected by departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio responsibilities in the past month?
- (b) What was the sum total of any such fraud?
- (c) What was the result of any investigations?

(33)

- (a) How large were the vehicle fleets of each department in the Minister's portfolio in the past month?
- (b) What was the composition of this fleet in terms of engine size?
- (c) How many of the fleet were involved in an accident during the year 2014-2015?
- (d) What was the total cost of insurance claims and repairs?
- (34) How much did departments or agencies spend on newspaper and journal subscriptions in the past month?

(35)

- (a) How many Senior Executive Service (SES) employees were employed within departments or agencies under the Minister's ministerial portfolio in the past month?
- (b) What was their remuneration band?
- (c) For each SES employee, how many have:
  - (i) No staff reporting to them?
  - (ii) less than two staff reporting to them?
  - (iii) less than five staff?
- (36) How many sick days, leave days or days attributable to workers compensation were lost for each department or agency within the Minister's portfolio responsibility in the past month for:
  - (a) workplace bullying?
  - (b) stress leave?
  - (c) sick leave?

(37)

- (a) Have any of the departments or agencies under the Minister's portfolio area employed actors for staff training in the past month?
- (b) If so:
  - (i) What was the size of the contract for the provision of actors for staff training in the Minister's departments?
  - (ii) What was the term of the contracts for the provision of actors for staff training in the Minister's departments?
  - (iii) What were the tender numbers for each of the contracts?

(38)

- (a) Do the departments or agencies within the Minister's portfolio have an iTunes account?
- (b) What was the total expenditure in the past month on iTunes?
- (c) What applications, subscriptions or services were purchased through iTunes?

(39)

- (a) Do the departments or agencies within your portfolio have an Android account?
- (b) What was the total expenditure in the past month on Android?
- (c) What applications, subscriptions or services were purchased through Android?
- (40) In the past month, has the Minister been advised of any safety issues concerning programs operated by the departments or agencies in the Minister's portfolios?
- (41) In the past month, has the Minister been advised of any waste issues concerning programs operated by the departments or agencies in the Minister's portfolios?
- (42) How many highlighters were purchased by the Minister's office in the past month?
- (43) How much was spent on stationery by the Minister's office in the past month?

(44)

- (a) How many cab charges were used by the Ministers office between 9am and 5pm on a weekday in the past month?
- (b) How many of these totalled less than \$10?
- (c) How many of these totalled more than \$50?
- (d) How many of these totalled more than \$100?
- JUSTICE AND POLICE—CONSORTING—Mr Shoebridge to ask the Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight, and Vice-President of the Executive Council representing the Deputy Premier, Minister for Justice and Police, Minister for the Arts, and Minister for Racing—
  - (1) How many warnings have been given to those "associating" under the consorting laws in each of the following years:
    - (a) 2012?
    - (b) 2013?
    - (c) 2014?
    - (d) 2015 to date?
  - (2) How many people were the subject of warnings under the Crimes (Criminal Organisations Control) Act 2012 in each of the following years:
    - (a) 2012?
    - (b) 2013?
    - (c) 2014?
    - (d) 2015 to date?
  - (3) How many people were charged under the Crimes (Criminal Organisations Control) Act 2012 in each of the following years:
    - (a) 2012?
    - (b) 2013?
    - (c) 2014?
    - (d) 2015 to date?
  - (4) How many people were convicted, per month, under the Crimes (Criminal Organisations Control) Act 2012 in each of the following years:
    - (a) 2012?
    - (b) 2013?
    - (c) 2014?
    - (d) 2015 to date?
  - (5) What percentage of those subject to warnings or charges had been convicted of "strictly indictable"

offences?

- (6) Which Local Area Commands or specialist squads issued the warnings referred to in question 1?
- (7) Which Local Area Commands or specialist squads issued the warnings referred to in question 2?
- (8) Which Local Area Commands or specialist squads instituted the charges referred to in question 3?
- (9) On average, how long after a warning are charges laid?
- (10) Of those referred to in question 2 what was the age, gender and racial demographics?
- (11) Of those referred to in question 3 what was the age, gender and racial demographics?

(12)

- (a) Have there been any instances of electronic consorting?
- (b) If so,
  - (i) How many people have been warned?
  - (ii) How many people have been charged?
  - (iii) What are the demographics for those warned or charged regarding electronic consorting?
- (13) Regarding those referred to in questions 3 and 12, what is the range of penalties handed down by the courts following conviction?
- (14) How many individuals who were warned or charged under the consorting provisions were at the time subject to the following:
  - (a) An apprehended violence order?
  - (b) Bail?
  - (c) A non-custodial sentence?
  - (d) Parole?
  - (e) An order under the Child Protection (Offenders Prohibition Orders) Act?
  - (f) An order under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act?
  - (g) An order under the Crimes (Criminal Organisations Control) Act?
  - (h) An order under the Crimes Legislation Amendment (Serious and Organised Crime) Act?
  - (i) An order under Part 2.4 of the Commonwealth Criminal Code regarding attempt, complicity, joint commission of crimes and conspiracy?
  - (j) An order under any legislation relating to vagrancy or any form of "disorderly conduct" or similar legislation?

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