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(Paper No. 520)

\* 6617 EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING—SCHOOL COUNSELLORS—The Hon. Mark Latham to ask the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

- (1) In relation to school counsellors working in government schools:
  - (a) How many are employed in:
    - (i) Primary schools?
    - (ii) Secondary schools?
  - (b) What are the qualifications required to be employed in these positions?
- (2) Of the counsellors in (1) above, how many have tertiary education in:
  - (a) Psychology?
  - (b) Social work?
  - (c) Gender studies?
  - (d) Other qualifications?
    - (i) What are the other qualifications?

Answer—

The Department of Education's school counselling service is comprised of school counsellors and school psychologists.

As at 10 June 2021, there were 734 counselling staff employed at primary schools in permanent, temporary and part-time roles, and 697 counselling staff employed at secondary schools in permanent, temporary and part-time roles. An additional 97 counselling staff were employed in Central Schools or Schools for Specific Purposes in permanent, temporary and part-time roles.

School counselling staff are appointed to a base school and may provide an allocation of counselling services to more than one school.

All school counsellors and school psychologists have tertiary qualifications in psychology.

\* 6618 MENTAL HEALTH, REGIONAL YOUTH AND WOMEN—HAWKESBURY MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT—The Hon. Peter Primrose to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women—

- (1) What adult mental health services are located in the Hawkesbury Electorate?
- (2) Other than being referred to the Psychiatric Emergency Care Centre at Nepean Hospital, what similar facility is available for those living in the Hawkesbury Electorate who are unable to readily travel to Penrith?
- (3) What are the reasons that a Headspace facility is not available for young people in the Hawkesbury Electorate?
- (4) What additional mental health facilities and services are proposed for the Hawkesbury Electorate in the 2021/22 financial year?

Answer—

Information on mental health services is not provided on the basis of electorate. Headspace is a Commonwealth funded and managed service.

\* 6619 ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT—NUCLEAR POWER—The Hon. Rod Roberts to ask the Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts representing the Minister for Energy and Environment—

- (1) Will the Government accept recommendation 5.12 of the *2021 Productivity Commission White Paper* and lift the ban on small modular nuclear reactors in New South Wales?
  - (a) If yes, when will the Government announce that it is lifting the ban on small modular nuclear reactors?
  - (b) If no, can the Minister please explain why this is the case?

Answer—

The NSW Government has stated its position on nuclear power when it responded to the NSW Standing Committee on State Development report on the inquiry into lifting the ban on uranium mining and nuclear facilities.

\* 6620 ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT—NET ZERO 2050 ECONOMIC REVIEW—The Hon. Rod Roberts to ask the Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts representing the Minister for Energy and Environment—

- (1) Will the Government accept recommendation 5.15 of the *2021 Productivity Commission White Paper* and establish an economic review into the Government's net zero emissions by 2050 target to report on cost effective policies to deliver on the commitment?
  - (a) If yes, when will this economic review be established?
  - (b) If no, can the Minister explain why this is the case?

Answer—

The NSW Government welcomes the Productivity Commission's White Paper and is considering recommendation 5.15.

The Government is establishing the Net Zero Emissions and Clean Economy Board to provide strategic and expert advice on the cost-effective implementation of the Net Zero Plan Stage 1: 2020-2030, and the target of net zero emissions by 2050.

\* 6621 HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH—NURSE-TO PATIENT RATIOS—The Hon. Rod Roberts to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Health and Medical Research—

- (1) Is the Government considering implementing mandated nurse-to-patient ratios in New South Wales public hospitals?
  - (a) If not, can the Minister please explain why this is the case?

Answer—

The Public Health System Nurses' and Midwives' (State) Award contains an agreed Nursing Hours per Patient Day staffing system. This Nursing Hours staffing system is a flexible ratio which enables nursing staff to be deployed where patient need is greatest. This ensures the busiest shifts have the most staff and local knowledge of workflows is taken into account in building the roster.

For areas where the nursing hours per patient day system does not apply, the Award contains nursing workload principles that support decision making regarding staffing levels.

\* 6622 AGRICULTURE AND WESTERN NEW SOUTH WALES—REVIEW OF NATIVE REGULATORY MAP - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—

- (1) Regarding Question without Notice from Justin Field MLC on 12 May 2021 and answered by The Hon. Don Harwin MLC on 2 June 2021 regarding "Land Clearing" and relating to rural land clearing at corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area. The answer indicated that "...on 2 October 2020, Local Land

Services, acting as an agent on behalf of the landholder, submitted an application for a review of the Native Regulatory Map land categorisation for the property in question”:

- (a) On what date did the landholder request Local Land Services (LLS) act on their behalf in submitting this application?
- (b) In what form was this request from the landholder to LLS made?
- (c) What information was provided by the landholder to LLS in support of their request?

