

# WRITTEN QUESTIONS

## 7th Assembly

02/01/1996

86. **British Aerospace Australia**

**Mr. BAILEY to MINISTER for ASIAN RELATIONS TRADE and INDUSTRY**

### QUESTION

1. On 25 June 1993, did the then Minister for Industries and Development write to members of the Northern Territory business community advising that BAeA would commence operations in the Northern Territory; if so, why.
2. If the answer to question 1 is yes, were any of those letters sent to the business community before arrangements with BAeA had been finalised; if so, how many.
3. If the answer to question 1 is yes, how many of those letters were mailed by:
  - (a) The Office of the Minister for Industries and Development; and
  - (b) the Department of Industries and Development.

### ANSWER

Answered on 05/02/96

1. Yes. The letters were drawn up with the intention of informing local business people of the nature of the British Aerospace project.
2. 170.
3. (a) 170.  
(b) None.