

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY 2023

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#### **12 SEPTEMBER 2023**

(Paper No. 23)

\* 1278 LOCAL SMALL COMMITTMENTS ALLOCATIONS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

Regarding the three Tweed Electorate allocated projects funded under the Local Small Commitments Allocation Program:

- (1) What and where are the three allocated projects?
- (2) How much funding has each of the three projects been allocated?
- (3) How much of the funding allocated to each project has each project received?
- (4) What was the total funds allocated to the Tweed Electorate?

#### Answer-

The Local Small Commitments Allocation has been designed to evenly spread funding across all 93 Legislative Assembly electorates.

It has been designed to prevent pork barrelling and ensure that all electorates receive the exact same amount of funding.

The election commitment ensured \$400,000 went to every electorate in NSW regardless of political allegiance; whether or not a Labor candidate won the seat.

The NSW Government will put every single project through a rigorous assessment process including by an expert independent assessment panel.

Independent probity advisors have been appointed to advise on the management of conflicts of interest and provide probity advice.

#### **13 SEPTEMBER 2023**

(Paper No. 24)

- \* 1316 INFRINGEMENT NOTICES—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) What is the exact number of infringement notices were issued by NSW Police for the offence of Low Range Prescribed Concentration of Alcohol in each of the following postcodes 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2084, 2097, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2099, 2100, for each of the following financial years:
    - (a) 2018-19?
    - (b) 2019-20?
    - (c) 2020-21?
    - (d) 2021-22?
    - (e) 2022-23?
  - (2) What is the exact number of infringement notices were issued by NSW Police for the offence of Low Range Prescribed Concentration of Alcohol to individuals living in each of the following postcodes 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2084, 2097, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2099, 2100, for each of the following financial years:
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Postcode 2106 -10

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- \*\* Data is determined by the last known address of any person infringed with a Low Range PCA during specific financial years on police systems. A person may have been infringed with Low Range PCA and lived in one of the mentioned postcodes in the past but have since changed addresses causing the data not to be reflected within the table.
- (3-6) Nil infringement notices issued. Infringement notices are not issued for Middle Range PCA and High Range PCA offences.
- \* 1317 CLOSURE OF DAYDREAM STREET WARRIEWOOD—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

Could the Minister please provide detailed reasons as to why Daydream Street, Warriewood, is proposed to remain closed onto Mona Vale Road moving forward?

Answer-

I am advised

The closure of the Daydream Street access was part of several local road connections with Mona Vale Road that were identified for closure to improve safety. Ongoing safety issues existed with vehicles turning in and out of Daydream Street into Mona Vale Road. This identification followed Transport for NSW's 1999 road safety audit, which the local traffic committee approved in 2002.

While this closure took place over 20 years ago the justification still applies in light of the increase in development and traffic volumes in the area.

The Mona Vale Road upgrade is almost complete and will provide new and more reliable traffic light access via the nearby Ponderosa Parade to Daydream Street.

\* 1318 TAMWORTH EARLY CHILDHOOD SECTOR—The Hon. Kevin Anderson to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

In relation to the early childhood sector in the Tamworth electorate:

- (1) What is the average waiting list to access day-care in the following towns:
  - (a) Tamworth?
  - (b) Gunnedah?
  - (c) Manila?
  - (d) Barraba?
  - (e) Werris Creak?
  - (f) Quirindi?
- (2) What is the average waiting list to accessing preschool in the following towns:
  - (a) Tamworth?
  - (b) Gunnedah?
  - (c) Manila?
  - (d) Barraba?
  - (e) Werris Creak?
  - (f) Quirindi?
- (3) Has the government identified the Tamworth electorate as an area of need for initial investment in a co-located public preschool?
- (4) Does the identification of location for public preschool include a thorough consultation process with existing providers?
- (5) What is the government doing to address the concerns of existing private providers whose businesses may be impacted by the government's investment in public preschool?

### Answer—

The Minns Government's record investment in public preschools is targeting support for families and children experiencing disadvantage, poorer educational outcomes and in areas where there is undersupply of preschool places based on predicted future demand.

The department is considering locations based on a range of data and feedback from the sector. This includes consideration of Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA) and Australian Early Development Census (AEDC) data. Community consultation will occur as part of the rollout of these preschools, with the operational timeframes for each preschool to be determined as part of that process.

The government's 100 public preschools commitment focuses on increasing the supply of preschool in areas of need where there is an undersupply of preschool places.

The NSW government has also established the Childcare and Economic Opportunity Fund (the Fund), to foster sector growth over the coming decade.

The Department of Education does not hold specific information on waiting lists for private day care services.

- \* 1319 M5 TOLL CASHBACK—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - (1) How many individuals claim the MS toll cashback as of 31 August 2023?
  - (2) What is the average amount of money reclaimed per quarter for an individual claiming the MS toll cashback as of 31 August 2023?

#### Answer-

I am advised

- (1) Between January to August 2023, 307,039 individuals claimed rebates through the M5 South-West Cashback Scheme. A motorist holding more than one tolling account in this period will be counted on multiple occasions.
- (2) In the quarter ending in March 2023, the average amount of money claimed by an individual was\$172.97, while the average amount of money claimed in the quarter ending in June 2023 was \$173.92. These figures are prepared on a cash basis and include no provision for accrued expenses. An individual with multiple tags attached to their account in this period may be counted on multiple occasions.
- \* 1320 MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING MACHINE LIVERPOOL HOSPITAL—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) Has a business case been submitted and/or approved for the purchase of an additional MRI machine for Liverpool Hospital?
  - (2) Does the Government have plans to provide an additional MRI machine for Liverpool Hospital?
  - (3) How many MRI machines are available, by Public Hospital, in the South West Sydney Local Health District and South Eastern Sydney Sydney Local Health District?

#### Answer-

I am advised:

As part of the hospital's redevelopment, Liverpool Hospital will obtain an additional MRI machine in 2024.

Information on facilities with MRI machines is published on the Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care website.

- \* 1321 SURPLUS LAND IN HOLSWORTHY—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
  - (1) Can the Minister identify which, if any, parcels of surplus Government land in the electorate of Holsworthy have been found viable for development?

#### Answer—

I am advised:

The NSW Government is committed to ensuring that the State's property portfolio is put to best possible use in delivering key infrastructure and services and in particular, delivering housing.

The Premier of NSW has requested all Ministers participate in a portfolio-wide audit of NSW Government property, which includes government owned land in the electorate of Holsworthy, to identify land that could be used to deliver housing.

Property and Development NSW has been tasked with working in partnership with the Cabinet Office to lead a centralised process to identify government owned land that may be suitable for housing.

Properties are currently being reviewed and assessed for development potential for housing with the first tranche due to be submitted for Government approval by the end of 2023. At this stage, no decisions have been made around the use of specific NSW Government Properties for housing as part of the audit.

\* 1322 COOTAMUNDRA POLICE FUNDING—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Police and Counterterrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

With respect to adequate funding for police resources across the Cootamundra electorate:

- (1) What are the Government's plans for upgrading police stations in need of improvement in the Cootamundra electorate?
- (2) What are the Government's plans for upgrading police residences in need of improvement in the Cootamundra electorate?
- (3) Can the Government provide a schedule for any upgrades or maintenance work planned for police stations and residences, over the next 12 months, in the Cootamundra electorate?

#### Answer-

- (1) The following projects are currently underway or at planning/proposal stage:
  - upgrade to garage facilities at Cootamundra Police Station is currently underway;
  - proposed refurbishment and external painting for Narrandera Police Station;
  - proposed CCTV upgrade for Junee Police Station; and
  - proposed anti-jump barrier at Stockinbingal Police Station.
- (2) This question should be referred to the Property and Development NSW, which is the agency responsible for police residence properties.
- (3) Police stations in the Cootamundra electorate will continue to receive planned preventative maintenance and reactive maintenance works as required.
- \* 1323 PAEDIATRICIANS IN REGIONAL NSW—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

With respect to paediatricians within regional New South Wales:

- (1) How is the Government working with the Commonwealth Government to attract more paediatricians into the regional New South Wales workforce?
- (2) What is the Government actively doing to retain paediatricians in regional New South Wales?
- (3) What strategies does the Government have in place to reduce the extensive wait times families currently face to see a paediatrician, including those in my electorate?

#### Answer-

- (1 2)The NSW Government will also continue to work in collaboration with the Commonwealth Government on improving health outcomes for people living in regional NSW. NSW Health is focused on efforts to boost the health workforce across all parts of regional NSW through workforce incentive schemes and training programs.
  - In NSW, paediatric training is coordinated through three training networks that link rural, regional and metropolitan hospitals. This supports doctors working across a range of settings to complete training requirements and while having the opportunity to train in a rural and regional location.
- (3) NSW Health is <u>piloting a new model of care</u> for children with behavioural issues and/or Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) in in Hunter New England and Western NSW LHDs. The trial builds on the recommendations of the Review of Health Services for Children, Young People

and Families within the NSW Health System (the Henry Review), which identifies the need for a new approach in the management of behavioural issues and ADHD.

NSW Health has a longstanding relationship with Royal Far West (RFW) to provide the Paediatric Development Program (PDP).

\* 1324 FIRE AND RESCUE NSW—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

With respect to firefighters for Fire and Rescue New South Wales which are assigned to fire stations across the Cootamundra Electorate:

- (1) As at the date for which the most recent data is available, how many permanent fire fighters are assigned to each of the Fire and Rescue Stations across the Cootamundra electorate?
  - (a) Of these Stations, how many permanent firefighter positions are currently vacant?
- (2) As at the date for which the most recent data is available, how many on-call fire fighters are assigned to each of the Fire and Rescue Stations across the Cootamundra electorate?
  - (a) Of these Stations how many on-call positions are currently vacant?
- (3) What is the Government doing to fill these both permanent and on-call vacancies?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised that:

- (1) Nil. All Fire and Rescue NSW (FRNSW) stations in the Cootamundra electorate are staffed by On-Call firefighters.
- (2) As at 7 September 2023, the on-call staffing and vacancies at FRNSW stations in the Cootamundra electorate are:

Headcount	Vacancies
13	1
10	3
14	4
14	2
10	2
12	1
12	2
13	2
15	1
19	1
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(3) There are no permanent firefighter vacancies at FRNSW stations in the Cootamundra electorate.

On-call firefighter applications are accepted through the FRNSW website from all members of the community and are assessed on merit and physical aptitude.

FRNSW has also introduced the Sustainable On Call Firefighter Program to improve the recruitment and retention of on call firefighters and to increase inclusion.

The program aims to attract more on-call firefighters and improve working conditions to sustain long-term employment, through on-call to permanent career pathways, effective and efficient recruitment and station leadership and development.

\* 1325 SCHOOL VENTILATION—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

In relation to ventilation in school learning spaces:

- (1) At what temperatures does a school qualify for heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) equipment?
- (2) Was the Department of Education allocated funds in the 2023-24 Budget for the installation of heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) equipment to improve ventilation in learning spaces?
- (3) Is there a strategy to continually monitor the more than 150,000 spaces across our more than 2,200 public schools in relation to windows, fans and ventilation systems?

#### Answer-

The NSW Department of Education continues to deliver air conditioning upgrades in NSW public schools. The Department will continue to work with schools to address their local needs. School Principals can nominate projects for additional air conditioning which are assessed statewide.

As part of funding for new schools, major upgrades, redevelopments and relocated schools, air conditioning will also be installed in permanent learning spaces and libraries.

NSW public schools use a mix of natural ventilation and fresh air ventilation systems, with decisions on permanent fresh air ventilation systems made on a case-by-case basis.