Answer—

(1)

- (a) 9 September 2020.
- (b) Verbally and through signed authority on a Native Vegetation Regulatory Map Review application form.
- (c) Verbal history of previous timber removal; site visit with LLS to assess area proposed for review.

\* 6623 AGRICULTURE AND WESTERN NEW SOUTH WALES—TIMELINE OF CLEARING - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—

(1) Regarding Question without Notice from Justin Field MLC on 12 May 2021 and answered by The Hon. Don Harwin MLC on 2 June 2021 regarding “Land Clearing” and relating to rural land clearing at corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area:

- (a) What dates did the clearing take place?
- (b) What notification of clearing did Local Land Services (LLS) receive from the landowner?
  - (i) Was LLS notified before or after the clearing took place?
- (c) What sections of the *Local Land Services Act 2013* or the *Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018* were relied upon by the owner to clear?
- (d) Was the fence erected before or after the clearing took place?
- (e) What area (in square metres or similar measurement) was cleared within the footprint of the land originally mapped and categorised as category 2 sensitive regulated land?
- (f) What area (in square metres or similar measurement) was cleared in total?
  - (i) How did LLS measure this?
  - (ii) Please provide maps or documents to support this?
- (g) Did the landowner notify LLS of a change of use on the lot?
- (i) If so, what was this change?

Answer—

(1)

- (a) 18 March 2020, 15 May 2020, 14 April 2021
- (b) No notification to Local Land Services (LLS) was required of the clearing conducted by the landholder in March and May 2020, authorised under the Allowable Activity provisions of the *Local Land Services Act 2013* (*LLS Act*). The Allowable Activity provisions of the LLS Act do not require landholders to provide notification to LLS of intended or actual clearing. The landowner submitted a Notification Form – Invasive Native Species to LLS on 31 March 2021, prior to the clearing conducted on 14 April 2021.
  - (i) LLS was notified prior to the clearing conducted on 14 April 2021.
- (c) LLS Act, Part 5A, Division 4, Section 60Q (Allowable activities clearing –Schedule 5A)

## LLS Act, Schedule 5A (Allowable activities clearing of native vegetation)

## Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code 2018 – Part 2, Division 1 (Low impact clearing of invasive native species)

- (d) After.
- (e) Assessment of areas for compliance purposes where native vegetation has been cleared under Allowable Activity provisions is the responsibility of the Department of Planning, Industry and the Environment (DPIE).
- (f) As above in relation to Allowable activity clearing conducted in March and May 2020.  
Approximately 0.2 hectares was cleared under Part 2, Division 1 of the Land Management Code (Invasive Native Species).
  - (i) Area of clearing subject to Part 2, Division 1 of the Land Management Code was measured using Local Land Services spatial software.
  - (ii) Maps relating to the private landholding in question may not be publicly disclosed without the consent of the landholder.
- (g) Yes.
  - (i) On 20 April 2021, landowners provided LLS with an agricultural business plan.

\* 6624 AGRICULTURE AND WESTERN NEW SOUTH WALES—SITE INSPECTION FOR REVIEW OF THE NATIVE VEGETATION REGULATORY MAP - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—

- (1) Regarding Question without notice by Justin Field MLC on 12 May 2021 and answered by The Hon. Don Harwin MLC on 2 June 2021 regarding ‘Land Clearing’ and relating to rural land clearing at corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area. The answer indicated that “Local Land Services inspected the property and provided photos to support the map review application”. Regarding the site inspection mentioned in the answer to the question:
  - (a) On what dates did Local Land Services (LLS) visit the site as part of the inspection associated with the application for a review of the Native Vegetation Regulatory Map?
  - (b) How many LLS officers participated in these site visits?
  - (c) How many hours were spent on site during the visits?
  - (d) Did representatives of Shoalhaven City Council; Environment, Energy and Science, or any other government department attend the site visits?
    - (i) If yes, please list which organisations were represented?
  - (e) What are the qualifications of the individuals who participated in the site visit?
  - (f) How many photos were taken during the site visits?

Answer—

- (1)
  - (a) 9 September 2020.
  - (b) One.
  - (c) Three hours.
  - (d) No.
  - (e) Senior Land Services Officer; Bachelor of Science, Resource and Environmental Management (Australian National University); 15 years industry experience in natural resource management and land management.
  - (f) 47.

