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

Tuesday, 19 May 2015

Hon Robin Chapple to the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs.

I refer to Question Without Notice No. 542 asked in the Legislative Council on 5 May 2015 which states sixteen new site applications were assessed as not meeting section 5(b) of the Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972 and I ask:

- 1. Will the Minister table the names and locations of each of these sixteen proposed heritage places?
- 2. If no to (1), why not?
- 3. Is there any actual, or proposed, development taking place at any of these sixteen proposed heritage places?
- 4. If yes to (3), will this be halted until such time as the heritage status of these places is determined?
- 5. If no to (4), why not?

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

- 1. Yes. I have the information in tabular form and seek leave to have it incorporated into Hansard.
- 2. Not applicable.
- 3. Yes. Please refer to tabled document provided in question 1.
- 4. No.
- 5. As a result of the Supreme Court decision on 1 April 2015, those Aboriginal heritage places assessed in relation to section 5(b) of the *Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972* will be resubmitted to the Aboriginal Cultural Material Committee for reassessment. However, there is no power under the *Aboriginal Heritage Act 1972* to allow for the issue of a stop work or similar order. I am awaiting advice from Department of Aboriginal Affairs and the State Solicitors Office on the implications of the Supreme Court decision.

Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

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[Tabled Paper Part 1 and 3]

ID	NAME	ACTUAL/PROPOSEI DEVELOPMENT	LOCATION
21905	Harris River	Yes	Shire of Harvey and Shire of Collie
32696	Djilba	Yes	City of Mandurah, Shire of Murray, Shire of Serpentine-Jarrahdale, City of Rockingham
32691	Maari Jaardi	No	City of Karratha
32793	Maramutingana 13- 12E	Yes	Town of Port Hedland
33280	IOHBS-ET12-01/ Bungaroo Creek	Yes	Shire of Ashburton
33291	WAETH06-01	Yes	Shire of East Pilbara
30602	Lake Yindarlgooda	No	City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder
3537	MURRAY RIVER	Yes	Shire of Boddington, Shire of Harvey, Shire of Murray and Shire of Waroona
16713	Collie River Waugal	Yes	City of Bunbury, Shire of Boyup Brook, Shire of Harvey, Shire of Collie, Shire of Dardanup, Shire of West Arthur
32448	Gundandu	Yes	Shire of Broome
17353	Sabina River	Yes	City of Busselton
33933	IOHBH-RH 13-01	Yes	Shire of Ashburton
6540	Ashburton River	Yes	Shire of Ashburton
15914	Burswood Island Burial	Yes	Town of Victoria Park
27935	Hotham River	Yes	Shire of Boddington, Shire of Wandering, Shire of Williams and Shire of Cuballing
17476	Railway's Football Club	Yes	City of Albany