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QUESTIONS

Questions from Shaoquett Moselmane [on behalf of the NSW Labor Opposition]

Justice and Police

Border Force

1. What was the date of the last joint operation with the Border Force?
 - a) How many took place in August?
 - b) How many took place in July
 - c) How many took place in June
 - d) How many have taken place since the Border Force was created?
2. How many raids of brothels have been undertaken with the Border Force?
 - a) How many arrests resulted from these raids?
3. How many non-brothel raids have been undertaken with the Border Force?
 - a) What were these premises?
 - b) How many arrests resulted from these raids?
4. Is the Minister made aware of all operations undertaken with the Border Force?
5. Have any operations conducted included random visa checks?
6. Has the NSW Government of NSW Police Force been approached to conduct operations with the Border Force that will include random visa checks?
7. Can you guarantee that there will not be any joint operation with Border Force in the future?
8. Will the NSW Government cooperate with any plans to randomly check passers-by for valid visas?
9. Are there any guidelines for how to spot a visa fraudster?
10. Is there a memorandum of understanding or service agreement with the Australian border Force?
 - a) Has there ever been? Please include a list with any operational specific service agreements or MOU's.
11. How many MOU's or service agreements existed with the Federal agencies that have been replaced by Border force?

Single Unit Policing

12. How many single unit police patrols are scheduled to take place between now and the end of the year?
13. How many single unit police patrols took place in the month of August?

14. How many single unit police patrols have taken place since the beginning of 2015?
15. Minister, do you believe that policemen and women undertaking single unit patrols are placed at any additional risk by the absence of a partner?
16. Are there any single unit specific training for police?

Commissioners Executive Team

17. When was the last time that the Minister was briefed by the Commissioners Executive Team?
 - a) What was the date of that meeting?
 - b) How many meetings have taken place in 2015? Please list any apologies.
 - c) How many meetings have taken place in 2016? Please list any apologies.
 - d) How many meetings have taken place in 2017? Please list any apologies.

Tink Review

18. Minister, the Tink Review was due to recommend a transparent model for police oversight by August 31, 2015. Has the review been completed?
 - a) Has the Minister seen the review?
 - b) Will the Minister be making the review public? If so, when?
 - c) When does the Minister intend on responding to the review?

Police and Liquor Conflict of Interest

19. Does the Minister for Liquor, Gaming and Racing regularly meet with stakeholders in the liquor industry?
20. Is one of your responsibilities as the Minister to promote the ease of doing businesses' in the Liquor industry?
21. The Office of Liquor Gaming and Racing Strategic Priorities has a guiding principle of "Reducing red tape, making it easier to do business." Do you believe that you and the office have been successful in this?

BOCSAR

22. Has the Minister seen the June 2015 BOCSAR quarterly crime report and, or the June 2015 BOCSAR annual crime report?
23. Why was the decision made to embargo the reports until the 3rd of September 2015?
 - a) Who made that decision?
 - b) What time of day was the embargo lifted?
 - c) Was any version of this report provided to the minister before the 3rd of September?

June Review of Lock out Laws

24. Minister, you said that the review would be carried out in June once you received the 12-month data from the Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research.ⁱ
 "I've been consistent since becoming Minister that we would start reviewing the lockout laws and gathering the data and in particular identify what data and what information we would rely on."
 Have you, your office or your staff begun gathering data to identify what information we would rely on to inform the review?ⁱⁱ

- a) Is this data currently being reviewed by anyone in relation to the lock out laws?
25. So you can confirm with us that you, your office and your staff have not begun any review into lockout laws and have no intention to consider any evidence before February 2016?

Operational Capacity

26. During budget estimates 2015, the minister said that the authorised strength of the NSW Police Force is 16665. What document is published that shows this figure?
- a) If not published, when will this be published?
 - b) What is the authorised strength and actual strength and full time equivalent hours for every police Local Area Command?

Misappropriation of funds

27. I refer to page B5 – 9 of Budget Paper 1 and the “significant underspend in Alcohol Related Violence programs.” Can you identify the projects that were budgeted for and did not come to fruition?
- a) Why was this the case?
28. Can the Minister guarantee that this money was not directed anywhere outside of initiatives related to Alcohol Related Violence? And that these funds were not spent on Prison Beds?
29. The budget paper mentions this expenditure was “offset in part by the acceleration of some fire and life-saving upgrades for regional and rural courts.”
Can you provide a breakdown of what items this money intended to combat Alcohol Related Violence was spent on?

Electronic Tracking of DV offenders

30. Does the Minister believe there are any drawbacks of the Department of Corrective Services NSW use electronic tracking devices to monitor serious sex offenders?
31. Why did the Minister make the decision not to pursue GPS tracking for high risk domestic violence offenders?
32. Was this issue raised with the Prime Minister at the recent COAG meeting where he proposed to the state governments that GPS monitoring devices be attached to high risk perpetrators of family and domestic violence?