The Department of Education regularly inspects NSW public schools to assess the condition of facilities and carries out proactive maintenance to ensure schools remain safe and compliant. The department's maintenance program and other works, including air conditioning upgrades, are assessed in consultation with schools. In addition to this, school principals can raise maintenance requests with their local Asset Services Officer at any time.

\* 1326 SUPPORTING OUR VETERANS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

In relation to supporting our Veterans:

- (1) Is Service NSW automatically validating Commonwealth Department of Veteran Affairs (OVA) file numbers for veterans and eligible concession holder customers when accessing services?
- (2) Can you advise whether New South Wales veterans and eligible concession holder customers will no longer need to provide evidence of eligibility, OVA Gold Card or a letter each year when accessing services?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

- (1) New and existing Commonwealth Department of Veterans Affairs (DVA) customers can establish their concession by providing their DVA file number to Service NSW over the phone for instant validation, resulting in concessions being automatically applied to licence and registration transactions.
- (2) Provided the veteran or eligible concession holder has their DVA file number recorded for vehicle registration transactions, they no longer need to provide evidence of eligibility each year and their registration will be automatically renewed after required vehicle checks. For other transactions, customers will still need to present their DVA eligibility.
- \* 1327 KILLARA INTERSECTION—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

In relation to pedestrian safety at the intersection of the Pacific Highway and Lorne Avenue in Killara:

- (1) When will the feasibility study commence?
- (2) When will the feasibility study be completed?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised

Transport for NSW has already commenced a feasibility review for improving pedestrian facilities at this intersection, which has several complex utility and access constraints. Transport for NSW will seek future funding for potential improvements if the review deems it feasible. The feasibility study is due to be completed by the end of February 2024.

Funding allocations are prioritised on a state-wide basis. The priorities are determined on strict criteria which include reported crashes, road geometry and the safety benefits returned to the community.

\* 1328 SMALL BUSINESS ADJUSTMENT PREMIUMS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—

In relation to small businesses, what is the median and/or average "hindsight adjustment premium" notice amount broken down by financial year from iCare?

#### Answer-

Financial Year (FY)	Net average premium adjustment amount
2019/20	Refund of -\$315.00
2020/21	Refund of -\$301.00
2021/22	Refund of -\$943.00

\* 1329 RATS AND PEST CONTROL—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—

In relation to rats and pest control:

- (1) How many complaints about rats have been made to Sydney Trains and NSW Trains each year since 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023?
- (2) How many Sydney Trains and NSW Trains incidents have rats contributed to each year since 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023?

(3) How much has been budgeted and what was the actual spend on pest control each year for Sydney Trains and NSW Trains since 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2023?

Answer—

I am advised

(1) The number of complaints logged mentioning rats as a problem:

**Sydney Trains:** 

- 2019-20 -16
- 2020-21 21
- 2021-22 29
- 2022-23 -13.

#### **NSW Trains:**

- 2019-20 1
- 2020-21 -1
- 2021-22 Nil
- 2022-23 Nil.
- (2) There have been 414 incidents of pests reported by maintenance teams on the Sydney Trains Infrastructure network between 1 July 2019 and 30 June 2023. In general, Rollingstock do not suffer issues due to rats. Some Rollingstock were impacted by the mouse plague in regional areas last year, however this did not result in technical issues.
- (3) Pest control costs are included in overall operating budget and data specific to pest control is not available.
- \* 1330 SYDNEY JEWISH MUSEUM—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

In relation to the Sydney Jewish Museum:

- (1) Has \$5 million been provided by the Government since 28 March 2023?
  - (a) If not, when will funding be provided?

Answer-

The New South Wales Government will deliver on all of its commitments.

\* 1331 MINISTERIAL STAFF E-LEARNING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—

In relation to Ministerial Staff:

- (1) What are the E-Learning modules required to be completed by Ministerial Staff?
- (2) Did all Ministerial Staff complete the E-Learning modules within a month of their employment?

Answer—

I am advised there are four e-learning modules, covering the following topics:

- (1) NSW Office Holders' Staff Code of Conduct
- (2) Lobbying of Government Officials Act 2011 and the NSW Lobbyists Code of Conduct

- (3) Personal Interest Declarations for Office Holders' Staff
- (4) Publishing Ministerial Diaries as required by Premier's Memorandum M 2015-05 I expect all Minsterial staff to undertake this training.
- \* 1332 RAILWAY STATION LIFTS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—

On 8 September 2023, Gordon Railway Station lifts were not operating due to maintenance, that impacted the accessibility for customers.

- (1) How does Sydney Trains and NSW Trains communicate to customers when lifts are not working?
- (2) Can the Minister advise how we can improve communications?

Answer-

I am advised

Transport for NSW makes every effort to minimise the disruptions to train passengers by ensuring prompt preventative and corrective maintenance of station lifts. Passengers are notified of non-operating lifts with onboard announcements made by train guards and advises passengers to alight their service at an alternative station where lifts are operational. Passenger information is also updated on the Trip Planner Application and Website.

Sydney Trains and NSW Trainlink planned lift outages are communicated to customers 2-3 days prior to their closure. These notifications include the reason why the lift is out of service and a timeframe for service restoration, if available. This information is communicated via several channels:

- Transport Apps
- Transport for NSW's Website (Trip Planner)
- Twitter

At the station where the planned outage will occur, there is signage displayed in the lead up to the event to notify customers.

Regrettably, on 8 September 2023, Gordon Railway Station lifts were not operating due to maintenance without passenger notification. Sydney Trains is reviewing its processes to increase the level of robustness to mitigate the chance of this error reoccurring.

- \* 1333 CASTLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL WHITE POWDER—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
  - (1) On 30 August 2023 School Infrastructure NSW notified staff and parents that a white powder substance and was found by the school in the chemical storeroom located within the science block. With respect to such notification:
    - (a) On what date was the white powder substance was found by the school?
    - (b) Was the Minister advised that that a white powder substance was found by the school? If the Minister was advised on what date was the Minister advised of the location of the white powder substance.
    - (c) What action has the Minister taken to ensure parents and staff were notified of the location of the white powder substance?
    - (d) When did the occupational hygienist attend the school to conduct testing?

Answer-

Please refer to LA Question on Notice 1476.

- \* 1334 CASTLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL RED BOX—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
  - (1) On 30 August 2023 School Infrastructure NSW notified staff and parents that a sealed red box containing a potentially hazardous material was found in the chemical storeroom located within the science block. With respect to such notification:
    - (a) On what date was the sealed red box found by the school in the chemical storeroom located in the science block?
    - (b) Was the Minister advised that that the red box containing a potentially hazardous material was found by the school? If the Minister was advised on what date was the Minister advised of the location of the red box?
    - (c) What action has the Minister taken to ensure that staff, students, parents and the wider community were notified of the location of the red box containing potentially hazardous material?
    - (d) What action is being taken to analyse the content of the red box?
    - (e) What action is being taken to ensure the health, safety and wellbeing of the staff, students and the location community is protected

Answer-

Please refer to LA Question on Notice 1476.

- \* 1335 CASTLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL INDEPENDENT HYGENIST—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
  - (1) In answer to a question from the Member for Kellyville (Question 898) the Minister stated that all remediation work has been completed and a clearance certificate was issued by a qualified independent hygienist. With respect to such statement:
    - (a) Could the Minister provide definition of what is meant by "all remediation work" with reference to the work at the Castle Hill High School?
    - (b) Could the Minister advise on what date the clearance certificate was issued by the hygienist?
    - (c) Could the Minister advise whether the clearance certificate has been made available to parents and if so on what date was the certificate made available to parents?
    - (d) If the clearance certificate has not been made available to parents, will the Minister make the certificate available to parents?

Answer—

Please refer to LA Question on Notice 1476.

\* 1336 MEDICARE FUNDED URGENT CARE CLINICS—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to the Commonwealth Government's rollout of Medicare funded Urgent Care Clinics:

(1) Will you, in collaboration with the Commonwealth Government, consider expanding this model to places of high need including Armidale and Inverell?

- (2) Does the Government provide any funding towards Urgent Care Clinics?
- (3) Does the Government have any operational oversight over Urgent Care Clinics?
- (4) Would this model, help ease the burden of patients presenting to Emergency Departments, while bridging the gap between Government and Commonwealth managed patient care?

Answer-

I am advised:

Information is publicly available at the <u>Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care's</u> Medicare Urgent Care Clinics website

\* 1337 MOTOR VEHICLE TAX AND LOW EMISSIONS CONCESSION—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—

In relation to motor vehicle tax and the low emissions concession:

- (1) Can you explain which vehicles constitute as 'low emission' and are eligible for a discount on motor vehicle tax?
- (2) Does a MG HS PHEV (plugin hybrid) qualify as a 'low emissions vehicle?'
- (3) Have constituents in my electorate been charged the full motor vehicle tax rate, without a discount, on this vehicle?

Answer-

I am advised this question is more appropriately directed to the Minister for Customer Service.

\* 1338 WARIALDA COURT HOUSE REMEDIATION WORKS—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Attorney General—

In relation to advice to me, dated 25 July 2023, from the Chief Magistrate of New South Wales:

- (1) Can you advise whether the Warialda Court House is closed due to "limited resources" as per the Chief Magistrate's advice to me?
- (2) If so, can the Minister advise why the answer to QON 208 stated that Warialda Court House was closed due to larger remediation works?
- (3) Is the Warialda Court House closed due to limited resources or larger remediation works?
- (4) When will resources be provided to the Chief Magistrate to facilitate the re-opening of the Warialda Court House?
- (5) When will the Warialda Court House re-open for sitting of the Local Court?

Answer—

I am advised:

In 2022, maintenance works were undertaken at Warialda Courthouse to preserve the essential elements of the building and grounds and to make improvements to assist with access, particularly in the event of an emergency. Larger remediation works to address structural issues in the courthouse remain on hold.

The Chief Magistrate is responsible for making decisions regarding the sittings of the Local Court across NSW.

\* 1339 OLD WALCHA HOSPITAL—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—

In relation to the Old Walcha Hospital site:

- (1) Can the Minister advise whether an Aboriginal Land Council claim is being considered for the Old Walcha Hospital site?
  - (a) If so, when was that claim lodged?
- (3) Can the Minister provide any indication as to when the claim might be decided?
  - (a) Can the Minister advise whether steps can be taken to expedite the process and decide the claim considering the building has been vacant for 16 years?

#### Answer-

Under the Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983 (ALRA), Local Aboriginal Land Councils and the NSW Aboriginal Land Council can lodge an Aboriginal land claim over claimable Crown Land. Section 36 of the ALRA prescribes that an Aboriginal land claim can be lodged on claimable Crown Land that is not lawfully used or occupied as at the date of the claim.

The Old Walca Hospital was decommissioned in 2007 following the development of a new multi-purpose hospital facility. I understand that the site is subject to an Aboriginal land claim.

Under the ALRA, the Minister for Crown Lands is responsible for the investigation, assessment, and determination of Aboriginal land claims. The rate at which Aboriginal land claims are determined varies depending on the land tenure and occupation of the Crown Land Parcel.

The Department of Planning and Environment supports the Minister for Crown Lands to investigate, assess, and determine Aboriginal land claims. Through the investigation process, the Department of Planning and Environment undertakes significant consultation with stakeholders, including Local Aboriginal Land Councils.

Crown Lands have been working with Local Aboriginal Land Councils to identify priority Aboriginal land claims for streamlined determination.

#### \* 1340 LOCAL SMALL COMMITTMENTS ALLOCATION—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Premier—

- (1) In relation to the Local Small Commitments Allocation (LSCA) program established by the NSW Government following the 2023 election with \$400,000 to be allocated to each of the 93 NSW electorates at a cost of \$37.2 million.
  - (a) What election commitments were made for the Northern Tablelands electorate through LSCA program?
  - (b) What consultation occurred with the relevant group, council, or community?
  - (c) Who made the commitment and was it done publicly?
  - (d) Is there scope to reallocate the funds to projects that may be determined of more value to the community?