\* 6625 AGRICULTURE AND WESTERN NEW SOUTH WALES—ASSESSMENT OF OLD GROWTH AND HISTORICAL LOGGING FOR REVIEW OF THE NATIVE VEGETATION REGULATORY MAP - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—

- (1) Regarding Question without notice by Justin Field MLC on 12 May 2021 and answered by The Hon. Don Harwin MLC on 2 June 2021 regarding ‘Land Clearing’ and relating to rural land clearing at corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area. The answer indicated that the inspection of the property “...showed no old growth forest present on the site” and that “Local Land Services also confirmed extensive evidence of historic logging and resulting regrowth in the area originally categorised as sensitive regulated land”:
- (a) What is the definition of “old growth forest” that was used in making this assessment?
  - (b) Who made the determination that there was “no old growth forest present on the site”?
    - (i) What is that person’s qualifications in making that assessment?
  - (c) What was the basis for the determination that there was no old growth forest present on the site?
  - (d) What evidence was relied on in making the assessment of “extensive evidence of historic logging”?
    - (i) When was it determined that the last logging occurred on this site?
    - (ii) Was the historic logging done by Forestry Corporation or by a private landowner?
  - (e) Was any information sought from Shoalhaven City Council, Forestry Corporation or any other agency in determining historical logging on the site?
    - (i) If yes, from which organisations/agencies was this information sought?
  - (f) Has the land ever been covered by a Private Native Forestry Approval?

Answer—

- (1)
- (a) Area contains greater than 10 per cent of late-mature to over-mature trees, larger trees with hollows, limited areas of regrowth (less than 10 percent), a diverse structure or composition of species in the sub canopy, dead standing stags or fallen trees (logs) and limited unnatural disturbance.
  - (b) The assessment was undertaken by a Senior Land Services Officer at Local Land Services.
    - (i) Senior Land Services Officer, Bachelor of Science, Resource and Environmental Management from Australian National University, 15 years industry experience in natural resource management and land management.
  - (c) The area assessed does not contain more than 10 per cent of late-mature to over-mature trees and contains more than 10 per cent of regrowth patches.
  - (d) The site visit found that timber had been selectively removed on the property. The site visit observed weathered cut stumps, an absence of dead standing stags and areas of regrowth.
    - (i) The current owner advised Local Land Services that they believed trees had been removed prior to 2017 by the previous landholder.
    - (ii) See above.
  - (e) No.
  - (f) No. Note that historical removal of trees may have been undertaken in line with routine agricultural management activities under the now repealed *Native Vegetation Act 2003*. Also note the repealed *Native Vegetation Act 2003* did not require approval for private native forestry prior to 2007.

\* 6626 AGRICULTURE AND WESTERN NEW SOUTH WALES—INVESTIGATION OF RURAL LAND CLEARING - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Agriculture and Western New South Wales—

- (1) Has Local Land Services (LLS) conducted an investigation into land clearing at the corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area?
  - (a) If yes:
    - (i) When did the investigation start?
    - (ii) What is the status of the investigation?
    - (iii) If the investigation has concluded, what were the findings of the investigation?
  - (b) If no:
    - (i) How many complaints were received by Local Land Services in regards to land clearing at this site?
    - (ii) What actions were taken as a result of those complaints?
- (2) On what dates have LLS officers visited this site since 1 January 2020?
  - (a) For each of these dates, please indicate the reason for the visit?

Answer—

- (1) No.
  - (a)
    - (i) N/A.
    - (ii) N/A.
    - (iii) N/A.
  - (b)
    - (i) Eight.
    - (ii) LLS advised complainants to report the matter through the NSW Environment Line.
- s(2) 9 September 2020.
  - (a) Inspect an area mapped as Category 2 – sensitive regulated land and determine if the area meets the criteria of Old Growth Forest.

\* 6627 ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT—INVESTIGATION OF RURAL LAND CLEARING - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts representing the Minister for Energy and Environment—

- (1) Has Department of Planning Industry and Environment (DPIE) been involved in any assessment or investigation into potentially illegal rural land clearing at the corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area since 1 January 2020?
  - (a) If yes:
    - (i) When was DPIE engaged in any assessment or investigation?
    - (ii) What is the status of any assessment or investigation?
    - (iii) If the assessment or investigation has concluded, what were the findings?
- (2) On what dates have DPIE officials visited this site since 1 January 2020?
  - (a) For each of these dates, please indicate the reason for the visit?