Sober Up Centres

33. Are you committed to the continuation of so called sober-up centres like the one operated in the CBD?
- a) Do you intend on expanding the program? Why not?
 - b) Have any plans been presented to the minister to expand the sober-up centres?
 - c) Have any reports been commissioned as to the effectiveness of the sober-up centres? If so, please list the name of each one.
34. How many police, nurses and other staff are stationed at the CBD drunk tank at any given time?
35. How many hours a day is the CBD drunk tank open?

High Risk Rapid Deployment System

36. Can you explain what the High Risk Rapid Deployment System is and will do?
37. What changes will come into effect after your implementation of the High Risk Rapid Deployment System?
38. What will the police force receive for your \$821,000
39. Who is the current frontrunner to provide the High Risk Rapid Deployment System and what additional capacities do you expect to receive for it?

Former Ministry of Police and Emergency Services

40. Why did you transfer all functions of the Ministry for Police and Emergency Services to the Department of Justice?

Police Numbers

41. As of the 24th of August 2015:
 - a) How many police officers were assigned to the Child Abuse Squad?
 - b) How many support staff were assigned to the Child Abuse Squad?
 - c) How many detectives were assigned to the Counter Terrorism and Special Tactics Command?
 - d) How many Police Officers were assigned to the firearms and organised crime related squads?
 - e) How many Police Officers were employed at the Real Time Intelligence Response Centre?
 - f) How many intelligence analysts were employed at the Real Time Intelligence Response Centre?
 - g) How many specialist forensic accountants are employed by the Cybercrime and Fraud Squad?
 - h) How many Police Officers were employed with the Serious Sex and violent Offenders Investigation Unit?
42. As of the 28th of March 2015:
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Regional BOCSAR

43. Given that in the most recent BOCSAR results the Illawarra has the 3rd highest rate of steal from dwelling, 4th for malicious damage to property, 5th for sexual assault and 8th for domestic violence can the Minister outline what additional resources have been allocated to the:
 - a) Wollongong Local Area Command?
 - b) Lake Illawarra Area Command?
 - c) Shoalhaven Local Area Command?
44. Are there any plans to close the Corrimal Police Station and relocate the Highway Patrol that is currently based at this station?
45. How many road side drug tests have been undertaken by the Wollongong Local Area Command during 2014/15?
46. How many road side drug tests have been undertaken by the Lake Illawarra Local Area Command during 2014/15?
47. How many road side drug tests have been undertaken by the Shoalhaven Local Area Command during 2014/15?
48. How many road side RBT have been undertaken by the Wollongong Local Area Command during 2014/15?
49. How many road side RBT have been undertaken by the Lake Illawarra Local Area Command during 2014/15?
50. How many road side RBT have been undertaken by the Shoalhaven Local Area Command during 2014/15?
51. What is the average age of the Police vehicles based at:
 - a) Wollongong Local Area Command?
 - b) Lake Illawarra Area Command?
 - c) Shoalhaven Local Area Command?
52. What is the average mileage of Police vehicles based at:
 - a) Wollongong LAC
 - b) Lake Illawarra LAC
 - c) Shoalhaven LAC
 - d) And all other LAC's.

Other

53. How was security enforced on Gillieston Island during the recent floods?
54. Were the police represented during the ANZAC day commemorative service
55. Was there policing in place for ANZAC Day?
56. Did the community raise any concerns about a lack of policing during their isolation?
57. Were local police who were resident on the island deputised

Prevention of Domestic Violence

58. In relation to domestic violence related staff and officers in the NSW Police:
- How many Domestic Violence Officers are allocated to each Local Area Command?
 - What domestic violence related staff or officers are employed by NSW Police outside of Local Area Commands?
 - At which locations are domestic violence related staff or officers who are outside of Local Area Commands based?

Prevention of Domestic Violence

59. In considering the DV Disclosure Scheme,
- to what extent has the potential of such a scheme to support protections for workers including women lawyers working on cases of domestic violence been considered ?
 - Has the importance and price on the health and wellbeing of workers including women lawyers been properly considered ?
60. Where in the budget have the additional resources required for the implementation of the Domestic Violence Justice Strategy been allocated?
61. What additional resources will be allocated to Women's Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Services to enable them to meet the Domestic Violence Justice Strategy standards from July 1 2015?
62. Will the Blue Mountains Women's Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Service receive the additional \$30,000 needed to provide sufficient staffing to meet the Domestic Violence Justice Strategy standards and contact every victim referred to them by Police within one business day of receiving the referral?

