

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
Question on notice

Tuesday, 17 February 2015

2595. Hon Robin Chappie to the Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Transport.

It has come to my attention that the Redlion Bus and Coach Company in Esperance may be allowing employees to operate a forklift without a ticket, and I ask:

- (a) does the Minister know if the company is allowing this to occur;
- (b) if yes or no to (a), how does the Minister know this; and
- (c) if yes to (a):
 - (i) does it constitute a breach of any contractual arrangements between the company and the Department of Transport;
 - (ii) what are the breaches and penalty for each breach;
 - (iii) who in the company is responsible for the breaches; and
 - (iv) what action will the Minister take to rectify the breaches?

Insofar as the Public Transport Authority (PTA) is concerned, the PTA has a contract with Redlion Bus and Coach to operate intra-town school bus services. This question has been answered in that context.

- (a) No.
- (b) Staff related matters are the responsibility of the contracted service provider.
- (c)(i)-(iv) Not applicable

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