Answer—



- (1) Yes.
- (a)
- (i) The investigation commenced on 18 March 2020, when Shoalhaven City Council reported alleged unlawful land clearing on the property.
  - (ii) The investigation is closed.
  - (iii) The outcome of the investigation is unable to be revealed as the Department previously agreed to the landholder's request that the outcome of the investigation remain confidential and private.
- (2) Department of Planning, Industry and Environment Compliance and Regulation officers visited the property on 18 May 2020 and 15 July 2020.
- (a) The visits were to investigate allegations of an alleged offence under the *Local Land Services Act 2013*.

\* 6628 ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT—INVESTIGATION OF RURAL LAND CLEARING - JERVIS BAY ROAD—Mr Justin Field to ask the Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts representing the Minister for Energy and Environment—

- (1) Has Department of Planning Industry and Environment (DPIE) been involved in any assessment or investigation into potentially illegal rural land clearing at the corner of Jervis Bay Road and the Princes Highway — specifically lot 3, DP 24495 in the Shoalhaven local government area since 1 January 2020?
- (a) If yes:
- (i) When was DPIE engaged in any assessment or investigation?
  - (ii) What is the status of any assessment or investigation?
  - (iii) If the assessment or investigation has concluded, what were the findings?
- (2) On what dates have DPIE officials visited this site since 1 January 2020?
- (a) For each of these dates, please indicate the reason for the visit?

Answer—

Please refer to the response provided to question on notice 6627.

\* 6629 TRANSPORT AND ROADS—JERVIS BAY ROAD AND PRINCES HIGHWAY INTERSECTION UPGRADE AT FALLS CREEK—Mr Justin Field to ask the Special Minister of State, and Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts representing the Minister for Transport and Roads—

- (1) In regards to the proposed Jervis Bay Road and Princes Highway intersection upgrade at Falls Creek:
- (a) Has the government engaged with landowners of properties impacted by the footprint of the proposed intersection?
- (i) If so, what dates did this take place?
  - (ii) What was the nature of this engagement?
- (b) Has the government engaged with Jervis Bay Stock Feeds or owners of Lot 2 and 3 DP24495?
- (i) If so, what dates did this take place?
  - (ii) What was the nature of this engagement?
  - (iii) Was the issue of compensation of land lost raised?
- (c) Have biodiversity offset requirements for this project been assessed?

Answer—

I am advised:

This is a matter for the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads.

**17 JUNE 2021**

(Paper No. 521)

\* 6631 FINANCE AND SMALL BUSINESS—FUNDING—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business—

- (1) Regarding the \$1,500 grants to small businesses for fees and charges:
  - (a) How many applications have been successful?
  - (b) What is the total dollar value of all successful applications?
  - (c) What is the expected total final number of businesses budgeted to benefit from the program?
  - (d) What is the expected total final dollar value budgeted for the program?
- (2) Regarding the \$5000 grants to help women re-enter the workforce:
  - (a) How many applications have been successful?
  - (b) What is the total dollar value of all successful applications?
  - (c) What is the expected total final number of businesses budgeted to benefit from the program?
  - (d) What is the expected total final dollar value budgeted for the program?
- (3) Regarding the \$80 million over four years for apprenticeships on social housing properties:
  - (a) How many apprenticeships applications have been successful?
  - (b) What is the total dollar value of all successful applications?
  - (c) What is the expected total final number of apprenticeships budgeted to benefit from the program?
  - (d) What is the expected total final dollar value budgeted for the program?
- (4) Regarding the \$104.5 million for an Arts and Maintenance Upgrade Fund:
  - (a) How many applications have been successful?
  - (b) What is the total dollar value of all successful applications?
  - (c) What is the expected total final number of organisations budgeted to benefit from the program?
  - (d) What is the expected total final dollar value budgeted for the program?
- (5) Regarding the \$46.5m for 100 nurses in schools:
  - (a) How many nurses have been deployed so far?
  - (b) What is the total dollar value spent so far?

Answer—

- (1)
  - (a-d) The \$1,500 rebate scheme will help tens of thousands of businesses pay for NSW and local government fees and charges. Under the scheme, small businesses, sole traders and non-profit organisations can apply to be reimbursed up to \$1500 for NSW and local government fees and charges that are related to the cost of doing business. These include:
    - Food authority licences
    - Liquor licences
    - Tradesperson licences

- Event fees
- Council rates
- Business vehicle registration fees

The scheme cannot be used for fees and charges specifically excluded under policy guidelines, such as fines and penalties, and will only be available for those charges and fees that are due and paid after 1 March 2021.

Since the scheme launched, more than 20,000 claims have been paid, representing \$14.5 million returned to NSW small businesses, with more than 46,000 small businesses registered.

