

Estimates Committee 2011
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Subject: SIHIP-Milingimbi Stage 1

From:Ms Alison Anderson to Dr Chris Burns
Public and Affordable Housing

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Question:

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Answer:

Answered On: 08/08/2011

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From: Ms Alison Anderson MLA To: Dr Chris Burns MLA

Department of Housing, Local Government and Regional Services

Number: 4.24

Question: Can you confirm that Stage 1 of SIHIP in Milingimbi will involve the construction of 28 new houses, but it will also involve the demolition of 20 existing houses, leaving a net gain of only 18 houses.

Answer:

Planning has commenced with the Milingimbi Housing Reference Group to determine the number of new houses that can be accommodated within the existing boundaries of the community under a first stage of housing works.

This will require identification, with structural engineering advice, of the houses in the community that will need to be demolished and replaced. Given the poor state of a number of the steel framed houses in this coastal community, it is expected that a number of replacement houses will be required.

Numbers of new houses and demolitions in the first stage of works in Milingimbi will be known when planning and structural engineering advice has been finalised.
