Questions from Mr Clarke

1. Does the NSW Government have any plans to privatise the Shoalhaven Correctional Facility, which is scheduled to be opened by 2011?

Answer:

No, the South Coast Correctional Centre will be operated by Corrective Services NSW.

2. Has the Member for Kiama made any representations to the Minister or Department inquiring about the possible privatisation of the new Shoalhaven Correctional Facility?

Answer:

In 2008, the Member for Kiama forwarded an item of correspondence from a constituency group within his electorate for response by the former Minister for Corrective Services, the Hon. John Hatzistergos MLC. The Member did not provide any personal commentary or representation on the subject matter of the correspondence.

3. Has the Member for Kiama made any representations to the Minister or Department arguing for the privatisation of the new Shoalhaven Correctional Facility?

Answer:

Refer to answer 2.

The Hon. Phillip Costa MP

Minister for Water

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