\$472 million has been budgeted for this rebate scheme over FY 2020/21 and FY 2021/22. The program is available via Service NSW and will run until 30 June 2022.

- (2) This question is best directed to the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women.
- (3) This question is best directed to the Minister for Water, Property and Housing
- (4) This question is best directed to the Special Minister of State and the Minister for the Public Service and Employee Relations, Aboriginal Affairs, and the Arts
- (5) This question is best directed to the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning.

## 7 JULY 2021

(Paper No. 535)

6778 TREASURER—QUAD BIKE SAFETY REBATE—The Hon. Mark Latham to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business representing the Treasurer—

- (1) What is the annual cost of the Government's Quad Bike Safety Rebate?

6779 EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING—GREGORY HILLS PUBLIC SCHOOL—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—

- (1) Can you confirm the Gregory Hills Public School opening date?
  - (a) Will it open by Term 1, 2024?
  - (b) If a revised opening date is not provided, is the 2027 opening date still correct?

6780 BETTER REGULATION AND INNOVATION—BUILDING DEFECTS—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business representing the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

- (1) How many inquiries did Fair Trading receive about building defects in the following years:
  - (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
  - (c) 2018?
  - (d) 2017?
  - (e) 2016?
  - (f) 2015?
- (2) If the numbers in (1) do not include the Building Commissioner, how many inquiries did Fair Trading receive about building defects in the following years:
  - (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
- (3) How many complaints did Fair Trading receive about building defects in the following years:

- (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
  - (c) 2018?
  - (d) 2017?
  - (e) 2016?
  - (f) 2015?
- (4) If the numbers in (3) do not include the Building Commissioner, how many complaints did Fair Trading receive about building defects in the following years:
- (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?

6781 BETTER REGULATION AND INNOVATION—BUILDING LICENSES—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business representing the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

- (1) How many home builders' licenses were granted in the following years:
- (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
  - (c) 2018?
  - (d) 2017?
- (2) How many people failed the exam for the home builder's license (i.e. did not get enough correct answers to gain their license) in the following years:
- (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
  - (c) 2018?
  - (d) 2017?
- (3) How many people started but didn't complete the home builder's exam in the following years:
- (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
  - (c) 2018?
  - (d) 2017?
- (4) How many people applied for a home builder's license in the following years:
- (a) 2020?
  - (b) 2019?
  - (c) 2018?
  - (d) 2017?

6782 BETTER REGULATION AND INNOVATION—PPE MANUFACTURING GRANTS—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business representing the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—

- (1) Regarding the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Manufacturing Grants, how many businesses:
- (a) Applied for the grant?
  - (b) Were rejected?

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- (c) Were awarded a grant?
  - (2) How much of the total \$5 million has been awarded?
  - (3) For the businesses awarded a grant, how many:
    - (a) Are proposing to pivot and retool in the future to produce PPE?
    - (b) Are already producing PPE?
    - (c) Have their primary PPE manufacturing operations based outside of New South Wales?
    - (d) Have their primary PPE manufacturing operations based in New South Wales?
    - (e) Are non-employing businesses?
    - (f) Are employing businesses?
  - (4) How many jobs have been created as part of the grant program?
    - (a) Please provide a break down by grant recipient?
  - (5) How many jobs have been retained as part of the grant program?
    - (a) Please provide a break down by grant recipient?
  - (6) Please provide a list of every PPE manufacturing contact given out by the receiving company?
    - (a) For each company listed please provide the below details:
      - (i) How much money the Government provided?
      - (ii) What goods were manufactured?
      - (iii) What goods were brought?
      - (iv) When was the PPE ordered?
      - (v) When was the PPE delivered?
      - (vi) Where was the PPE manufactured?
      - (vii) Was the PPE manufactured in Regional New South Wales?

6783 TREASURER—PPE MANUFACTURING GRANTS—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business representing the Treasurer—

