

Estimates Committee 2006 Questions Taken On Notice

(20/06/2006 to 31/08/2006)

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Subject: Legal Advice Sought

From: Ms Jodeen Terese CARNEY to Honourable Jane Lesley AAGAARD
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Question: **1-9**
Can you detail what legal advice was obtained in the last 12 months by the Assembly, excluding that in relation to the parliamentary committees? In particular, detail the advice sought and obtained from the Department of Justice?

Answer:
Answered On: 27/06/2006
Answer: Advice sought and obtained by the Department of Legislative Assembly in the previous 12 months from the Department of Justice was as follows:

- Advice sought on behalf of Member in respect of employment issues
- Advice regarding delegations to sign contracts under the Contracts Act
- General advice on the wording of the draft Relief Electorate Officer contract
- Advice on a tender procurement process and confirmation of the validity of the preferred tenderer
- Advice on salary sacrificing for Members for purposes other than superannuation
- Clarification of s21 of the Self-Government Act
- Advice on s8 of the Register of Members' Interests Act
- Matters relating to the issue of effective repetition (Jennings v Buchanan)
- Drafting advice in respect of various items of proposed and draft legislation