#### Answer—

The Local Small Commitments Allocation has been designed to evenly spread funding across all 93 Legislative Assembly electorates.

It has been designed to prevent pork barrelling and ensure that all electorates receive the exact same amount of funding.

The election commitment ensured \$400,000 went to every electorate in NSW regardless of political allegiance; whether or not a Labor candidate won the seat.

The NSW Government will put every single project through a rigorous assessment process including by an expert independent assessment panel.

Independent probity advisors have been appointed to advise on the management of conflicts of interest and provide probity advice.

I am advised that the assessment and approvals of LSCA projects will continue on a rolling basis. Successful organisations and the local MP in the electorates where the projects are to be delivered will be advised in writing by the Premier's Department. The details of successful grants will be made publicly available on the NSW Grants and Funding website (<a href="https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/lsca">https://www.nsw.gov.au/grants-and-funding/lsca</a>).

\* 1341 TWEED NURSING POSITIONS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

How many nursing positions are allocated to the Tweed Electorate, including a breakdown of the number of positions that are permanent and temporary?

Answer-

I am advised:

Health services are not provided on the basis of electorate.

\* 1342 COVID NURSES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

Regarding the 1112 nurses hired during the COVID-19 pandemic that the Government has not committed to fund past 1 June 2024, how many of these nurses are located in the Northern New South Wales Local Health District?

Answer-

I am advised:

The previous Government only temporarily funded an additional 1112 FTE of nursing and midwifery staff up to 30 June 2024. Approximately 51.0 FTE of these were allocated to Northern NSW Local Health District.

The 2023-24 State Budget provides \$572 million to permanently fund 1112 nurse and midwife positions across the state.

- \* 1343 WINSTON HILLS SMALL BUSINESS—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
  - (1) In relation to small business in the Winston Hills Electorate, how many small businesses operate in the following suburbs:
    - (a) Lalor Park?
    - (b) Toongabbie?
    - (c) Wentworthville?
    - (d) Pendle Hill?
    - (e) Old Toongabbie?
    - (f) Winston Hills?
    - (g) Glenwood?

- (h) Kings Langley?
- (i) Seven Hills?
- (j) Blacktown?
- (k) Northmead?

#### Answer-

I am advised the latest available geographic data on business counts is published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) in its Counts of Australian Businesses catalogue. The ABS defines a small business as one with fewer than 20 employees and is available according to Statistical Area 2 (SA2) geographic boundaries.

Counts of small businesses are available according to the following SA2 areas as at 30 June 2022:

Suburb	Corresponding SA2	Number of small businesses
Lalor Park	Lalor Park - Kings Langley	2,776
Toongabbie	Toongabbie - Constitution Hill	1,892
Wentworthville	Wentworthville - Westmead	1,846
Pendle Hill	Pendle Hill - Girraween	1,576
Old Toongabbie	Toongabbie - Constitution Hill	1,892
Winston Hills	Winston Hills	852
Glenwood	Glenwood	1,390
Kings Langley	Lalor Park - Kings Langley	2,776
Seven Hills	Seven Hills - Prospect	1,321
Blacktown	Multiple:	6,247
	Blacktown (East) - Kings Park Blacktown (North) - Marayong Blacktown - West Blacktown - South	
Northmead	Northmead	1,923

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)

Note: the ABS defines a small business as one with fewer than 20 employees.

I am advised that the above information is the most recent data available by geographic location and employment size.

\* 1344 WINSTON HILLS SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYMENT—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—

In relation to small business in the Winston Hills Electorate:

- (1) How many individuals are employed by small businesses in the Winston Hills Electorate?
- (2) How many of these individuals are employed on a casual basis?
- (3) How many of these individuals are employed on a part-time basis?
- (4) How many of these individuals are employed on a full-time basis?

#### Answer-

I am advised the requested data is unavailable. Data sources related employment type are unavailable according to state electorate boundaries and employer size.

While data on individuals employed by small business are unavailable, the following business counts by employment size ranges as at 30 June 2022 are available for the following Statistical Area 2

(SA2) geographic boundaries which broadly correspond within the Winston Hills electorate:

SA2	Non-employing	1-4 employees	5-19 employees
Lalor Park - Kings Langley	1472	961	343
Toongabbie - Constitution Hill	1168	597	127
Winston Hills	420	365	67
Glenwood	833	473	84
Northmead	1240	570	113

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)

Note: the ABS defines a small business as one with fewer than 20 employees.

Note: these SA2 regions do not perfectly correspond with the Winston Hills electorate but are an approximate fit.

\* 1345 MENTAL HEALTH CARE—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to mental health care in the Winston Hills Electorate:

- (1) How many dedicated mental health nurses are currently employed at Westmead Hospital?
- (2) How many psychologists are currently employed at Westmead Hospital?
- (3) How many psychiatrists are currently employed at Westmead Hospital?

#### Answer—

#### I am advised:

Health services are not provided on the basis of electorate. Staff are employed by the mental health service not Westmead Hospital.

- \* 1346 CRITICAL MINERALS AND HIGH TECH METALS ACTIVATION FUND—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, and Minister for Natural Resources—
  - (1) In relation to the Critical Minerals and High-Tech Metals Activation Fund:
    - (a) How much of this fund has been allocated to specific organisations? Please list the organisation's name and amount allocated?
    - (b) How much of the original fund has been unallocated?
  - (2) Is the Government planning to continue to support exploration companies to search for critical minerals and produce high-tech metal projects?

#### Answer—

(1) (a) \$34,361,436 has been allocated by the former NSW Government to 22 organisations under the Critical Minerals and High-Tech Metals Activation Fund.

Recipient	Grant Amount
Aeris Resources Limited	\$500,000
Australian Strategic Materials Limited	\$500,000
Broken Hill Cobalt Project Pty Limited	\$500,000
CMOC Mining Services Pty Limited	\$500,000
Cobar Metals Pty Limited	\$500,000
EcoTech Minerals Pty Limited	\$363,400
Future Battery Industries CRC	\$340,000
International Copper Association Australia	\$370,000
Jervois Global Limited	\$500,000
Kingston Resources Limited	\$500,000
Manuka Resources Limited	\$300,000
MinEx CRC	\$500,000
Peel Mining Limited	\$500,000
Renewable Metals Pty Limited	\$500,000
RZ Resources Limited	\$500,000
SensOre Limited	\$318,000

<sup>\*</sup>Grant funding allocated to these organisations has been withdrawn following the initial allocation made through letters of offer.

- (b) \$84,638,564 of the commitment to grant funding has not been allocated. Unallocated grant funding from the Critical Minerals and High-Tech Metals Activation Fund has been redirected back to the NSW Government in the 2023-2024 budget as a savings initiative.
- (2) Yes. The NSW Government has announced we will update the Critical Minerals Strategy and consultation has begun. The Strategy will include a sharper focus on developing workforce skills, encouraging domestic manufacturing, local processing, training opportunities and critical minerals exploration across the state. Ensuring a stable supply of critical minerals and high-tech elements is necessary to translate the state's natural competitive advantage to economic growth and regional employment. Doing so will also safeguard the clean energy supply chain and sovereign capability.
- \* 1347 REGIONAL POLICE INCENTIVES—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) In relation to the new regional police incentives that began on July 1:
    - (a) Can you provide detail as to what actions have been implemented to deliver these incentives for those police officers relocating to the bush?
    - (b) Can you provide the criteria for those who may be eligible for support to relocate?
    - (c) How many individual officers have received an incentive from this program since July 1?
    - (d) Can you provide a list of stations and number of officers that have relocated there due to the relocation program?
    - (e) Is the Government planning to continue or increase these incentive programs?

#### Answer-

(1) In relation to the NSW Police Force Remote and Special Remote Incentive Scheme:

- (a) The following actions have been implemented:
  - formation of a Remote and Special Remote Areas Working Party
  - review and update of applicable internal policies and procedures
  - communications to eligible officers
  - training conducted to enable facilitation of the incentive scheme
  - promotional activity including an interactive map to research locations
  - applicable payments made to eligible officers commenced from 1 July 2023.
- (b) An officer must meet all applicable tenure requirements before seeking to initiate a transfer. Officers who relocate to a position at one of the Remote, Special Remote or Remote Offshore locations are eligible for incentives for up to five years at the same location to acknowledge the unique operating environment of such locations.
- (c) Since 1 July 2023, 835 officers have received an incentive payment.
- (d) The number of officers who have transferred to remote locations since the commencement of the scheme (1 July 2023) is provided below:

Boggabilla: 2 Bourke: 9 Brewarrina: 4 Broken Hill:5 Coonamble: 1

Lightning Ridge: 1

Moree: 5 Mungindi: 1 Nyngan:1 Walgett: 6 Wilcannia:1

- (e) The scheme will be reviewed and evaluated over the next five years to ensure it is having the intended impact and leading to positive outcomes for remote communities and the officers that serve there.
- \* 1348 BATHURST FOSTER CARERS—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion—
  - (1) How many foster carers were there in the Bathurst electorate during:
    - (a) 2020-21?
    - (b) 2021-22?
    - (c) 2022- present day 2023?
  - (2) How many children were cared for by foster parents in the Bathurst electorate during:
    - (a) 2020-21?
    - (b) 2021-22?
    - (c) 2022-present day 2023?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

Data on foster carers and children in foster care is not available by electorate in Department of Communities and Justice (DCJ) systems.

Data on foster carers and children in foster care is available by Community Service Centre (CSC), however coverage areas do not align with electoral boundaries.

All towns serviced by Bathurst and Lithgow CSCs fall within the Bathurst electorate. Mudgee and Orange CSCs also service some towns in the Bathurst electorate, however mainly service geographical areas outside of the Bathurst electorate.

The following figures have been derived by combining data from Bathurst and Lithgow CSCs:

- (1) The number of foster carer households associated with Bathurst and Lithgow CSCs, including those with no placements, during:
  - (a) 2020/21 was 47
  - (b) 2021/22 was 44
  - (c) 2022/2023 was 42. Data is provided to 30 June 2023 as this is the most recently available quarterly data.
- (2) The number of children cared for in foster care households associated with Bathurst and Lithgow CSCs as at:
  - (a) 30 June 2021 was 47
  - (b) 30 June 2022 was 53
  - (c) 30 June 2023 was 61. Data is provided to 30 June 2023 as this is the most recently available quarterly data.
- \* 1350 SCHOOL MAINTENANCE—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
  - (1) What is the total value of required maintenance in Goulburn Schools?
  - (2) Will Principals be given the opportunity to provide their input towards their school's maintenance needs?
  - (3) What mechanisms are available to Principals if or when the Department of Education's Asset Services Officer disagrees with their input for their school's maintenance needs?

#### Answer—

The Department of Education advises that Principals are given the opportunity to provide input towards their school's maintenance needs. Principals can raise maintenance needs, including any concerns, with their local Asset Services Officer. Allocations for maintenance are made on a needs-basis across each school in addition to any urgent maintenance work which may be required throughout the year.