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      - (iv) When was the PPE ordered?
      - (v) When was the PPE delivered?
      - (vi) Where was the PPE manufactured?
      - (vii) Was the PPE manufactured in Regional New South Wales?
- 6784 BETTER REGULATION AND INNOVATION—PRICE GOUGING—The Hon. Courtney Houssos to ask the Minister for Finance and Small Business representing the Minister for Better Regulation and Innovation—
- (1) Is NSW Fair Trading doing any monitoring of price gouging of face masks?
    - (a) If so, how is this monitoring being undertaken?
    - (b) As a result of this monitoring how many of the following have been issued:
      - (i) Infringement notices?
      - (ii) Penalties?
  - (2) What other action has been taken in relation to price gouging of masks during the lockdown period?
  - (3) Is NSW Fair Trading doing any monitoring of price gouging of hand sanitiser?
    - (a) If so, how is this monitoring being undertaken?
    - (b) As a result of this monitoring how many of the following have been issued:
      - (i) Infringement notices?
      - (ii) Penalties?
  - (4) What other action has been taken in relation to price gouging of hand sanitiser during the lockdown period?
  - (5) Is NSW Fair Trading doing any monitoring of price gouging of other essential items?
    - (a) If so, how is this monitoring being undertaken?
    - (b) As a result of this monitoring how many of the following have been issued:
      - (i) Infringement notices?
      - (ii) Penalties?
  - (6) What other action has been taken in relation to price gouging of other essential items during the lockdown period?
- 6785 EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING—PREQUALIFIED EXTERNAL PROVIDERS LIST—The Hon. Mark Latham to ask the Minister for Education and Early Childhood Learning—
- (1) Further to the answer by the Department of Education to a question taken on notice at the March Budget Estimates concerning the Tomorrow Man consultancy:
    - (a) Which organisation are on the “existing prequalified external providers list”?
    - (b) How was this list devised in terms of checking the credentials, qualifications and evidence base of the providers listed?

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- (c) Did the providers apply to the Department for listing?
- (i) If so, how does the application process work?
- (2) Why have other external consultants in New South Wales not been subject to the same processes in (b) and (c) above?
- (3) How can numerous external consultants in New South Wales that are not listed as prequalified external providers gain entry to New South Wales schools and run student programs?
- 6786 WATER, PROPERTY AND HOUSING—APPRENTICESHIP POSITIONS - WATER—The Hon. Daniel Mookhey to ask the Minister for Mental Health, Regional Youth and Women representing the Minister for Water, Property and Housing—
- (1) How many apprenticeship positions were filled at Sydney Water in the following financial years, disaggregated by the type of apprenticeships:
- (a) 2018/19?
- (b) 2019/20?
- (c) 2020/21 to date?
- (2) Disaggregated by the type of apprenticeships, please provide the number of currently placed apprentices at Sydney Water by:
- (a) Location?
- (b) Year of their apprenticeship?
- (c) Gender?
- (3) How many apprenticeship positions were filled at Hunter Water in the following financial years, disaggregated by the type of apprenticeships:
- (a) 2018/19?
- (b) 2019/20?
- (c) 2020/21 to date?
- (4) Disaggregated by the type of apprenticeships, please provide the number of currently placed apprentices at Hunter Water by:
- (a) Location?
- (b) Year of their apprenticeship?
- (c) Gender?
- (5) How many apprenticeship positions were filled at Water NSW in the following financial years, disaggregated by the type of apprenticeships:
- (a) 2018/19?
- (b) 2019/20?
- (c) 2020/21 to date?
- (6) Disaggregated by the type of apprenticeships, please provide the number of currently placed apprentices at Water NSW by:
- (a) Location?
- (b) Year of their apprenticeship?
- (c) Gender?
- 6787 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SPENDING—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) In the financial year 2020-2021, how much of the NSW Police Force budget was spent on the following areas:
  - (a) Responding to domestic violence?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (b) Responding to terrorism?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (c) Policing illegal drugs?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
- (2) In the financial year 2019-2020, how much of the NSW Police Force budget was spent on the following areas:
  - (a) Responding to domestic violence?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (b) Responding to terrorism?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (c) Policing illegal drugs?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
- (3) In the financial year 2018-2019, how much of the NSW Police Force budget was spent on the following areas:
  - (a) Responding to domestic violence?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (b) Responding to terrorism?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (c) Policing illegal drugs?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
- (4) In the financial year 2017-2018, how much of the NSW Police Force budget was spent on the following areas:
  - (a) Responding to domestic violence?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (b) Responding to terrorism?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (c) Policing illegal drugs?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
- (5) In the financial year 2016-2017, how much of the NSW Police Force budget was spent on the following areas:
  - (a) Responding to domestic violence?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (b) Responding to terrorism?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
  - (c) Policing illegal drugs?
    - (i) What percentage of the NSW Police Force budget does this spending represent?
- (6) What is the current budget for police training on responding to domestic abuse/violence?



- (a) What percentage of the total police training budget does this constitute?
- (b) What percentage of the total police budget does this constitute?

