LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Ms Boothby to the Chief Minister:

Blain Electorate Office

On 14 January 2022, Mark Turner MLA, Member for Blain posted on his Facebook social media that his Blain Electorate Office is moving to a new office located within the same Oasis Shopping Village.

Questions:

- 1. What is the main reason for the Blain Electorate office relocation?
- 2. Did the Member for Blain seek and obtain approval for moving his office from one side of the Oasis Shopping Village to the other?
- 3. Was the current lease up for renewal on the current office or was it broken to enable the relocation?
- 4. What is the square metre size difference between the current and the new office?
- 5. What is the lease cost and other cost difference between the current and the new office?
- 6. What is the cost of fitting out the new office?
- 7. Will any of the current office furniture and fittings be used in the new office, or will this be a total new fitout?
- 8. The Member for Blain's electorate covers areas of Woodroffe, Moulden, Rosebery and Bellamack. Why wasn't an office leased in one of these areas rather than in the Member for Drysdale's electorate?

ANSWER:

This question should be referred to the Member for Blain.