\* 1351 REGIONAL APPRENTICE AND UNIVERSITY STUDENT TRAVEL CARD APPLICATIONS—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

With respect to the Regional Apprentice and University Student Travel Card, and for each of the four local government areas in the Goulburn electorate, to date;

- Goulburn Mulwaree
- Wingecarribee

- Yass Valley
- Upper Lachlan Shire
- (1) How many applications by eligible apprentices and trainees have been received?
- (2) How many applications by eligible apprentices and trainees have been approved?
- (3) How many travel cards have been issued?
- (4) Of the cards issued, how many have been expended?
- (5) How many registered retailers and providers are there?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised

- (1) Applications received by eligible apprentices and trainees:
  - (a) Goulburn Mulwaree 67
  - (b) Wingecarribee 79
  - (c) Yass Valley 9
  - (d) Upper Lachlan Shire 18
- (2) Applications approved by eligible apprentices and trainees:
  - (a) Goulburn Mulwaree 67
  - (b) Wingecarribee- 79
  - (c) Yass Valley 9
  - (d) Upper Lachlan Shire 18
- (3) Cards issued to eligible apprentices and trainees:
  - (a) Goulburn Mulwaree 67
  - (b) Wingecarribee 79
  - (c) Yass Valley 9
  - (d) Upper Lachlan Shire 18
- (4) Of the cards issued, how many have been expended:
  - (a) Goulburn Mulwaree 27
  - (b) Wingecarribee 39
  - (c) Yass Valley 3
  - (d) Upper Lachlan Shire 6
- (5) The Regional Apprentice and University Student Travel Card (RAUSTC) has been restricted for use based on the retailer's merchant category code. Merchant category codes are used to classify businesses by the type of goods or services they provide. The card will work at retailers or service providers using travel-related merchant category codes, including service stations, fuel, passenger railways, taxis and bus lines. This means the card can be used at any retailer operating with one of the included merchant category codes.

Retailers do not have to register to accept RAUSTC or to be the part of this program. They can accept RAUSTC payments if they are using one of the accepted travel-related merchant category

codes, which can be found on the Service NSW website (<a href="https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/regional-apprentice-and-university-student-travel-card-information-for-retailers">https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/regional-apprentice-and-university-student-travel-card-information-for-retailers</a>).

- \* 1352 HEAVY VEHICLE THEFTS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) Could you please advise the statistics on reported heavy vehicle thefts for the last 10 years?
  - (2) Can you advise how many reports have been successfully prosecuted?

#### Answer-

- (1-2) The NSW Police Force's Computerised Operational Policing System (COPS) does not hold statistical information that distinguishes heavy vehicle thefts from thefts of other types of vehicles.
- \* 1353 HEAVY VEHICLE REPAIR—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—

Could you please advise:

- (a) The process for validating that Heavy Vehicle Certificate of Compliance forms have been performed by motor vehicle repairers with adequate qualifications in heavy motor vehicle repair?
- (b) How many times since the form was introduced (with statistics organised by year) have Fair Trading found heavy vehicle repairs been performed by an individual / business without these adequate qualifications?

#### Answer—

I am advised the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator is responsible for Heavy Vehicle Certificate of Compliance forms.

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- 1354 MOBILE SPEED CAMERAS AND FINES—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1355 ROAD-VEHICLE ACCIDENTS ALONG HEATHCOTE ROAD—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1356 PARK'NPAY IN THE LIVERPOOOL LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1359 CATEGORY 4 BUS SERVICE—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1360 SOUTH-WESTERN SYDNEY UNEMPLOYMENT—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1361 SOUTH-WESTERN SYDNEY YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the

- Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1362 OATLEY COMO WALKWAY—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1363 CANTERBURY BANKSTOWN HOSPITAL UPGRADES—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1364 SYDEY STARTUP HUB—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1365 INDEPENDENT COMMISSION AGAINST CORRUPTION MINISTERIAL CODE OF CONDUCT— Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—
- 1366 STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE REVIEW AMBULANCE STATIONS—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1367 BOATING NOW FUNDING—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1368 LOCAL SMALL COMMITMENTS ALLOCATION PROGRAM—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1369 VICTORIA ROAD DRUMMOYNE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1370 IRON COVE LINK TRAFFIC MODELLING FOR DRUMMOYNE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1371 COMMUNITY BUILDING PARTNERSHIP 2023—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Premier—
- 1372 INTERSECTION OF LYON AND VICTORIA ROADS DRUMMOYNE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1374 CONCORD AMBULANCE STATION—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1375 DRUMMOYNE AMBULANCE STATION—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1376 CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL BUSINESS CASE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1377 ABORIGINAL LAND RIGHTS ACT—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1378 ABORIGINAL LANGUAGES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—

- 1379 MOTORWAY LAND EAST SYDNEY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1381 OFFICIAL COMMUNITY VISITORS SCHEME—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion—
- 1382 REGISTERED BOARDING HOUSES PLANNING—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1383 SYDNEY FOOTBALL STADIUM SECONDARY CARPARK EGRESS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1384 BICYCLE LOCKERS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1385 REGISTERED BOARDING HOUSE DATA—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- \* 1386 TRAINING FOR MAGISTRATES IN RELATION TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Attorney General—

In relation to Domestic Violence could the Attorney General advise:

- (1) What continuing legal training is given to Acting Magistrates in relation to Domestic Violence or Personal Violence?
- (2) What continuing legal training is given to Magistrates in relation to Domestic Violence?
- (3) Is there a requirement for Acting Magistrates to undertake a specific number of hours continuing legal training in relation to Domestic Violence?
  - (a) If so, what is the requirement?
- (4) Is there a requirement for Magistrates to undertake a specific number of hours continuing legal training in relation to Domestic Violence?
  - (a) If so, what is the requirement?

#### Answer-

#### I am advised:

- (1) Acting magistrates are offered the same training programs as fulltime magistrates. Educational activities relating to domestic violence include presentation of papers, and workshops covering domestic violence, sexual assault and sentencing in domestic violence matters is an ongoing priority. Judicial education programs are also recorded and available on Judicial Information Research System (JIRS), the Judicial Commission's comprehensive database of legal information for judicial officers.
- (2) All magistrates receive ongoing training in the understanding of family and domestic violence, its impact on victims and children, and good practice in its management by the court, including judicial commentary. Maintaining awareness by magistrates and acting magistrates of ongoing and significant developments in domestic violence policy and service responses in NSW is of high priority.
  - All Magistrates, including those Acting are also provided with regular education in domestic violence through updates to Bench Books. These are available on JIRS, the Judicial Commission's

public website at <a href="https://www.judcom.nsw.gov.au/category/publications/bench-books/">https://www.judcom.nsw.gov.au/category/publications/bench-books/</a> and form part of the Judicial Commission's standard bench book.

Additionally, the Judicial Commission, in accordance with its charter, produces reports aimed at specifically informing judicial officers about developments in sentencing law and approaches in the court relating to domestic violence.

A major issue in courts dealing with domestic violence is the high levels of trauma. To assist judicial officers implement more trauma informed practices, the Judicial Commission has developed a number of resources including a new publication "Trauma-informed courts: guidance for trauma-informed judicial practices" available at <a href="https://www.judcom.nsw.gov.au/trauma-informed-courts-guidance-for-trauma-informed-judicial-practices/">https://www.judcom.nsw.gov.au/trauma-informed-courts-guidance-for-trauma-informed-judicial-practices/</a>

A monthly Judicial Officers Bulletin also showcases articles on domestic violence.

(3 - 4) Judicial education is not mandatory for judges or magistrates.

However, the National Judicial College of Australia has developed a national standard for the amount of time that should be available for each member of the Australian judiciary for professional development. The standard is that each judicial officer should be able to spend at least 5 days each calendar year participating in professional development activities relating to the judicial officer's responsibilities. This has been endorsed by the Council of Chief Justices of Australia, chief judges, chief magistrates and judicial education bodies throughout Australia. Participation rates in Judicial Commission programs are very high.

- 1387 FIRE STATIONS IN THE CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1388 EDUCATION AND TRAINING ON CONSUMER RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1389 FUEL CHECK SERVICE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1390 PARK'NPAY APP—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1391 SERVICE NSW DEFRIBRILLATOR REGISTER—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1392 BREAK AND ENTERS IN THE WILLOUGHBY ELECTORATE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1393 ACCIDENTS ON FULLERS ROAD, CHATSWOOD—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1394 'INTELLIGENT' TRAFFIC LIGHTS IN THE WILLOUGHBY ELECTORATE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1397 TIMBER INDUSTRY IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—

- 1398 GREAT KOALA NATIONAL PARK AGRICULTURE—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1401 VACANT PUBLIC HOUSING DWELLINGS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1402 WESTCONNEX CAMPERDOWN DIVE SITE—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1403 134-144 PITT STREET REDFERN—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1404 LITTLE EVELEIGH STREET—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1405 MOREE SPECIAL ACTIVATION PRECINCT—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1407 DRIVING ASSESSMENTS FOR OVER 85 YEAR OLDS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1408 SPEEDING IN THE TWEED ELECTORATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1409 START STRONG PROGRAM IN THE TWEED ELECTORATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1410 EMERGENCY ACCOMODATION—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1411 KPI DEFAULTS AND SERVICE DEFAULTS—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1412 NORTHERN BEACHES BUS SERVICES ESTIMATED SAVINGS—Mr Michael Regan to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1413 BIKES ON BUSES—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1414 STUDENT ENROLMENTS—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1415 NEW SOCIAL HOUSES PLANNING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—

- 1416 SOCIAL HOUSES UPGRADES—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1417 SOCIAL HOUSES CONSTRUCTION—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1418 GREEN-FIELD DEVELOPMENT FOR SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1419 URBAN-INFILL DEVELOPMENT FOR SOCIAL HOUSING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1420 ARGYLL ESTATE SOCIAL HOMES AGES—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1421 ARGYLL ESTATE RENOVATION—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1422 SOCIAL HOUSING AGENCIES OR STATE OWNED CORPORATIONS—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1423 PLANNED BUILDING OF SOCIAL HOUSES DURING TERM OF GOVERNMENT—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1424 MENTAL HEALTH CARE IN THE WINSTON HILLS ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1425 RURAL FIRE SERVICE STATIONS IN THE WINSTON HILLS ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1426 BACKBURNING IN THE WINSTON HILLS ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1427 DENISON COLLEGE, KELSO AND BATHURST CAMPUSES—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

- 1428 WALLERAWANG TRAIN STATION—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1429 TOLL CAP—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1430 LOCAL ROADS AND COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1431 BARTON HIGHWAY TIE IN—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1432 POKER MACHINE TAX REVENUE IN THE GOULNURN ELECTORATE—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1433 EMERGENCY TREATMENT TIMES AT SHOALHAVEN HOSPITAL—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1434 CASTLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

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- 1435 BUS ROUTE DATA—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1436 AIR CONDITIONING IN PITTWATER HIGH SCHOOL—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1437 OXFORD FALLS TRANSPORT OPTIONS—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1438 HUME HIGHWAY SAFETY—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1439 OPTIONS TO REDUCE KOALA VEHICLE STRIKE—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1440 M7 MOTORWAY WIDENING—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1441 ELECTRONIC FIRE DANGER SIGNS—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1442 LOCAL SPORT DEFIBRILATOR GRANT PROGRAM—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1443 MUTTAMA CREEK—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1444 NEW 7 STAR ENERGY BUILDING—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—

- 1445 NSW AMBULANCE PARAMEDICS—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1446 POLICE OFFICERS IN COOTAMUNDRA—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Police and Counterterrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1447 PUBLIC HOUSING WAIT LIST—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1448 PUBLIC SCHOOL STAFFING—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1449 SUPPORT FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1450 CROWN LANDS AND GOVERNMENT OWNED PROPERTY IN DAVIDSON—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1451 BUSHFIRE HAZARD REDUCTION—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1452 POLICE INFRINGEMENT NOTICES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1453 ROAD WIDENING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1454 AVOCA DRIVE UPGRADE—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1455 SENIORS REGIONAL TRAVEL CARD—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1456 CREATIVE KIDS VOUCHER PROGRAM—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1457 FIRST HOME BUYERS—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1458 LAND TAX—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1459 RETURN AND EARN SCHEME—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1460 RESPONSE TO DISABILITY ROYAL COMMISSION—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Attorney General—

- 1461 ELECTRIC BUSES—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1462 SINGLE USE PLASTICS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1463 BIKE LANES—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1464 DISABILITY SUPPORT AND ADVOCACY—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion—
- 1465 MELROSE PARK PUBLIC SCHOOL—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1466 ACTIVE AND CREATIVE KIDS VOUCHER DATA—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1467 VOLUNTEERING—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Women, Minister for Seniors, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1468 MEADOWBANK PUBLIC SCHOOL—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1469 TEACHING VACANCIES—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1470 NEW SOUTH WALES ENERGY SAVINGS SCHEME—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1471 EARLY LEARNING CENTRES—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1472 SCHOOL TRAVEL PASSES—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1473 VARROA MITE DETECTION—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counterterrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1474 BOMADERRY AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1475 EASTERN CREEK RACEWAY—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- \* 1476 CASTLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL ISSUES MANAGEMENT—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
  - How much money is being delivered to Castle Hill High School to ameliorate asbestos related and uranium related issues at the school?