6788 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRAINING AT ACADEMY—  
The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What topics of training are covered during the Associate Degree in Policing Practice delivered at the NSW Police Force Academy that would assist graduates to respond to reports of domestic violence?
  - (a) How much time is allocated to each of these topics?
  - (b) Is this training:
    - (i) Delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
    - (ii) Co-delivered with sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
  - (c) What's the format of the training?
    - (i) What percentage is face-to-face?
    - (ii) What percentage is online at set times?
    - (iii) What percentage is online at your own pace learning?
    - (iv) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
    - (v) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
  - (d) At what point in the Associate Degree does the training about domestic violence occur?
  - (c) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse during the Associate Degree is spent on:
    - (i) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
    - (ii) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
    - (iii) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
    - (iv) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
    - (v) Conscious and unconscious bias?
    - (vi) Trauma informed practice?
    - (vii) Cultural safety?
    - (viii) Disability awareness?
    - (ix) LGBTIQ+ awareness?
    - (x) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?

6789 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—EVALUATING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRAINING—  
The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) How often is police training relating to responding to domestic abuse/violence evaluated to ensure it is meeting the objective to support police to respond to domestic abuse in a domestic abuse informed, trauma informed, culturally safe, disability aware and LGBTIQ+ aware way?
- (2) How often is independent evaluation of police training undertaken?
  - (a) Has such evaluation been published and made publicly available?

- (3) What steps are taken to ensure NSW police are aware of and understand the:
  - (a) Code of practice for the NSW Police Force response to Domestic and Family Violence?
  - (b) NSW Police Force Domestic and Family Violence Policy?
  - (c) The Domestic Violence Safety Assessment Tool?
  - (d) The Standard Operating Procedures relating to responding to domestic abuse?
  - (e) Relevant legislation about domestic abuse/violence and sexual assault?
  - (f) Any other policies and practices relating to responding to domestic abuse/violence?

6790 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—INVESTIGATION TIMELINES AND SUPPORT—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What was the average timeframe for a sexual assault investigation in New South Wales in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2020-2021?
  - (b) 2019-2020?
  - (c) 2018-2019?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2016-2017?
- (2) What positions and/or units within NSW Police Area Commands are responsible for the following duties:
  - (a) Taking a report of sexual assault?
  - (b) Taking a statement about sexual assault?
  - (c) Investigating an alleged sexual assault?
  - (d) Keeping the survivor informed of the progress of their matter?
  - (e) What role is held by the officers responsible for each of the above?
- (3) What supports/safety measures are available to complainants and suspects during sexual assault investigations?
  - (a) At what stage of an investigation are these offered to survivors?
- (4) What was the average time taken from the lodging of an AVO application by a complainant to final determination in each of the following financial years:
  - (a) 2020-2021?
  - (b) 2019-2020?
  - (c) 2018-2019?
  - (d) 2017-2018?
  - (e) 2016-2017?
- (5) What positions and/or units within NSW Police Area Commands are responsible for the following duties:
  - (a) Taking a report of domestic violence?
  - (b) Taking a statement about domestic violence?
  - (c) Investigating an allegation of domestic violence?
  - (d) Keeping the survivor informed of the progress of their matter?
  - (e) What role is held by the officers responsible for each of the above?

- (6) What supports/safety measures are available to complainants and suspects during a domestic abuse/violence investigation?

(a) At what stage of an investigation are these offered to survivors?

6791 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR CRIME MANAGER (INSPECTOR)—  
The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What training does a Crime Manager (Inspector) receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?

(a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?

(b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?

(c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?

(d) What percentage of this is on the job training?

(i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?

(e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur

(i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?

(f) What topics are covered in the training?

- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse for a Crime Manager (Inspector) is spent on:

(a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?

(b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?

(c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?

(d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?

(e) Conscious and unconscious bias?

(f) Trauma informed practice?

(g) Cultural safety?

(h) Disability awareness?

(i) LGBTIQ+ awareness?

(j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?

- (3) If training is not provided every year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided for a Crime Manager (Inspector)?

(a) What topics are covered?

- (4) How much of this training is developed and delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?

(a) What percentage of the overall training does this amount constitute?

(b) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:

(i) 2020-21?

(ii) 2019-20?

(iii) 2018-19?

(c) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:

- (i) 2020-21?
- (ii) 2019-20?
- (iii) 2018-19?

6792 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR DETECTIVES—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What training do detectives receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?
    - (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?
  - (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur
    - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
  - (f) What topics are covered in the training?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse/violence for detectives is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQ+ awareness?
  - (j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?
- (3) If training is not provided every year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided for detectives?
  - (a) What topics are covered?
- (4) How much of this training is developed and delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
  - (a) What percentage of the overall training does this amount constitute?
  - (b) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?
  - (c) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?