Drive off/ Fail to Pay

63. How many petrol station drive-off/ fail to pay were reported in:
- 2010, please provide a breakdown by month
 - 2011, please provide a breakdown by month
 - 2013, please provide a breakdown by month
 - 2014, please provide a breakdown by month
 - 2015, please provide a breakdown by month
64. What is the estimated value of fuel not paid for by drive-off/ fail to pay in 2015, 2014 and 2013?
65. How many people have been convicted of drive off/fail to pay offences in:
- 2010
 - 2011
 - 2012
 - 2013
 - 2014
 - 2015
66. Of the reports of drive-off/fail to pay, in 2015 how many of the cars were:
- Holden
 - Ford
 - Aston Martin

- d) Lamborghini
- e) Maserati
- f) Toyota
- g) Kia
- h) Skoda
- i) Volkswagon
- j) Ferrari
- k) Porcha
- l) Volvo
- m) Hyundai
- n) Daihatsuy
- o) Daewoo
- p) Mazda
- q) Nissan
- r) Mercedes Benz
- s) BMW
- t) Chrysler
- u) Suzuki
- v) Subaru
- w) Honda
- x) Audi
- y) Saab
- z) Citroen
- aa) Mini Cooper
- bb) Bentley
- cc) Jaguar
- dd) Chevrolet
- ee) Renault
- ff) Alfa Romeo
- gg) Fiat
- hh) Great Wall
- ii) Hummer
- jj) Isuzu
- kk) Jeep
- ll) Land Rover
- mm) Lexus
- nn) Lotus
- oo) Mitsubishi
- pp) Range Rover

67. Please list the 10 suburbs that have reported the highest number of drive-off/fail to pay for fuel forms.

- a) How many instances of fail to pay occurred in each of those suburbs?

Police Academy

68. How many people are currently employed at the Goulburn Police Academy?

69. Have any voluntary redundancies been offered to employees of the Goulburn Police Academy since 1 January, 2014?

70. Have any compulsory redundancies been offered to employees of the Goulburn Police Academy since 1 January, 2014?
71. Is Year Two training conducted at Goulburn or Hurstville?
72. Will Year Two training be conducted at Goulburn for the foreseeable future?
73. Have/Will any staff at Goulburn Police Academy be required to reapply for their jobs between 1 January 2014 and 1 January 2018?
74. On the 2nd of September the Goulburn Post reported Assistant Commissioner Corboy as saying:
As a result of a new contract arrangement with Charles Sturt University, the NSW Police Force is required to provide a number of police officer positions to facilitate distance education and other training activities for serving police officers completing the Associate Degree in Policing Practice.
 - a) What structural changes will occur as a result of this new contract?
 - b) Are any jobs affected by this new contract?
 - c) Will any jobs be moved as a result of this new contract?

Ministerial Office Administration

75. How many staff are in your ministerial office?
 - a) What was the average salary for staff members in your office during 2014-15?
 - b) What is the average salary for a ministerial staffer in your office based on current appointments?
76. How many blackberries/smart phones are assigned to your staff?
 - a) For each phone, how much was each bill in the past financial year?
 - b) How many phones have been lost or replaced due to damage in your office?
 - i. What is the cost of replacing those phones?
77. How many iPads or tablets does DPC assign to your Ministerial office and to whom have they been issued?
 - a) What is the cost of providing iPads or tablets to your Ministerial Office?
 - b) How many iPads or tablets have been replaced due to lost or damage?
 - i. What was the cost of replacing these devices?
78. Did any your or your ministerial staff incur data charges on a mobile phone or tablet device greater than \$1000 for a single billing period?
 - a) If so, how many times did this occur?
 - i. What was the individual cost of each data charge over \$1000 for a single billing period?
79. Has any artwork been purchased or leased for display in your office?
 - a) What is the cost of this?
80. Have any floral displays or indoor plants been hired or leased for display in your ministerial office?

- a) If so, what was the cost of these items?
81. What is the total cost of all subscriptions by you and your staff to online news services, newspapers, magazines, journals and periodicals?
- a) What are these services/newspapers/magazines/journals/periodicals?
 - i. Who is the subscriber for each of these?
82. What was the total value of all gifts purchased for use by you and your office?
- a) What were the gifts purchased?
 - i. Who were they gifted to?
83. Do you purchase bottled water or provide water coolers for your office?
- a) What is the cost of this?
84. Can you advise the names of all contractors/consultants employed and/or paid for by your office, under any agreement, contract or fee-for -service arrangement in 2014-15?
- a) Do they have ABN's?
 - i. If so, please provide details?
 - b) Details of paid or unpaid invoices and amounts?
 - c) Details of services and fees provided by each contractor and or consultant?
85. Details of the agreement between your office and any contractors/consultants engaged by your office?

Ministerial and Office Travel

86. Have any of your overseas trips in the past year been paid for in part or in full by using public money?
- a) If so, did any of your relatives or friends accompany you on these trips?
87. Have you undertaken any official overseas travel that was privately funded?
- a) What were the nature of these trips?
 - b) Who paid for these trips?
88. What was the total bill for your office in 2014-15 for:
- a) Taxi hire
 - b) Limousine hire
 - c) Private hire care
 - d) Hire car rental
89. Have you ever used Uber?
- a) If yes, were any of these occasions in an UberX vehicle?
90. Have you or anyone in your office used Uber services travelling to or from work-related events, meetings or functions?
- a) Were any of those services in an UberX vehicle?