#### Answer-

The wellbeing of students and staff at all NSW public schools is a key priority for the Minns Government.

Wherever hazardous materials are suspected or found in NSW public schools, the Department shares that information with school communities and immediately acts to protect students and staff, including isolating the area and engaging experts to investigate and remediate the site to SafeWork NSW standards where required.

There is a current investigation by SafeWork NSW into historic asbestos management practices at Castle Hill High School. It is appropriate that this investigation continues, and that the Department continues to cooperate.

The Department advises that all asbestos remediation in NSW public schools is completed by licensed and accredited contractors and monitored by independent occupational hygienists. These independent hygienists issue clearance certificates on the condition that the work complies with the relevant safety standards, legislation and regulations, allowing the building or area to return to normal use.

The Department also conducts asbestos resurvey inspections in NSW public schools which identify areas of possible future risk and enable the appropriate mitigations to be put in place.

In relation to the information issued to parents and carers in late August and early September 2023, I am advised by the Department that powder, which was suspected to be hazardous material, was found in a locked science block storeroom at Castle Hill High School. On the same day, an occupational hygienist attended the school and removed the material to undertake testing, which subsequently found no asbestos material was present. In removing the material, a small sealed container was identified which was suspected to have been a historical artefact used to support science experiments in the past. As a precaution, the storeroom was completely sealed until further testing could be carried out. Experts attended the school site to remove the material safely, and subsequent testing confirmed that no radiological material was present in the small sealed container found in the room, and that there was no radiological hazard to staff or students. The Department has advised that students and staff were informed in writing at the earliest opportunity, principally via works notifications and emails.

1477 DISABLED PARKING PERMITS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

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- 1478 INFORMATION AND PRIVACY COMMISSION NSW DATA—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1479 GOLF BUGGY REGISTRATION—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1480 SCOTLAND ISLAND COMMUNITY VEHICLE—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1481 VEHICLE DATA—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1482 LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE OF CONDUCT COMPLAINTS—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Local Government—

- 1483 SUTHERLAND HOSPITAL FUNDING—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1484 POKER MACHINES TAX REVENUE—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1485 HAZARD REDUCTION BURNS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1486 SKILLED STATE NOMINATED VISAS- 2023-2024 MIGRATION PROGRAM AND STATE ALLOCATIONS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1487 SKILLED STATE NOMINATED VISAS- 2023-2024 MIGRATION PROGRAM AND STATE ALLOCATIONS- REGIONAL NEEDS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1488 FREE FERRY HOPPER SERVICE—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1489 FUNDING FOR BOARDRIDER CLUBS ON THE CENTRAL COAST—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1490 REGIONAL JOB CREATION FUNDING PROGRAM—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1491 FUEL DISCOUNT SCHEME WITH UNITED PETROL STATIONS—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Women, Minister for Seniors, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1492 STRONG COUNTRY COMMUNITIES FUND IN OXLEY—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1493 ROAD USER SPACE ALLOCATION POLICY—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1494 ROAD TUNNEL AIR QUALITY—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1495 REVIEW OF PART4AF OF THE CRIMES ACT—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Attorney General—
- 1496 REVIEW OF DIVISION 7 OF THE ROADS ACT—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1497 CRONULLA HIGH SCHOOL UPGRADE—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

- 1498 KAMAY BOTANY BAY NATIONAL PARK—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1499 CRONULLA SOCIAL HOUSING UPGRADE—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1500 SOCIAL HOUSING ACCELERATOR AGREEMENT—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1501 MULTI-USER WHARVES AT LA PEROUSE AND KURNELL—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1502 ACCESSIBILITY UPGRADES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1503 EXTENDED CLEARWAYS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1504 HEATHCOTE ROAD DUPLICATION—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1505 SCHOOL STUDENT TRANSPORT SCHEME—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1506 TAXI TRANSPORT SUBSIDY SCHEME—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1507 APPRENTICE VEHICLE REGISTRATION REBATE SCHEME—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1508 NSW CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL REVIEWS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1509 FIRE CREWS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1510 BASIX STANDARDS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

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- 1511 SYDNEY HARBOUR PETITION—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Premier—
- 1512 ALFORDS POINT ROAD—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

- 1513 AIR CONDITIONING IN CLASSROOMS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1514 WIDENING ALFORDS POINT ROAD—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1515 TOW TRUCK DRIVERS AND POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 1516 DAVIDSON HIGH SCHOOL UPGRADE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1517 MINISTERIAL STAFF DISCLOSURE OF GIFTS AND HOSPITALITY—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—
- 1518 BREACHES OF MINISTERIAL CODE OF CONDUCT—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—
- 1519 LINDFIELD LEARNING VILLAGE PROJECT—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1520 RED LIGHT SPEED CAMERA NOMINATION—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1521 FUNDING FOR WAMBERAL MEMORIAL HALL PARK—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1522 REGENTVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL FENCE—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1523 VICTORIA ROAD DRUMMOYNE MEETING—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1524 COMMUNITY BUILDING PARTNERSHIP GRANTS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1525 CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL TREASURER RESPONSE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1526 CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION RESPONSE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1527 STUDENT ENROLMENTS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1528 DRUMMOYNE FERRY WHARF REVIEW—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 1529 RHODES FERRY WHARF—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1530 RHODES EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1531 SOCIAL HOUSING UPGRADES—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1532 CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT AND SOUTH EAST LIGHT RAIL STOPS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1533 RENTAL PROPERTY ENERGY EFFICIENCY—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1534 ST LEONARDS CROWS NEST INFRASTRUCTURE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1535 BEACHES LINK AND GORE HILL FREEWAY CONNECTION PROJECT—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1536 EMERGENCY SERVICES LEVY—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1537 ABORIGINAL LAND CLAIMS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1538 ROYAL NORTH SHORE HOSPITAL—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1539 NSW BUILDING COMMISSIONER—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1540 NSW STRATA COMMISSIONER—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1541 WESTERN HARBOUR TUNNEL AND WARRINGAH FREEWAY UPGRADE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1542 WESTERN HARBOUR TUNNEL AND WARRINGAH FREEWAY UPGRADE TREE PLANTING AND REMOVAL—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1543 ESSENTIAL SERVICES FUND—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—

- 1544 ESSENTIAL SERVICES FUND- TREASURER RESPONSE—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1545 FUTURE OF WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY MILPERRA CAMPUS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1546 TRAIN DELAYS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1547 WALCHA FIRE STATION—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1548 COFFS HARBOUR BYPASS—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1549 FUNDING OF DESTINATION NSW PROGRAMS—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1550 DESTINATION NSW PROGRAMS FUNDING CUT—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1551 NORTH COAST SPENDING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1552 LANDCARE FUNDING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1553 EVENTS FUNDING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1554 RESILIENT HOMES PROGRAM TRANCHE 2—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1555 RESILIENT HOMES PROGRAM COMMONWEALTH FUNDING—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1556 RESILIENT HOMES PROGRAM NOTIFICATION—Mr Gurmesh Singh to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1557 NEW SCHOOLS FOR WESTMEAD—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1558 COMMUNITY BUILDING PARTNERSHIP AND LOCAL SPORT GRANT PROGRAM—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—

- 1559 NORTHMEAD SCHOOL UPGRADES—Mr Mark Taylor to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1560 NORTH TUNCURRY LANDCOM DEVELOPMENT—Mrs Tanya Thompson to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1561 RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS AGRICULTURE RESPONSE—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1562 RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS ENERGY RESPONSE—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1563 RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS PLANNING RESPONSE—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1564 COUNCIL DEMERGER—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1565 NSW CLUBS GRANTS PROGRAM—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1566 MATERNITY SERVICES AT MILTON HOSPITAL—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1567 PARKING AT SHOALHAVEN HOSPITAL—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1568 NSW SMALL BUSINESS STRATEGY 2023-26—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1569 SMALL BUSINESS BUREAU AND SMALL BUSINESS CHARTER—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1570 ARTIFICAL TURF SAFETY CONCERNS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1571 OUT OF AREA ENROLMENTS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1572 INFRASTUCTURE PROJECTS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1573 HOUSING SHORTAGE RESPONSE—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Local Government—

- 1574 SUPPORTING CHILDREN WITH COMPLEX NEEDS—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, Minister for Western Sydney, and Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1575 HEALTH ISSUES—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1576 RETIREMENT VILLAGE OMBUDSMAN SERVICE—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1577 ROUSE HILL HOSPITAL—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1578 INCREASE NUMBER OF POLICE STATIONS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

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- 1579 SOCIAL HOUSING FUNDING IN THE HOLSWORTHY ELECTORATE—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1580 VOYAGER POINT AND PLEASURE POINT GAS OUTAGE COMPENSATION—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1581 WESTINVEST LIGHT HORSE PARK UPGRADE PROJECT—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1582 SCHEDULED BUSHLAND HAZARD REDUCTION—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1583 AGRICULTURAL FUNDING SUPPORT FOR IMPENDING DROUGHT DECLARATION—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1584 DIALYSIS IN BARWON AND TRANSPORT OPTIONS TO DIALYSIS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1585 500 NEW JOBS FOR PARAMEDICS-BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1586 COUNTRY SHOW SUPPORT PACKAGE—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1587 EXTRA FULLTIME ADMIN STAFF IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN REGIONAL NSW AND METRO— Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

- 1588 FREE DENTAL IN SCHOOLS- BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1589 GRANT PROGRAMS-BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1590 INVESTMENT IN REGIONAL SCHOOLS BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1591 LOCAL SMALL COMMITMENTS ALLOCATION PROGRAM PROCESS—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Premier—
- 1592 ONCOLOGY NURSES IN REGIONAL NSW NUMBERS AND VACANCIES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1593 MONA VALE ROAD BETWEEN TERREY HILLS AND ST IVES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1594 CHILD FEE RELIEF FOR LONG DAY CARE—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1595 SENIOR SAVERS CARD—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1596 UNAUTHORISED ACCESS AND GRAFFITI IN FRENCHS FOREST—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1597 ELIZABETH DRIVE IMPROVEMENTS—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1598 ELIZABETH DRIVE ALLOCATION—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1599 MAMRE ROAD UPGRADE—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1600 ROAD UPGRADES—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1601 TRAFFIC AND SAFETY CONGESTION ISSUES, ANNANGROVE ROAD, ANNANGROVE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1602 TRAFFIC SAFETY AND TRAFFIC CONGESTION ISSUES, OLD NORTHERN ROAD, DURAL—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for

- Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1603 TRAFFIC SAFETY AND TRAFFIC CONGESTION ISSUES, CASTLE HILL ROAD AND HILLS ROAD, WEST PENNANT HILLS—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1604 FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING WINDSOR ROAD, BAULKHAM HILLS—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1605 FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING TRAFFIC SAFETY AND TRAFFIC CONGESTION ISSUES, NEWLINE ROAD, CHERRYBROOK/DURAL—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1606 FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING TRAFFIC SAFETY AND TRAFFIC CONGESTION ISSUES, OLD NORTHERN ROAD, DURAL—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1607 ABORIGINAL LAND CLAIMS—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1608 VEHICLE DATA FOR ELECTRIC, HYDROGEN, PETROL AND DIESEL VEHICLES—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1609 SUPPORT FOR RURAL FARMERS—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1610 START STRONG PROGRAM IN THE OXLEY ELECTORATE—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1611 SUPPORT FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1612 MELROSE PARK PUBLIC SCHOOL REDEVELOPMENT—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1613 MELROSE PARK TRANSPORT BRIDGE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1614 ANZAC PARK MASTERPLAN- WEST RYDE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1615 MACQUARIE PARK EDUCATION PRECINCT—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

- 1616 BANK STREET TRAFFIC LIGHTS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1617 OFFICE OF OVERSEAS SKILLS RECOGNITION—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1618 MAJOR PROJECTS SUBMISSION PORTAL—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1619 PARRAMATTA LIGHT RAIL IMPACT ON MELROSE PARK COMMUNITY—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1620 ROUTE MATCH—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- SENIORS ENERGY REBATE—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1622 ENERGY ACCOUNTS PAYMENT ASSISTANCE SCHEME—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1623 NATIONAL ENERGY BILL RELIEF SCHEME—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1624 POLITICAL COMMUNICATION IN PUBLIC SPACES—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1625 REINSTATEMENT OF ROUTE 370—Ms Kobi Shetty to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1626 E-CIGARETTE COMPLIANCE—Ms Kellie Sloane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1627 QUIET CARRIAGES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1628 AIR QUALITY MONITORING SITES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1629 SUTHERLAND HOSPITAL PROGRAMS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1630 TRANSPORT FOR NSW LAND—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1631 POLICE STATION OPENING HOURS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—

- 1632 SUTHERLAND COURT HOUSE THERAPY DOGS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Attorney General—
- 1633 SUTHERLAND COURT HOUSE UPGRADES OR MAINTENANCE—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Attorney General—
- 1634 SUTHERLAND COURT HOUSE MAGISTRATE ALLOCATION—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Attorney General—
- 1635 SUTHERLAND COURT HOUSE WAITING TIMES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Attorney General—
- 1636 KURNELL PRECINCT OF KAMAY BOTANY BAY WHARF FACILITIES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1637 KURNELL AND LA PEROUSE FACILITIES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1638 FIRE AND RESCUE STAFFING AND RECRUITMENT—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1639 BATHURST HOSPITAL—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1640 PULSE PROGRAM—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1641 NSW POLICE DOGS—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1642 HERITAGE ORDER FOR KENMORE HOSPITAL PROPERTY—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1643 PET REGISTRY—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1644 FUNDING PROGRAMS FOR SMALL BUSINESSES—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1645 PEDESTRIAN LIFTS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1646 RESPONSE TO CORRESPONDENCE—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1647 SCHOOL PROGRAMS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

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- 1648 NSW POLICE DOGS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1649 RESTART NSW PROJECTS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1650 AIR-CONDITIONING IN CLASSROOMS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- WEE WAA EVACUATION POINT—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1652 FERALSCAN DATA ENTRY—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1653 AUTHORISED CAMPAIGNS AND CATEGORY D LICENCE HOLDERS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1654 VETERANS ORGANISATION FUNDING—Mr Justin Clancy to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1655 WEEKEND DOCTORS—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1656 WESTERN SYDNEY AIRPORT AND METRO UPDATE—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1657 OXLEY PRESCHOOL ACCESS—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1658 ABORIGINAL LAND CLAIMS—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1659 AIR-CODNITIONING IN CLASSROOMS—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1660 NSW BLUES CRICKET TEAM SPONSORSHIP—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1661 FIXING COUNTRY ROADS PROGRAM—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1662 SAVINGS FINDER—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

- 1663 TAXI TRANSPORT SUBSIDY SCHEME—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1664 BOAT DRIVING LICENCES—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1665 POLICE NUMBERS—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1666 OBERON WIND FARM—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1667 CONCESSIONAL DRIVER LICENCE RENEWAL SCHEME—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1668 KENMORE HOSPITAL HERITAGE ORDER—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1669 SMALL BUSINESS ASSISTANCE—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1670 OXLEY HIGHWAY UPGRADE—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1671 REGIONAL CITIES AND BUS SERVICES—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1672 INVESTIGATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 440H OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1993— Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Local Government—
- 1673 DHARUG SOCIAL ENTERPRISE PROPOSAL—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

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- 1674 AMBULANCE TRANSPORT DATA—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1675 MONA VALE ROAD ACCIDENTS—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Premier—
- 1676 MONA VALE ROAD ACCIDENTS—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1677 LOCAL SMALL COMMITMENT ALLOCATION PROGRAM—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Premier—
- 1678 LOCAL SMALL COMMITMENT ALLOCATION PROGRAM—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—

- 1679 LOCAL SMALL COMMITMENT ALLOCATION PROGRAM—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 1680 TRAILERS AND CARAVAN DATA—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1681 NORTHERN BEACHES HOUSING TARGET—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1682 DEE WHY AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1683 GEORGES RIVER KOALA NATIONAL PARK—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1684 LIVERPOOL COURT HOUSE WAITING TIMES—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Attorney General—
- 1685 HIGHWAY INTERSECTION UPGRADE—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1686 FIRE ANT RESPONSE STRATEGY—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1687 SUPPORTING COMMUNITIES WITH SEASONAL POPULATIONS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1688 BREAK AND ENTERS IN THE OATLEY ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1689 CO-EDUATION IN THE OATLEY ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1690 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RELATED ASSAULTS IN THE OATLEY ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1691 POLICE STAFFING IN RIVERWOOD—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1692 POLICE STAFFING NUMBERS IN ST GEORGE REGION—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1693 REDEVELOPMENT OF POLICE STATIONS IN ST GEORGE REGION—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1694 ST GEORGE TAFE—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1695 ST GEORGE TAFE PRIVATISATION OR SALE—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—

- 1696 SUPPORT FOR ASYLUM SEEKERS AND REFUGEES—Mr Mark Coure to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1697 WORKERS COMPENSATION—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 1698 BUSINESSES PAYING WORKERS COMPENSATION—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Industrial Relations, and Minister for Work Health and Safety—
- 1699 QATAR AIRWAYS PROPOSAL—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1700 LIGHTING UP THE OPERA HOUSE FOR ISRAEL—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1701 TRANSPORT TIMETABLES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1702 COASTAL MANAGEMENT AND PROTECTION WORKS—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1703 LAND TRANSFER OF GOVERNMENT LAND—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1704 GAMBLING IN NEW SOUTH WALES—Mrs Tanya Davies to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1705 SMALL BUSINESS ASSISTANCE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1706 SERVICE NSW LOCATIONS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1707 SERVICE NSW SAVINGS FINDER—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1708 COST OF LIVING FOR SELF-FUNDED RETIREES—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1709 LAND TAX FOR SELF-FUNDED RETIREES—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1710 AIR CONDITIONING IN CLASSROOMS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1711 BUS INDUSTRY TASKFORCE—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1712 BRIDJI BUS—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1713 SYDNEY METRO WEST REVIEW—Ms Stephanie Di Pasqua to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 1714 ISOBUTYL NITRITE—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1715 DOCKED SHARE BIKES—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1716 NON-RESIDENT TEACHERS—Mr Alex Greenwich to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1717 SOCIAL HOUSING UPGRADES IN CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1718 SYDNEY METRO CHATSWOOD DIVE SITE—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1719 NORTHERN SYDNEY LOCALHEALTH DISTRICT CLINICAL SERVICES PLAN—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1720 COMPLYING DEVELOPMENT CERTIFICATES PROCESS—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1721 NEW SOUTH WALES RENTAL COMMISSIONER—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Better Regulation and Fair Trading, Minister for Industry and Trade, Minister for Innovation, Science and Technology, Minister for Building, and Minister for Corrections—
- 1722 REFORM LAWS IN RELATION TO DEMOLITION—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1723 HERBERT STREET PRECINCT DEVELOPMENT—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1724 LOWER NORTH SHORE NEW AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1725 REVIEW OF ALTERNATIVE TO CANCELLED BEACHES LINK PROJECT—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1726 ST LEONARDS HOUSING GROWTH—Mr Tim James to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1727 PAYROLL TAX—The Hon. Adam Marshall to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1728 GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT—Ms Eleni Petinos to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 1729 BUS ROUTE CANCELLATIONS—Ms Eleni Petinos to ask the Minister for Transport—

- 1730 TEMPORARY ACCOMODATION BUDGET—Ms Eleni Petinos to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1731 STAMP DUTY IN MIRANDA—Ms Eleni Petinos to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 1732 SCHOOL MAINTENANCE—Ms Eleni Petinos to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1733 ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1734 CREATIVE KIDS VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1735 FIRST LAP VOUCHERS—Mr Geoff Provest to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1736 GARDENS OF STONE NATIONAL PARK—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
- 1737 WOMEN AND CHILDREN SHELTERS—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Women, Minister for Seniors, and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault—
- 1738 LITHGOW MOUNTAIN BIKE TRAIL—The Hon. Paul Toole to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1739 REGIONAL RAIL TRAIN UPGRADES—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1740 REPRIORITISATION OF UNALLOCATED FUNDS AND REGIONAL GROWTH FUND—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1741 JERVIS BAY ROAD INTERCHANGE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1742 ADOPTION METRICS—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Families and Communities, and Minister for Disability Inclusion—
- 1743 TRIPOLI WAY POST ELECTION—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1744 NSW AMBULANCE INFRASTRUCTURE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1745 SPEED CAMERA REVENUE—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

- 1746 BUILD-TO-RENT HOUSING PLAN—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1747 OFFSHORE WIND FARMS AND ALTERNATIVES—Mr Gareth Ward to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—

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- 1748 PLEASURE POINT TRAFFIC STUDIES—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1749 ABORIGINAL LAND CLAIMS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
- 1750 TONNAGE LIMITS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1751 BARIATRIC AMBULANCES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1752 READING LEVEL STANDARDS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1753 KAMILAROI HIGHWAY BARRIERS—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1754 LITHIUM BATTERY FIRES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Premier—
- 1755 OUT OF HOURS SCHOOL CARE—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1756 PROTECTION FOR FARMLAND BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1757 REGIONAL JOB CREATION FUND—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1758 REGIONAL TRUST FUND—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1759 RENEWABLE ENERGY ZONES BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—

- 1760 SOCIAL HOUSING BUDGET COMMITMENT—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
- 1761 STAMP DUTY EXEMPTION FOR PENSIONERS AND RETIREES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1762 SYDNEY WATER PIPELINE CORRIDOR—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1763 OFFICIAL WEBSITES—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—
- 1764 DRUG SUMMIT—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
- 1765 POTHOLE REPAIR FUNDING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1766 LAND TAX CONCESSIONS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
- 1767 PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1768 KNIFE CRIMES IN CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1769 BREAK AND ENTERS IN CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1770 BREAK AND ENTERS IN OXLEY ELECTORATE—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
- 1771 PAYROLL TAX—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—
- 1772 FIRE AND RESCUE NSW STATION 221—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
- 1773 GREATER SYDNEY DROUGHT RESPONSE PLAN—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1774 EASTWOOD CULTURAL CENTRE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—