(ii) 2019-20?

(iii) 2018-19?

6793 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LIAISON OFFICER—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What training does a Domestic Violence Liaison Officer (DVLO) receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?
    - (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?
  - (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
    - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
  - (f) What topics are covered in the training?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse for DVLOs is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQ+ awareness?
  - (j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?
- (3) If training is not provided every year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided to DVLOs?
  - (a) What topics are covered?
- (4) How much training is delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts as a number of hours and percentage of overall training?
  - (a) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?
  - (b) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?

(ii) 2019-20?

(iii) 2018-19?

6794 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR DUTY OFFICER (INSPECTOR)—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What training does a Duty Officer (Inspector) receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?
    - (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?
  - (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
    - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
  - (f) What topics are covered in the training?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse for a Duty Officer (Inspector) is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQA+ awareness?
  - (j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?
- (3) If training is not provided every year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided for a Duty Officer (Inspector)?
  - (a) What topics are covered?
- (4) How much of this training is developed and delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
  - (a) What percentage of the overall training does this amount constitute?
  - (b) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?
  - (c) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?

(ii) 2019-20?

(iii) 2018-19?

6795 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR GENERAL DUTIES OFFICERS—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What or training does a general duties officer receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?
    - (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?
  - (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
    - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
  - (f) What topics are covered in the training?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse/violence for general duties officers is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQ+ awareness?
  - (j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?
- (3) If training is not provided every year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided for general duties officers?
  - (a) What topics are covered?

6796 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR JUNIOR CONSTABLE—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What support and/or training does a constable receive during the first 12 months on the job to assist them to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?

- (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?
- (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
  - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training for police constables in the first year of the job on domestic abuse/violence is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQ+ awareness?
  - (j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?
- (3) How much of this training is developed and delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
  - (a) What percentage of the overall training does this amount constitute?
- (4) How much of this training is co-facilitated by police and sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
  - (a) What percentage of the overall training does this constitute?
  - (b) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?
  - (c) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?

6797 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR POLICE AREA COMMANDER AND REGIONAL POLICE DISTRICT COMMANDER—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What training does a Police Area Commander/Regional Police District Commander (Superintendent) receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?
    - (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?



- (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
  - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
- (f) What topics are covered in the training?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse/violence for a Police Area Commander/Regional Police District Commander (Superintendent) is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQA+ awareness?
  - (j) Taking statements and conducting investigations in response to domestic abuse/violence?
- (3) If training is not provided each year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided for Police Area Commander/Regional Police District Commander (Superintendent)?
  - (a) What topics are covered?
- (4) How much training is delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts as a number of hours and percentage of overall training?
  - (a) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?
  - (b) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?

6798 POLICE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES—TRAINING FOR POLICE PROSECUTORS—The Hon. Penny Sharpe to ask the Minister for Sport, Multiculturalism, Seniors and Veterans representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services—

- (1) What support and/or training does a Police Prosecutor receive each year to respond to domestic abuse/violence?
  - (a) What percentage of this training is face-to-face?
  - (b) What percentage of this training is online at set times?
  - (c) What percentage of this training is online at your own pace learning?
  - (d) What percentage of this is on the job training?
    - (i) Can the Minister furnish details about how this training takes place?

- (e) Please specify if any other forms of training occur?
  - (i) For each other form, what percentage of the overall training amount does this constitute?
- (f) What topics are covered in the training?
- (2) What amount and percentage of training on domestic abuse/violence for police prosecutors is spent on:
  - (a) Understanding the nature and dynamics of domestic abuse?
  - (b) Understanding perpetrator tactics, including manipulation?
  - (c) Identifying the person most in need of protection (and avoiding misidentification of the predominant aggressor)?
  - (d) Challenging victim-blaming attitudes?
  - (e) Conscious and unconscious bias?
  - (f) Trauma informed practice?
  - (g) Cultural safety?
  - (h) Disability awareness?
  - (i) LGBTIQ+ awareness?
- (3) If training is not provided every year, how often is training in responding to domestic abuse provided for police prosecutors?
  - (a) What topics are covered?
- (4) How much of this training is developed and delivered by sexual assault and domestic abuse experts?
  - (a) What percentage of the overall training does this amount constitute?
  - (b) Which specialist organisations have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?
  - (c) Which individual experts have been engaged by NSW Police to provide this training during the following years:
    - (i) 2020-21?
    - (ii) 2019-20?
    - (iii) 2018-19?

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