91. Have you or anyone in your office sought reimbursement for using Uber services to travel to or from work-related events, meetings or functions?
 - a) What is the value of those reimbursements?
92. Have you used Airbnb?
93. Have you or anyone in your office used Airbnb as an accommodation solution whilst travelling on official business?
94. Have any planes or helicopters been chartered by you or your office and paid for with public money?
 - a) If yes, will you please detail each trip, the method of transport and the cost?
95. What non-standard features are fitted to your ministerial vehicle?
 - a) What is the cost of each non-standard feature?

Labour Hire Firms

96. Do any Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities utilise the services of Labour Hire Firms? If yes, please advise in table form:
 - a) The names of the firms utilised
 - b) The total amount paid to each firm engaged
 - c) The average tenure period for an employee provided by a labour hire company
 - d) The longest tenure for an employee provided by a labour hire company
 - e) The duties conducted by employees engaged through a labour hire company
 - f) The office locations of employees engaged through a labour hire company
 - g) The highest hourly or daily rate paid to an employee provided by a labour hire company

Media And Public Relations

97. How many media or public relations advisers are employed for each of your portfolio agencies?
98. What is the forecast for the current financial year for the number of media or public relations advisers to be employed and their total cost?
99. What is the total cost of media monitoring services used by Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities?
100. Have you had media training or speech training?
 - a) If yes, who paid for it?
 - b) If paid by taxpayers, what was the amount?

Consultants, Lobbyists And Former Parliamentarians

101. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Chris Hartcher in the time since he has left the Parliament?
 - a) Who attended those meetings?
 - b) What was the nature of those meetings?
 - c) What was discussed?
 - d) Were any records of those meetings kept?

102. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Andrew Stoner in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?
 - What was the nature of those meetings?
 - What was discussed?
 - Were any records of those meetings kept?
103. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Tim Owen in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?
 - What was the nature of those meetings?
 - What was discussed?
 - Were any records of those meetings kept?
104. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Craig Baumann in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?
 - What was the nature of those meetings?
 - What was discussed?
 - Were any records of those meetings kept?
105. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Andrew Cornwell in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?
 - What was the nature of those meetings?
 - What was discussed?
 - Were any records of those meetings kept?
106. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Chris Spence in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?
 - What was the nature of those meetings?
 - What was discussed?
 - Were any records of those meetings kept?
107. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Darren Webber in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?
 - What was the nature of those meetings?
 - What was discussed?
 - Were any records of those meetings kept?
108. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Garry Edwards in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- Who attended those meetings?

- b) What was the nature of those meetings?
 - c) What was discussed?
 - d) Were any records of those meetings kept?
109. Have you, your office or your Departmental Officers had any meetings with former MP Bart Bassett in the time since he has left the Parliament?
- a) Who attended those meetings?
 - b) What was the nature of those meetings?
 - c) What was discussed?
 - d) Were any records of those meetings kept?
110. Has the consultancy company Premier State done any consultancy work for the Department? If so what projects was Premier State consulted on?
- a) What was the cost of the consultancy work for each project?
 - b) Was there a tender process for these projects?
111. Does Premier State currently have any contract work with the Departments/agencies under your portfolio responsibility?
- a) If yes, what is their role in the project?

Consulting

112. How much have the Department/agencies under your portfolio responsibility spent in legal costs?
- a) For what specific purposes or matters was legal advice sought?
113. Have Department/agencies under your portfolio engaged any consultants to provide the following services or advice:
- a) Social media
 - i. And the cost of these services
 - b) Photography
 - ii. And the cost of these services
 - c) Acting training
 - iii. And the cost of these services
 - d) Ergonomics
 - iv. And the cost of these services

Department/Agency Administration

114. How many redundancies were processed by Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities during 2014-15?
- a) Of these redundancies, how many were:
 - i. Voluntary
 - ii. Forced
 - b) What was the total cost of all redundancies?
115. Have any staff who received a redundancy in the last two years undertaken any paid work or provided any paid services for the agency with which they were formerly employed?

