

WRITTEN QUESTIONS OR MOTIONS FOR RETURNS (1996)

WQ/MR No.	Written Question (WQ)	Asked for By	Date Accepted, Amended, Defeated, Withdrawn	Return Tabled By, Date Tabled
157Q	What are the estimated volumes of deciduous and coniferous timber that were stolen from Crown land between January 1, 1994 and December 31, 1995?	Mr. Van Binsbergen (Mr. N. Taylor)	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 8, 1996
158Q	How many non-fatal and how many fatal accidents occurred each year between January 1, 1992 and December 31, 1995 on each of the following roads: the bridge over the North Saskatchewan River, immediately north of Fort Saskatchewan; between the north end of the bridge and the north east end of the Manning Freeway; on highway 37 between the north east end of the Manning Freeway and Highway 28A; and on the Manning Freeway between the north east end of the Freeway and Highway 28A?	Mr. N. Taylor	Accepted March 6, 1996	Hon. Dr. West March 11, 1996
159Q	Which of the provincial correctional institutions have laundry facilities; what is the <i>inventory of the major capital equipment</i> in each of the laundry facilities; which of the provincial correctional institutions have a greenhouse; what is the size of each greenhouse and the <i>major capital inventory</i> contained in each; which of the provincial correctional institutions have shop facilities with the necessary equipment for activities such as shoe repair or furniture construction and repair; and what is the <i>major capital inventory contained</i> in each of the shop facilities?	Mr. Dickson	Accepted as amended March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Evans May 13, 1996
160Q	Of the 72 percent of welfare clients who have gone through the Employment Alternatives Program and are now employed or in further training after the 3-month evaluation: what is the duration of employment for those classified as employed at the time of evaluation; what percentage of those employed are working full-time; how many are working part-time; what is the average wage of those classified as employed; and for those remaining in training, what kinds of training are they involved in and for what duration?	Ms Hanson	Accepted March 6, 1996	Hon. Mr. Ady April 2, 1996
161Q	For those welfare clients who have gone through the Enhanced Employment Alternatives Program and are employed or in training after the 3-month evaluation: what is the duration of employment for those classified as employed at the time of evaluation; what percentage of those employed are working full-time; how many are working part-time; what is the average wage of those classified as employed; and for those remaining in training, what kinds of training are they involved in and for what duration?	Ms Hanson	Accepted March 6, 1996	Hon. Mr. Ady April 2, 1996
162Q	What are the types of jobs and training and what is the average wage for those welfare clients in the 66 percent success rate for training on the job, and for those remaining in training, what type of training are they involved in and for what duration?	Ms Hanson	Accepted March 6, 1996	Hon. Mr. Ady April 2, 1996

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163Q	What are the detailed procedural steps used to determine the 92 percent pay out level of video lottery terminals owned by the Government?	Mr. Wickman	Accepted March 6, 1996	Hon. Dr. West March 11, 1996
164Q	Which waste management authorities received provincial funds for the planning and construction of landfills and other solid waste treatment facilities (including composting) each year between January 1, 1992 and December 31, 1995, how much did each receive and for what purpose?	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 6, 1996
165Q	How much was spent to dredge the Kananaskis River close to the Kananaskis Golf course each year from January 1, 1992 to December 31, 1995, and from which budget was this paid; what is the projected cost to move the Kananaskis River into a former river channel to prevent flooding of the golf course; what are the plans to proceed with this realignment; and from what budget would the cost be paid?	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 6, 1996
166M	A copy of all contracts between the Justice Department and independent contractors for the provision of laundry services to all provincial correctional and remand centres from June 15, 1993 to February 13, 1996. <i>As the contractor's bargaining position could be adversely affected if contract amounts are disclosed, the contracted dollar amounts, as per section 15(1) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, have been severed.</i>	Mr. Dickson	Accepted as amended March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Evans May 13, 1996
167M	The penalties assessed against commercial timber operators for breaches of the Forests Act and regulations or of the Alberta timber harvest planning and operating ground rules, where the penalty exceeded \$1000, the name of the <i>company</i> , the nature of the infringement, the amount of the penalty and the date on which the <i>penalty was assessed</i> for the period January 1, 1995 to December 31, 1995.	Mr. Van Binsbergen (Mr. N. Taylor)	Accepted as amended March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 8, 1996
168M	A list of all projects that were approved for funding under the Forest Resource Improvement Program, from January 1, 1995 until December 31, 1995, giving the name of each company, a summary of each project and the amount granted.	Mr. Van Binsbergen (Mr. N. Taylor)	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 8, 1996
169M	The staff turnover rates in the Child Welfare Division of the Department of Family and Social Services and a breakdown of each of the staffing classifications for the period January 1, 1994 to December 31, 1995.	Ms Hanson	Accepted February 28, 1996	Hon. Mr. Cardinal April 30, 1996
170M	A copy of all assessments conducted on the In-home Support Program for Families in Crises within the Department of Family and Social Services including who conducted the assessment, over what time frame, and the type of assessment used, for the period January 1, 1994, to December 31 1995.	Ms Hanson	Accepted February 28, 1996	Hon. Mr. Cardinal April 30, 1996

