LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mrs. Finocchiaro to the Minister for Trade and Major Projects

Ship Lift and Marine Industry Project

- 1. What is the current status of the \$100m ship lift facility? Is it on budget? On time?
- 2. What specific commitments have been made to use the facility?
- 3. In April, the NT Government released a tender for a contract to provide "high-level technical advice to the NTG on the strategic planning, design and engineering requirements for the project".
 - Why is this necessary given the contract for development of the SLAMI has already been awarded?
 - Who has won the technical advisor contract?
 - What is the value of that tender?
- What discussions has the NTG had with the Federal Government around requirements for Defence use of the SLAMI? Please provide any correspondence between NTG and the Commonwealth pertaining to the SLAMI.