- a) What was the nature of these works/services?
 - b) What was the total cost of these works or services?
116. Are any staff formerly employed by your ministerial office now employed by Departments/agencies under your portfolio responsibility?
117. How many staff were dismissed from Departments/agencies under your portfolio responsibilities in 2014-15?
- a) What were the reason/s for each dismissal?
118. How much was spent on corporate hospitality by Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities during 2014-2015?
119. How much was spent on indoor plant hire and maintenance by Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities during 2014-2015 year?
120. How much did Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities spend on restaurant bills during the year 2014/2015?
- a) How much of these bills were alcohol?
121. Were instances of internal fraud detected by Departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities during 2014-2015?
- a) What was the sum total of any such fraud and what was the result of any investigations?
122. How large is the Department's vehicle fleet?
- a) What is the composition of this fleet in terms of engine size?
 - b) How many of the fleet were involved in an accident during the year 2014-2015?
 - c) What was the total cost of insurance claims and repairs?
123. How much did departments/agencies spend on newspaper and journal subscriptions during 2014-2015?
124. How many SES employees are employed within departments/agencies under your ministerial portfolio?
- a) What is their remuneration band?
 - b) For each SES employee, how many have:
 - i. 0 staff reporting to them;
 - ii. less than 2 staff reporting to them; and
 - iii. less than 5 staff?
125. How many sick days, leave days or days attributable to workers compensation were lost for each department/agency within your portfolio responsibility during 2014-15 for:
- a) workplace bullying;
 - b) stress leave; and
 - c) sick leave?
126. Do any of the departments/agencies under your portfolio area employ actors for staff training?

- a) If so, what is:
 - i. the size of the contract for the provision of actors for staff training in your departments?
 - ii. the term of the contracts for the provision of actors for staff training in your departments?
 - iii. the tender numbers for each of the contracts?

Department/Agency Travel

- 127. What was the total expenditure in 2014-15 by Departments/agencies within your portfolio on:
 - a) Taxi hire
 - b) Limousine/private car hire
 - c) Hire car rental
- 128. Do the Departments/agencies within your portfolio have a policy on utilising Uber services for travel on official business?
- 129. Have staff in your Department/agencies either paid for with departmental funds or been recompensed for official travel using Uber services?
 - a) Were any of these payments for UberX services?
- 130. Have staff in your Department/agencies either paid for with departmental funds or been recompensed for official travel using Airbnb services?
- 131. Did any officers within departments/agencies under your ministerial portfolio use charter aircraft during the year 2014-2015?
 - a) If so what was the purpose and cost?

Departmental/Agency IT

- 132. Do the Departments/agencies within your portfolio have an iTunes account?
 - a) What was the total expenditure in 2014-15 on iTunes?
 - i. What applications/subscriptions/services were purchased through iTunes?
- 133. Do the Departments/agencies within your portfolio have an Android account?
 - a) What was the total expenditure in 2014-15 on Android?
 - i. What applications/subscriptions/services were purchased through Android?
- 134. How many Department/agency mobile phones, tablets and laptops were replaced due to loss or damage during 2014-2015?
 - a) What was the total cost of replacing these items?
- 135. Did any staff within departments/agencies within your portfolio responsibilities incur data charges on a mobile phone or tablet device greater than \$1000 for a single billing period?
 - a) If so, how many times did this occur?
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Efficiency Dividend

136. What was the efficiency dividend required of the department in the 2014/15 financial year?
137. What is the efficiency dividend required of the department in the 2015/16 financial year?
138. What savings measures were implemented by the Department for:
- 2014/15 financial year
 - 2013/14 financial year
 - 2012/13 financial year?
139. What actual savings were achieved by each strategy in:
- 2014/15 financial year
 - 2013/14 financial year
 - 2012/13 financial year?
140. What reduction of staff occurred and at what cost as a result of each strategy in:
- 2014/15 financial year
 - 2013/14 financial year
 - 2012/13 financial year?
141. For the 2015/16 financial year:
- What savings measures will the Department save?
 - What is the expected saving to be achieved for each measure?
 - Will they require a reduction in staffing?
 - How many positions within the Department remain unfilled due to the imposition of savings measures?

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Arts

Arts Budget 2015-16

142. How will commitment from the NSW State Government of an additional \$7.4m to Arts programs in Western Sydney be spent over the next 4 years?
143. How much funding from the \$600m allocation to Arts and Cultural infrastructure from the Restart NSW fund will be spent on capital projects in WS?

Powerhouse Relocation:

144. How will the Powerhouse be funded if the new museum relocation exceeds the cost of the sale of the Ultimo site?

Western Sydney Arts Precinct:

145. Why was there a decision to use the Old Kings school site as a new school rather than a cultural precinct as indicated in INSW and other state government plans?
146. What is the commitment by the NSW State Government to the Parramatta Cultural Precinct (as outlined in various state gov policies)?

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Questions from Shaoquett Moselmane [on behalf of the NSW Labor Opposition]

Racing

Online Alcohol

- 214. How many online alcohol retailers are there in NSW?
- 215. How many licensees are permitted to offer home delivery of alcohol?
- 216. How much alcohol is sold online each year?
- 217. Is the amount of alcohol sold online increasing or decreasing compared to previous years?
- 218. What measures are taken to ensure that delivery of alcohol from an on-line retailer is not made to a person under age?
- 219. Do the current rules allow a retailer to leave alcohol unattended at door steps?
- 220. If alcohol is being delivered and left unattended at homes, how can this guarantee that alcohol is not being collected by persons under the age of eighteen?
- 221. Has any retailer been detected delivering alcohol to a person under the age of 18?
- 222. Has the Office of Liquor, Gaming and Racing undertaken any enforcement actions in relation to on-line purchases of alcohol and the delivery to persons under the age of 18?
- 223. The Department's advice to online retailers is that they "must confirm that the buyer is at least 18 years of age." What methods for establishing this does the Department regard as acceptable?
- 224. It is an offence for an adult to ask a person under age to accept delivery of alcohol. Have there been any prosecutions for this offence in the last year?
- 225. Are there any restrictions on when the delivery of alcohol to homes can take place?