- 1775 HIGH DENSITY HOUSING—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
- 1776 VICTORIA ROAD WIDENING—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1777 SOCIAL HOUSING UPGRADE—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1778 SOCIAL HOUSING NEW SUPPLY—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1779 SYDNEY WATER WORKS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1780 TAFE PROJECTS—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1781 SOCIAL HOUSING ACCELERATOR AGREEMENT—Mr Jordan Lane to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast representing the Minister for Water, Minister for Housing, Minister for Homelessness, Minister for Mental Health, Minister for Youth, and Minister for the North Coast—
- 1782 MUSIC FESTIVALS AND EVENTS IN SUTHERLAND SHIRE—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
- 1783 TAFE NSW UPGRADES AND MAINTENANCE—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education—
- 1784 PET FRIENDLY CARRIAGES—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1785 SCHOOL SUSPENSIONS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
- 1786 CROOKWELL PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
- 1787 RENEWABLE ENERGY ZONES—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1788 AMENDING PLANNING PROPOSALS PROCESS—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—
- 1789 ACOUSTIC MEASUREMENTS FOR RAIL NOISE—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Transport—
- 1790 LAND VALUE ASSESSMENTS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—

1791 LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT MATTERS—Mr Ray Williams to ask the Minister for Local Government—

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- 1792 FIXED SPEED CAMERAS IN SCHOOL ZONES—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
  - (1) Could the Minister please advise the following at each of the fixed speed cameras in school zones during the listed financial years:
    - the number of speeding fines issued for offences of 0-10km/h over the speed limit,
    - the number of speeding fines issued for offences of 10-20km/h over the speed limit,
    - the number of speeding fines issued for offences of 20-30km/h over the speed limit,
    - the number of speeding fines issued for offences of 30-45km/h over the speed limit,
    - the number of speeding fines issued for offences of over 45km/h over the speed limit,
    - (a) Narrabeen (Pittwater Road, between Ocean Street and Devitt Street) Southbound:
      - (i) 2022/23?
      - (ii) 2021/22?
      - (iii) 2020/21?
      - (iv) 2019/20?
    - (b) Narrabeen (Pittwater Road, between Ocean Street and Devitt Street) Northbound:
      - (i) 2022/23?
      - (ii) 2021/22?
      - (iii) 2020/21?
      - (iv) 2019/20?
    - (c) North Narrabeen (Pittwater Road between Garden Street and Namona Street) Southbound:
      - (i) 2022/23?
      - (ii) 2021/22?
      - (iii) 2020/21?
      - (iv) 2019/20?
    - (d) North Narrabeen (Pittwater Road between Garden Street and Namona Street) Northbound:
      - (i) 2022/23?
      - (ii) 2021/22?
      - (iii) 2020/21?
      - (iv) 2019/20?
  - (2) Could the Minister please advise the revenue generated for each of the following fixed speed cameras in school zones during each of the listed financial years:
    - (a) Narrabeen (Pittwater Road, between Ocean Street and Devitt Street) Southbound:

- (i) 2022/23?
- (ii) 2021/22?
- (iii) 2020/21?
- (iv) 2019/20?
- (b) Narrabeen (Pittwater Road, between Ocean Street and Devitt Street) Northbound:
  - (i) 2022/23?
  - (ii) 2021/22?
  - (iii) 2020/21?
  - (iv) 2019/20?
- (c) North Narrabeen (Pittwater Road between Garden Street and Namona Street) Southbound:
  - (i) 2022/23?
  - (ii) 2021/22?
  - (iii) 2020/21?
  - (iv) 2019/20?
- (d) North Narrabeen (Pittwater Road between Garden Street and Namona Street) Northbound:
  - (i) 2022/23?
  - (ii) 2021/22?
  - (iii) 2020/21?
  - (iv) 2019/20?
- 1793 AVALON AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) In relation to the Avalon Ambulance Station (at 697-699 Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach), could the Minister please let me know:
    - (a) What is the current status of the lease?
      - (i) Has the lease terminated with an option to renew for a period "2 Five (5) years"?
      - (ii) If so, when did this occur?
    - (b) Noting the available options under the lease, what is the current termination date of the lease?
    - (c) Does the Government have current plans to seek a further lease and/or a renewal of the lease) assuming the "2 x Five (5) years" options are exercised?
- 1794 PITTWATER ROAD AND WAKEHURST PARKWAY INTERSECTION—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport representing the Special Minister of State, Minister for Roads, Minister for the Arts, Minister for Music and the Night-time Economy, and Minister for Jobs and Tourism—
  - (1) Are there any plans to upgrade or undertake works on the intersection of Pittwater Road and Wakehurst Parkway
    - (a) If yes, what is the estimated costs associated with upgrading the intersection?
  - (2) Have any concepts been developed regarding the upgrade or works on the above intersection?
    - (a) If so, when were these plans developed?

- 1795 KEORIDE ON DEMAND TRANSPORT SERVICES ON THE NORTHERN BEACHES—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Could the Minister please:
    - (a) Advise the exact date on which the current contract with Keolis Downer in respect of the Keoride On-Demand Transport services on the Northern Beaches will expire?
    - (b) Advise if the Government has current plans to renew the contract and the provision of the Keoride services?
- 1796 NARRABEEN AMBULANCE STATION—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) Could the Minister please advise if the Government has ruled out selling the Narrabeen Ambulance Station to property developers once it is closed?
- 1797 SERVICE NSW WARRIEWOOD FULL TIME STAFF—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice—
  - (1) Could the Minister please advise:
    - (a) How many full-time equivalent staff were employed at Service NSW Warriewood at each of the following dates:
      - (i) 30 June 2023
      - (ii) 31 December 2022
      - (iii) 30 June 2022
      - (iv) 31 December 2021
      - (v) 30 June 2021
      - (vi) 31 December 2020
      - (vii) 30 June 2020
      - (viii) 31 December 2019
    - (b) How many casual staff were employed at Service NSW Warriewood at each of the above listed dates?
- 1798 PAYROLL TAX REVENUE—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
  - (1) Could the Minister please advise:
    - (a) The exact payroll tax revenue paid by businesses registered in each of the following post codes: 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2084, 2097, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2099, 2100, for each of the following years (please provide the figures by postcode):
      - (i) 2022/23?
      - (ii) 2021/22?
      - (iii) 2020/21?
      - (iv) 2019/20?
      - (v) 2018/19?

- (b) How many businesses registered in each of the following postcodes: 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2084, 2097, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2099, 2100, paid payroll tax in each of the following years (please provide the figures by postcode):
  - (i) 2022/23?
  - (ii) 2021/22?
  - (iii) 2020/21?
  - (iv) 2019/20?
  - (v) 2018/19?
- (c) How many businesses registered in each of the following postcodes: 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2084, 2097, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2099, 2100, currently have a payroll tax liability?
  - (i) Please provide the total dollar figure of the payroll tax liability by each postcode.
- 1799 FULL TIME TEACHERS IN PITTWATER ELECTORATE—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) As of the date for which the most recent data is available, how many fulltime equivalent (FTE) teachers are employed at each public school across the Pittwater electorate?
    - (a) Of this information, how many FTE teacher vacancies are currently noted for each public school across the Pittwater electorate?
    - (b) As of the date for which the most recent data is available, how many temporary teachers and support staff are employed at public schools across the Pittwater electorate?
    - Please provide the above answers for each school individually.
  - (2) How many temporary teachers and support staff have been or will be offered a permanent position at a public school in the Pittwater electorate?
    - Please advise the number of offers for each public school in Pittwater individually.
- 1800 FULL TIME POLICE IN THE NORTHERN BEACHES POLICE AREA COMMAND—Mr Rory Amon to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) As at the date for which the most recent data is available, what is the exact number of full-time equivalent police officers are allocated to the Northern Beaches Police Area Command?
    - (a) Of these district/command areas, how many current full-time employment vacancies are at each police station?
    - (b) Of the full-time equivalent referenced above, what is the exact number currently:
      - (i) On long service leave,
      - (ii) On administrative or sick leave relating to workplace injuries or experiences,
      - (iii) On parental leave,
      - (iv) Seconded to task forces or other Area Commands outside of the Northern Beaches.
  - (2) What is the Government doing to fill any vacancies?
- 1801 PAYROLL TAX THRESHOLDS—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—

With regards to payroll tax thresholds:

- (1) Can the Treasurer advise how many businesses became exempt of payroll tax after the threshold increased from \$900 000 to \$1 200 000 starting in the 2020/21 financial year in;
  - (a) Sutherland Shire Local Government Area?
  - (b) Liverpool Local Government Area?
- 1802 HOUSING AND PRODUCTIVITY COMMISSION—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces representing the Treasurer—

With respect to the Housing and Productivity Contribution:

- (1) What windfall is expected from new development applications from the Housing and Productivity Contribution in the Liverpool Local Government Area for the rest of the financial year?
- (2) What windfall is expected from new development applications from the Housing and Productivity Contribution in the Sutherland Shire Local Government Area for the rest of the financial year?
- (3) Can the Treasurer provide a breakdown of expected windfall for residential, industrial, and commercial for each Local Government Area?
- 1803 EDUCATION FUTURE FUND—Mrs Tina Ayyad to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

In relation to the Government's Election Commitment to the Education Future Fund:

- (1) Can the Minister advise the number of vacancies of Full-Time, Part-Time, and Casual teacher positions in the Holsworthy Electorate?
- (2) Can the Minister advise the number of vacancies of Teacher Aide Positions in the Holsworthy Electorate?
- (3) Can the Minister advise the number of vacancies of School Counsellor positions in the Holsworthy Electorate?
- 1804 WILD DOG FENCE EXTENSION PROJECT—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
  - (1) In reference to the Ministers response to Question 243 (24/05/2023) regarding the Wild Dog Fence Extension Project. It was stated that construction of the 32 km priority section of the fence would commence once all relevant approvals were in place. Can the Minister confirm whether these approvals have been finalised?
    - (a) If so, when does the Minister expect construction works to begin?
    - (b) If not, can the Minister advise what is holding up the approval process?
- 1805 PERPETUAL LEASEHOLDERS HOSTING WIND TURBINES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—
  - (1) Do perpetuity leaseholders who host wind farms on their agricultural land receive ongoing rent from developers, at various rates depending on the conditions of individual agreements?
  - (2) If so, can the Minister advise why Crown Lands have the authority to deduct between 40-50% of the annual rent back from the Leaseholder?
- 1806 PATIENT TRANSFERS FROM PRIVATE RESIDENCES—Mr Roy Butler to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

- (1) Are paramedics being called on to perform patient transfers because the designated Patient Transfer services are unable to transport patients from private residences or from aged care due to Local Health District payment agreements?
- (2) Is the Minister planning to investigate ways to renegotiate these agreements to allow Patient Transfer services to take over these duties to free up paramedics for their core duties?
- 1807 PERMANENT NURSES AND MIDWIVES—Ms Steph Cooke to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to \$572m allocated in the Budget to making 1112 nurses and midwives permanent:

- (1) How many nurses will be made permanent at the following facilities;
  - (a) Murrumbidgee Local Health District;
    - (i) Boorowa Multipurpose Service?
    - (ii) Coolamon Ganmain Multipurpose Service?
    - (iii) Cootamundra Hospital?
    - (iv) Gundagai Multipurpose Service?
    - (v) Junee Multipurpose Service?
    - (vi) Murrumburrah-Harden Hospital?
    - (vii) Narrandera Hospital?
    - (viii) Temora Hospital?
    - (ix) West Wyalong Hospital?
    - (x) Young Hospital?
  - (b) Western New South Wales Local Health District;
    - (i) Canowindra Soldiers Memorial Hospital?
    - (ii) Cowra Hospital?
    - (iii) Grenfell Multipurpose Service?
- (2) How many midwives will be made permanent at the following facilities;
  - (a) Murrumbidgee Local Health District;
    - (i) Boorowa Multipurpose Service?
    - (ii) Coolamon Ganmain Multipurpose Service?
    - (iii) Cootamundra Hospital?
    - (iv) Gundagai Multipurpose Service?
    - (v) Junee Multipurpose Service?
    - (vi) Murrumburrah-Harden Hospital?
    - (vii) Narrandera Hospital?
    - (viii) Temora Hospital?
    - (ix) West Wyalong Hospital?
    - (x) Young Hospital?

