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QUESTION WITHOUT NOTICE
(Of which some notice has been given)

Wednesday, 10 August 2011

Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs.

With regard to Woodside's ground breaking work at James Price Point and the risk of damage to registered Aboriginal sites, I ask:

- (1) Has the Department of Indigenous Affairs completed their investigation into this matter?
- (2) If no to (1), when will the investigation be completed?
- (3) Has the Department prepared a report of the investigation?
- (4) If yes to (3) will the Minister table the report?
- (5) Is the report to be considered by the Aboriginal Cultural Materials Committee?
- (6) When will (or did) the Aboriginal Cultural Materials Committee meet to consider this report?

I thank the Hon. Member for some notice of this question.

- (1) No
- (2) The investigation is ongoing.
- (3) The report is in preparation but not complete.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) No. The site disturbance investigation report, prepared under the provisions of section 17 of the *Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972*, is not required to be considered by the ACMC.
- (6) Not applicable.



Minister for Indigenous Affairs