RSA

- 226. How many Responsible Service of Alcohol photo competency cards are currently on issue?
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- 228. What is the average age of a Responsible Service of Alcohol photo competency card holder?
- 229. How much does the Government receive each year in fees for issuing Responsible Service of Alcohol competency cards?

10 pm closing of bottle shops

230. What are the terms of reference for the review for the 10pm closing of bottle shops?
231. What is the cost of the review expected to be?
232. Is Shellharbour considered to be in Stage 1 (regional and rural) or Stage 2 (metropolitan) of the review?
233. When will the report of the first stage of the review of 10pm closing of bottleshops be concluded and issued?
234. The OLGR website says that the first stage of the 10pm review of closing for bottleshops will focus on the “particular needs of rural and remote communities.” When it comes to takeaway alcohol, what are the particular needs of remote communities?

Fees

235. What is the increase in legal fees for ILGA and what is the explanation for this increase?
236. What is the increase in legal fees to the Crown Solicitor and what is the explanation for increase?
237. What is the explanation for the drop in fees and fines?

Racing taxation

238. When will the Government legislate for tax parity to provide certainty to the NSW racing industry?
239. When will the reduced taxation arrangements take effect?
240. Is the Government intending to keep control of the money rather than paying it to the racing control bodies?
241. Will any of the money be used for enhanced prize money?

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242. When will the reviews into the Thoroughbred Racing Act 1996 and the Australian Jockey and Sydney Turf Clubs Merger Act 2010 be completed?
243. According to the Department’s website, the review of the Thoroughbred Racing Act 1996 was due to be tabled in Parliament before 1 July 2014. Why has this not been met?
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245. How many submissions were received to each review?
246. When will any legislation arising from the reviews be brought forward to the Parliament?

Ministerial Office Administration

247. How many staff are in your ministerial office?
- What was the average salary for staff members in your office during 2014-15?
 - What is the average salary for a ministerial staffer in your office based on current appointments?
248. How many blackberries/smart phones are assigned to your staff?
- For each phone, how much was each bill in the past financial year?
 - How many phones have been lost or replaced due to damage in your office?
 - What is the cost of replacing those phones?
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253. What is the total cost of all subscriptions by you and your staff to online news services, newspapers, magazines, journals and periodicals?
- What are these services/newspapers/magazines/journals/periodicals?
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254. What was the total value of all gifts purchased for use by you and your office?
- What were the gifts purchased?
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255. Do you purchase bottled water or provide water coolers for your office?
- What is the cost of this?
256. Can you advise the names of all contractors/consultants employed and/or paid for by your office, under any agreement, contract or fee-for -service arrangement in 2014-15?
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 - If so, please provide details?

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257. Details of the agreement between your office and any contractors/consultants engaged by your office?

Ministerial And Office Travel

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Questions from David Shoebridge

GPSC No : 4

Justice and Police

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317. For 9. What were the finalised charges in each instance?
318. For 9. What was the outcome of these charges?
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323. What steps, if any, can people take to challenge material held about themselves in the COPS database?

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324. Does the NSW Police have any current arrangements which allow organisations of any kind to fulfil mandatory reporting requirements by "blind reporting"?
325. Has legal advice been obtained about the possible implications under s316 of the Crimes Act of any such arrangements?
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Tattoo Industry Legislation

327. How many prosecutions have been made as a result of the licensing scheme implemented for the tattoo industry?

328. How much money is allocated for enforcement of licensing requirements for the tattoo industry?

Specialist Domestic Violence Police Officers

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331. How many FTE staff are in the police media unit?
332. What is the total budget of the police media unit?

Gay murders

333. What is the NSW Police force doing to deal with the patterns emerging regarding gay hate murders in the last 1980s/early 1990s?

Specialist DV Police Officers

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DVDRT reports

336. When are the 2013-14 and 2014-15 reports of the Domestic Violence Death expected to be released?

COPS migration

337. What is the current status of the technical migration of the COPS database?
338. How much of the \$44.8 million allocated for the technical migration of the database is being spent?
339. What was the cost of each stage of the modernisation program?
340. What steps have been taken to ensure that problems like that identified following the class action cannot occur under the modernised database?
341. In particular, what steps have been taken to resolve issues with the integration between Justicelink and the COPS database?
342. When is it anticipated that sufficient changes will have been made to avoid this kind of problem in future?

