

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

## WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Wood

to Minister for Transport and Infrastructure

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### **Lighting at the corner of Howard Springs Road and Stuart Highway**

1. There was a contract let during 2003/04 for providing lighting at the corner of Howard Springs Road and the Stuart Highway –
  - (a) how long did it take for this contract to be completed;
  - (b) how long was it supposed to take;
  - (c) what was the contract price; and
  - (d) what did the job finally cost the government.

### **ANSWER**

- (a) The contract took 19 weeks to complete. A Certificate of Practical Completion was issued on 29 January 2004.
- (b) The initial contract period was for 15 weeks.
- (c) The original contract price was \$172 410.55.
- (d) The final contract price was \$192 406.24. The increase was partly due to a misdiagnosed street lighting fault.