- (b) Western New South Wales Local Health District;
  - (i) Canowindra Soldiers Memorial Hospital?
  - (ii) Cowra Hospital?
  - (iii) Grenfell Multipurpose Service?
- (3) What is the commencement date of permanent midwives and nursing staff for each of these facilities;
  - (a) Murrumbidgee Local Health District;
    - (i) Boorowa Multipurpose Service?
    - (ii) Coolamon Ganmain Multipurpose Service?
    - (iii) Cootamundra Hospital?
    - (iv) Gundagai Multipurpose Service?
    - (v) Junee Multipurpose Service?
    - (vi) Murrumburrah-Harden Hospital?
    - (vii) Narrandera Hospital?
    - (viii) Temora Hospital?
    - (ix) West Wyalong Hospital?
    - (x) Young Hospital?
  - (b) Western New South Wales Local Health District;
    - (i) Canowindra Soldiers Memorial Hospital?
    - (ii) Cowra Hospital?
    - (iii) Grenfell Multipurpose Service?
- 1808 DOWNSIZING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces—

Can the Minister advise how the Government is working to reduce the economic barrier to downsizing to provide greater housing supply for young families?

1809 PREVENTATIVE HEALTH SPENDING—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to the \$30.5 billion committed in the 2023-24 Budget to Health, what percentage is being spent on preventative health?

1810 NEW SOUTH WALES HEALTHY EATING AND ACTIVE LIVING STRATEGY—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—

In relation to the New South Wales Healthy Eating and Active Living Strategy 2022-2032: Guiding the next decade of overweight and obesity prevention in New South Wales

- (1) Have you received a briefing about the strategy from NSW Health?
- (2) Will there be an update to the targets before the 10 year mark in 2030 (reporting in 2032) to ensure the targets are on track?
- 1811 STATE RECORDS ACT OBLIGATIONS—Mr Matt Cross to ask the Premier—

Is the Premier's Office complying with the recordkeeping obligations set out in the State Records Act 1998?

- 1812 INTERCITY FLEET PASSENGER SERVICE TRAINS—Mr Adam Crouch to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Can the Minister advise what date the new Intercity Fleet trains will be activated?
  - (2) Can the Minister advise if the Central Coast will still be the first region to receive the new Intercity Train Fleet?.
  - (3) Can the Minister advise the scope of works that is being done on the new Intercity Train Fleet and the total cost?
- 1813 HIGH DENSITY HOUSING WITHIN CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
  - (1) Has the Government identified any parcels of land within the Castle Hill Electorate for high density housing? If so, please advise;
    - (a) Please specify each parcel of land identified for high density housing.
    - (b) Please specify the date upon which the decision was made.
    - (c) Please specify what consultation was made prior to the decision.
- 1814 CASTLE HILL ELECTORATE SCHOOL ENROLMENTS—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—
  - (1) For each public school within the Castle Hill Electorate please specify;
    - (a) How many students are enrolled for the current school year?
    - (b) Has the Department of Education forecast as to how many students will live within each school's catchment area for the next five years?
      - (i) If so, for each public school please set out the number of students forecast to live in each school's catchment area.
- 1815 PARKING NEAR METRO RAILWAY STATIONS—Mr Mark Hodges to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) Does the Government have any plans to increase the number of commuter parking spaces available at the following Metro Railway Stations:
    - (a) Castle Hill Showground?
    - (b) Castle Hill?
    - (c) Cherrybrook?
- 1816 ROAD MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS IN OXLEY ELECTORATE—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
  - (1) For each of the four Councils in the Oxley Electorate how much funding has been allocated in each of the following years for road maintenance and repairs through the Regional Road Block Grants Program, REPAIR Program or through Natural Disaster Funding Assistance programs;
    - (a) 2023?
    - (b) 2022?
    - (c) 2021?

(d)	2020?
(e)	2019?

(f)

2018?

1817 STRONGER COUNTRY COMMUNITIES FUND—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Skills, TAFE and Tertiary Education representing the Minister for Agriculture, Minister for Regional New South Wales, and Minister for Western New South Wales—

For each local government area in the Oxley Electorate, can you please provide;

- (1) The total number of projects approved through the Stronger Country Communities Fund?
- (2) The total value of the projects approved through the Stronger Country Communities Fund?
- (3) The total number of projects approved through the Stronger Country Communities Fund that are yet to be completed?
- 1818 VETERANS ORGANISATION FUNDING—Mr Michael Kemp to ask the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and Treaty, Minister for Gaming and Racing, Minister for Veterans, Minister for Medical Research, and Minister for the Central Coast—
  - (1) What is the total funding provided by the Government to veterans' organisations in the Oxley electorate for the periods;
    - (a) 2023?
    - (b) 2022?
    - (c) 2021?
    - (d) 2020?
    - (e) 2019?
  - (2) Which veterans' organisations have received funding in the Oxley electorate for the following periods and how much funding have they received;
    - (a) 2023?
    - (b) 2022?
    - (c) 2021?
    - (d) 2020?
    - (e) 2019?
- 1819 COVID-19 FINES—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Attorney General representing the Minister for Finance, Minister for Domestic Manufacturing and Government Procurement, and Minister for Natural Resources—
  - (1) Is the Government bringing legal proceedings in relation to 29,000 penalty notices issued by NSW Police during COVID-related lockdowns in 2020 and 2021?
    - (a) If so, why?
  - (2) How much public money is being used to fund the bringing of these legal matters?
- 1820 COVID-19 FINES POLICE RESPONSE—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Minister for Police and Counter-terrorism, and Minister for the Hunter—
  - (1) Is the Government bringing legal proceedings in relation to 29,000 penalty notices issued by NSW Police during COVID-related lockdowns in 2020 and 2021?

- (a) If so, why?
- (2) How much public money is being used to fund the bringing of these legal matters?
- 1821 STATE FUNERALS AND MEMORIALS—Ms Jenny Leong to ask the Premier—
  - (1) What, if any, is the procedure for New South Wales residents to formally request a person be considered for a State funeral or memorial?
  - (2) Given the time sensitive nature of such requests, are there any guidelines for how long it should take the Premier's Department to respond to New South Wales residents who have contacted the Department to suggest someone be considered for a State funeral or memorial?
  - (3) What are the current policies determining eligibility for State funerals?
  - (4) Is there any data available about State funerals? If so, what proportion of State funerals have historically been awarded to:
    - (a) Men compared to women?
    - (b) People who have worked in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths?
- 1822 PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLMENTS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Deputy Premier, Minister for Education and Early Learning, and Minister for Western Sydney—

Separately for each public school in the Cronulla electorate other than Caringbah High School, as at the date for which the most recent data are available (and specifying what that date is):

- (1) How many students are currently enrolled from outside the school's catchment area?
- (2) How many students are enrolled for 2024 from outside the school's catchment area?
- (3) How many students have applied for enrolment for 2024 from outside the school's catchment area?
- 1823 SCHOOL BUS SEATBELTS—The Hon. Mark Speakman to ask the Minister for Transport—
  - (1) What is the status of progress on the retrofitting of seatbelts on school buses in the Sutherland Shire, including number of buses where retrofitting is completed, number of buses yet to be completed, and timetable for completion?
  - (2) What is the status of the balance of implementation of the NSW Rural and Regional Seatbelts Program in the Sutherland Shire, including number of buses where retrofitting is completed, number of buses yet to be completed, and timetable for completion?
- 1824 ENERGY SAVINGS SCHEME—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Customer Service and Digital Government, Minister for Emergency Services, and Minister for Youth Justice representing the Minister for Climate Change, Minister for Energy, Minister for the Environment, and Minister for Heritage—
  - (1) How many households and businesses within the Goulburn electorate have taken up the New South Wales Energy Savings Scheme since the changes introduced on 14 April 2023?
  - (2) What is the exact number of households and what is the exact number businesses within the Goulburn electorate which have upgraded the following under this program:
    - (a) Hot Water Units?
    - (b) Airconditioning?
    - (c) Pool Pumps?
    - (d) Household lighting?

- (3) How many Accredited Service Providers regarding each of these programs currently operate across New South Wales?
- (4) How many Accredited Service Providers regarding each of these programs currently operate in the Goulburn electorate?
- (5) What current measures has or will the Government take to increase awareness surrounding the availability of the program for consumers?
- (6) What current measures has or will the Government take to increase awareness surrounding the availability of the program for business?
- 1825 PALLIATIVE CARE—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Health, Minister for Regional Health, and Minister for the Illawarra and the South Coast—
  - (1) Was there an allocation in the 2023-24 Budget for palliative care services in the Goulburn electorate?
  - (2) If so, please provide details, by facility, on;
    - (a) recurrent expenditure?
    - (b) capital expenditure?
- 1826 MARULAN HIGHWAY WORKS—Mrs Wendy Tuckerman to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

With regard to the recently published "Outline of the proposed works at the Hume Highway Marulan from 13 October to 3 November":

- (1) Was a plan ever presented to residents to replace all damaged concrete with new concrete and surface with bitumen?
  - (a) If so, has this plan been downgraded to replacing concrete pavement slabs in various locations?
- (2) What is the budget for the rectification of both sides of the Hume at Marulan?
  - (a) Has this budget been allocated to the project?
- (3) The diagram of the works stage 2 from Highland Way 2.5 km south appears to exclude the damaged section of the southbound Highway from the exit lane of the BP Southbound to the overhead bridge at South Marulan will this area be completely rectified?
  - (a) If not, why?
- (4) Is the most recent plan the result of the latest survey?
  - (a) Are there differences from previous survey proposals given to the residents?
    - (i) If so, why?
- (5) Have bridge works been completed?
  - (a) If not, why?
- (6) In relation to those bridge works, has testing only been conducted for two of the crossover lanes?
  - (a) If so, why?
- (7) What consideration has been given to the northbound access of Highland Way for heavy vehicles on Murrimba Road, crossing the Southern Rail line at Wingello?
- 1827 PORT MACQUARIE FERRY SERVICES—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—

- (1) Has the Government commenced any investigations into taking over the operation of the two vehicular ferry services in Port Macquarie to help ease the cost burden to Port Macquarie-Hastings Council?
- (2) If not, why not?
- 1828 PACIFIC HIGHWAY AND OXLEY HIGHWAY INTERCHANGE PROJECT—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Regional Transport and Roads—
  - (1) When is work expected to commence to extend the north bound off ramp on the Pacific Highway and Oxley Highway interchange?
  - (2) How long will construction take for this project?
- 1829 PAUSE ON SALE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY—The Hon. Leslie Williams to ask the Minister for Small Business, Minister for Lands and Property, Minister for Multiculturalism, and Minister for Sport—
  - (1) Have you implemented a pause on the sale of excess Government property?
    - (a) If yes, can you advise how long this pause will be in place?
  - (2) Can you advise when this pause will be lifted?

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