Aboriginal police officers

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Police Commissioner duties

344. What is the Commissioner's annual salary, including superannuation and other employee related benefits?
345. What employee related benefits does the Commissioner receive over and above salary and superannuation?
346. How many days did the Commissioner spend outside the jurisdiction of NSW in the 2013-14 financial year and for what purposes?
347. How many days did the Commissioner spend outside the jurisdiction of NSW in the 2014-15 financial year and for what purposes?
348. How many week days did the Commissioner work from home NSW in the 2013-14 financial year?
349. How many week days did the Commissioner work from home NSW in the 2014-15 financial year?
350. How many week days did the Commissioner not work as Commissioner in the 2013-14 financial year?
351. How many week days did the Commissioner not work as Commissioner in the 2014-15 financial year?

Domestic Violence Specialist Police Officer positions

352. Given the prevalence of domestic and family violence in regional areas, how many of the new 24 Domestic Violence Specialist Police Officer positions will be assigned to regional and rural areas?
- a) What regional and rural areas will they be assigned to?

Surveillance of injured police

353. What arrangements are in place to allow legal representatives of injured workers to be consulted in negotiations between the NSW Police, First State Super and Met Life insurance concerning discounted paybacks of partial and permanent benefit payments when total and permanent benefit settlements are negotiated with injured police?
354. Why are the legal representatives of injured police not included in these negotiations, given the level of expertise and knowledge they have as to the merits of their clients claims?
355. How many injured police and former police were placed under surveillance by EML in relation to workers compensation claims arising from injuries, or alleged injuries, with the NSW police in:
- a) 2013/14

- b) 2014/15
- c) 2015/16 to date?

356. What checks and balances are in place to prevent the abuse of surveillance on injured police by insurers?
357. Does the NSW Police approve of the use of data capturing programs by private investigators which capture large amounts of data, images and text from the Facebook profiles of former and injured NSW police where access to the profiles is limited only to the Facebook user's friends?
358. Is the NSW Police aware of instances where the behaviour detailed in 5 above has been undertaken by private investigators employed by insurers who are assessing claims made by injured NSW police for workers compensation benefits?
- a) If so, in how many instances?
 - b) Does the NSW police approve of this?
359. Is the NSW Police aware of instances where the behaviour detailed in 5 above has been undertaken by private investigators employed by EML insurance when assessing claims made by injured NSW police for workers compensation benefits?
- a) If so, in how many instances?
 - b) Does the NSW police approve of this?

Questions from John Kaye

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Justice and Police, Arts and Racing

Thursday 3 September

Special Commission of Inquiry into the Greyhound Racing Industry in New South Wales

360. According to the Ministerial Diaries disclosure for the period 1 January 31 to 31 March 2015, the Minister met with Justice McHugh, RSPCA and Greyhound Racing NSW on the 19th of February 2015. Can the Minister please detail
- What was discussed at the meeting
 - The outcomes of the meeting.
361. During the budget estimates hearing on Wednesday 2 December, the Minister said: *"I think from the Four Corners material, Queensland and Melbourne—whilst I am not condoning for a second any of the activity in New South Wales—had a far worse occurrence of live baiting and breaches of animal welfare."* On what basis does the Minister make this claim? Please provide details
362. The Special Commission of Inquiry was originally due to hand down its final report in September 2015.
- Can the Minister please provide reasons as to why an extension to 31 March 2016 was necessary?

Police involvement in the greyhound racing industry

363. Is the Minister aware that a joint Queensland Police Service and RSPCA Task Force has been established and is currently investigating allegations of animal cruelty in the greyhound racing industry?
364. Has a taskforce or similar body been established in New South Wales to investigate allegations of animal cruelty in the greyhound racing industry?
- If so, what is its size, terms of reference and duration?
 - If not, why not?
365. Are there any plans to establish a police taskforce or similar body in response to animal cruelty allegations in the greyhound racing industry in New South Wales?
- If not, why not?
 - If so, what is its proposed size, terms of reference and duration?
366. Will NSW Police be allocating any additional resources to investigate animal cruelty matters to assist the NSW Special Commission of Inquiry into the greyhound racing industry in New South Wales?
- If not, why not?
 - If so, what are these additional resources
367. What has been the NSW Police's response to animal cruelty allegations in the greyhound racing following the airing of live baiting footage on the ABC Four Corner's program in February this year?

368. Since February this year (inclusive) how many participants in the greyhound racing industry in NSW have been
- a) arrested relating to animal cruelty related offences
 - b) charged animal cruelty related offences
369. Are NSW Police and or the Department of Public Prosecutions investigating potential criminal activity in relation to the release of internal emails between former Greyhound Racing NSW officials as made public by the ABC on Monday 31 August?
- a) If so please provide details
 - b) If not why not?
370. Are NSW police currently investigating the alleged mass grave of greyhounds at the Keinbah Trial Track near Cessnock?
- a) If so please provide details.
 - b) If not why not.
371. Please detail that type and level of information that Greyhound Racing NSW is required to give to NSW police when investigating alleged animal cruelty cases.

Gaming – Stakeholder meetings

372. What investment opportunities were canvased between the Minister and Wynn Resorts Limited at the recent introductory meeting in May 2015?
373. Was hotel gaming machine taxation discussed at the June 2015 meeting with Australian Hotels Association and the Minister?
- a) If so, please provide details of what was discussed and in particular was equalisation with clubs poker machines rates addressed?

Gaming – Electronic Gaming Machines

374. How many gaming machine entitlements are currently applied to multi-terminal machines in NSW?
375. For the last hotel gaming machine tax year, what was the total annual electronic gaming machine profit for all hotels in each Local Government Area?
376. For the last hotel gaming machine tax year, what was the total annual electronic gaming machine tax paid for all hotels in each Local Government Area?
377. How many hotel gaming machine entitlements are there currently in each Local Government Area?
378. For the last clubs gaming machine tax year, what was the total annual electronic gaming machine profit for all clubs in each Local Government Area?
379. For the last clubs gaming machine tax year, what was the total annual electronic gaming machine tax paid for all clubs in each Local Government Area?
380. How many club gaming machine entitlements are there currently in each Local Government Area?

381. Are there any restrictions or regulations governing the location of gaming machines within venues and their physical or visual proximity to dining or food service areas?
382. Has the government progressed their 2014 ClubsNSW Memorandum of Understanding commitment to work “with industry and community to introduce voluntary pre-commitment throughout NSW”?
- a) If so, what has been done to date and which industry and community groups have been approached?

Hospitality – Review of 10pm take-away liquor sales restrictions

383. Recognising that Industry will likely have more capacity to contribute to a voluntary call for submissions, what steps is the government taking to ensure that both parts of the review of the 10pm restrictions on take-away liquor sales canvas a range of community and industry perspective?
384. What data is being collected to inform the review of the 10pm take-away liquor sales restriction across NSW?
- a) Is the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research involved in this review? If so, how?
385. Given the research evidence demonstrating that off-licence liquor outlets are linked to increases in rates of family violence, will the Government’s review of the 10pm restriction on take-away liquor sales consider Police data on reported incidents of alcohol-related family violence?

Hospitality – Community Impact Statements and Planning

386. What steps has the government taken to honour its 2014 pre-election commitment to review the operation of the Community Impact Statement process?
387. How will the government adjust the current system to improve consideration of the community impact of alcohol-related harms in licensing and planning decisions?
388. Given the research evidence demonstrating that off-licence liquor outlets are linked to increases in rates of family violence, how will the government ensure that licensing and planning laws are amended to recognise and contain the risk of family violence resulting from the greater availability of take-away liquor?
389. Would the government consider restricting the ability of developers to resubmit alcohol or gambling venue development applications to council that have already been rejected once before and that have not dramatically changed in nature?

Hospitality – Stakeholder meetings

390. How many times has Office of Liquor, Gaming and Racing representatives met with alcohol industry representatives over the last 12 months? Please provide a list of the representatives and the number of times they were each met with over the past 12 months.
391. How many times has Office of Liquor, Gaming and Racing representatives met with harm reduction groups or public health groups over the last 12 months? Please provide a list of the representatives and the number of times they were each met with over the past 12 months.

Hospitality – Biennial Returns

392. Of the 3,389 biennial returns that were still outstanding as of 31 August 2014,
- a) How many of these venues have been determined as no longer trading?
 - b) How many were investigated for non-compliance?
 - c) How many were issued penalty notices and what was the value of the penalty notices?
 - d) How many are still outstanding?
 - e) If any remain outstanding, why is this so?

Hospitality – Liquor Licences

393. Can the Minister please provide an update on the current evaluation of the Sydney CBD Entertainment Precinct Plan of Management?
394. When does the Minister think that this evaluation of the Sydney CBD Entertainment Precinct Plan of Management will be finalised?
395. Does the Minister intend to publish the results of the Evaluation of the Sydney CBD Entertainment Precinct Plan of Management?
396. How many, if any, venues with liquor licences cancelled since the introduction of the annual liquor licence fees have been caught trading without a licence?
- a) If any venues have been caught, what have been the penalties?
397. Are dormant licences subject to annual liquor licence fees?
- a) If so, how much is a dormant licence charged?
398. How many venues have applied for exemption from the Sydney CBD and Kings Cross lock out and last drink restrictions since they came into effect?
399. How many venues who have applied for exemption from the Sydney CBD and Kings Cross lock out and last drink restrictions have been successful?
400. How many, if any, public entertainment venues within the CBD and Kings Cross precincts are exempt from the last drink and lock out requirements? Please list by venue name.

Hospitality – General

401. Since the introduction of the banning orders for the Kings Cross and Sydney CBD Entertainment Precincts, how many people have been subjected to the 48 hour ban and how many to the 12 month ban?
- a) Of the 12 month bans listed above, how many have been subject to appeal?
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