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171M	Copies of tests and/or data which certify the 92 percent pay out level of individual video lottery terminals owned by the Government.	Mr. Wickman	Accepted March 6, 1996	Hon. Dr. West March 11, 1996
172M	Copies of all documentation which indicate how the costs are calculated for medical supplies paid directly by patients, such as fibreglass for casts.	Mr. Sapers	Rejected February 28, 1996	
173M	A list providing the names and locations of all sites approved under each subsection of section 15.1 of the Special Waste Management Corporation Act to store hazardous waste, operate a facility for the collection of hazardous waste, treat hazardous waste and dispose of hazardous waste.	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 6, 1996
174M	A list of all site nominations submitted under the Special Places program, including their location, area and size, and the status of each nominated site in the review process on February 13, 1996.	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 6, 1996
175M	A list showing how all proceeds from the 1995 special auction and raffle for two sheep and two elk permits were distributed, including a summary of each project, the amount allocated, the name of the body responsible for administering the project and what plans have been made for auditing the projects.	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Lund May 8, 1996
176Q	What is the criteria for classifying a provincial inmate as a minimum security inmate and who determines that classification?	Mr. Dickson	Accepted March 13, 1996	Hon. Mr. Evans May 13, 1996
177Q	What is the average number of cases handled by each Crown Prosecutor in Province for the period January 1, 1995 through December 31, 1995?	Mr. Dickson	Rejected March 13, 1996	
178M	Copies of all working documents, correspondence, and recommendations written by the Alberta Government's Interdepartmental Committee on Human Rights that pertain to the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child for the period January 1, 1991, through to December 31, 1993.	Mrs. Hewes	Accepted March 20, 1996	Hon. Mr. Mar May 22, 1996
179Q	How many times did the Natural Resources and Sustainable Development Policy Committee meet, between the period December 2, 1994 and December 31, 1995, how many of those meetings were completely in camera, how many presentations were made to the Committee, and how many of these presentations were made in camera?	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted April 3, 1996	
180Q	What is the average number of files or cases handled by each of the lawyers in the Civil Law Division during the period January 1, 1995 through December 31, 1995 and how is the use of each lawyer's time evaluated?	Mr. Dickson	Rejected April 3, 1996	

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181Q	What are the "meaningful activities" referred to on page 12 of the 1994-95 Annual Report of the Justice and Attorney General department and how many individuals are participating in each of these activities?	Mr. Dickson	Accepted April 3, 1996	
182M	Copies of <i>published documents referenced</i> or prepared by or for the Government between October 1, 1993 and December 31, 1995 with respect to options for replacing the federal Goods and Services Tax (GST) and the implications for Alberta.	Dr. Percy	Agreed to as amended April 17, 1996	Hon. Mr. Dinning April 30, 1996
183M	A copy of the October 5, 1992 and October 7, 1992 minutes of the Board of Directors meeting of the Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation as noted on page 28 of the Annual Report of the Auditor General of Alberta, 1994-95.	Dr. Percy	Rejected (on division) April 3, 1996	
184M	A copy of the Trust Royalty Purchase Agreement dated October 2, 1995 between the Government and Torch Energy Advisors Incorporated.	Mr. Dalla-Longa	Accepted April 17, 1996	
185M	A copy of the Working Interest Purchase Agreement dated October 2, 1995 between the Government and Torch Energy Advisors Incorporated.	Mr. Dalla-Longa	Accepted April 17, 1996	
186M	Copies of all Alberta Crown agreements and ownership and management agreements between January 1, 1975 and December 31, 1995 respecting the agreement between the Province and participants which created the Syncrude Canada ("Alberta") joint venture and Syncrude Management Committee.	Mr. Dalla-Longa	Rejected April 17, 1996	
187Q	What is the breakdown by location of library usage for circulation and reference as referred to on page 7 of the 1994-95 Annual Report of the Justice Department?	Mr. Dickson	Accepted April 3, 1996	
188M	A copy of the 1984 Memorandum of Intent between the Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation and Chem-Security Limited, as noted on page 22 of the Annual Report of the Auditor General of Alberta, 1994-95.	Dr. Percy	Accepted April 3, 1996	
189Q	How many inspections of logging trucks were carried out between <i>January 3</i> , and February 29, 1996, within the periods 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m. to midnight and midnight to 8:00 a.m., to check for the new timber hauling permits introduced on <i>January 3, 1996</i> ; how many infringements were recorded and how many <i>penalties were recommended</i> with respect to vehicles apprehended in each time period. <i>For those inspections where a time period was not recorded, what was the total number of logging truck inspections carried out, and how many infringements were recorded and how many penalties were recommended?</i>	Mr. Van Binsbergen	Agreed to as amended April 24, 1996	
190M	A list of all fees and expenses paid to each chairperson of each subcommittee set up under Government Standing Policy Committees during 1995.	Mr. Van Binsbergen	Accepted April 24, 1996	

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191M	Copies of all documentation disclosing the amount paid by the Department of Health for any moving expenses incurred by Jane Fulton or by the Department on behalf of Jane Fulton, pursuant to the Public Service Regulations, Chapter C, during the period March 1, 1995 to March 15, 1996.	Mr. Sapers	Accepted April 24, 1996	
192Q	As of December 31, 1995, how many Treaty Indians were employed by the Government and how many were members of a recognized Alberta band?	Dr. Nicol	Accepted April 24, 1996	Hon. Mr. Cardinal April 30, 1996
193Q	How much was paid out in severance to each of the previous board members and senior officials who were released when the Alberta Liquor Control Board, Alberta Lotteries, Alberta Lotteries and Gaming, the Alberta Gaming Commission, and the Gaming Control Branch were amalgamated into the Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission?	Mr. Wickman	Rejected April 24, 1996	
194Q	What Community Facility Enhancement Program II (CFEP II) grants were approved that required the Minister responsible for Lotteries to exercise discretion since the application did not fit the original policies for eligibility and what was the rationale for a CFEP II grant to these applicants?	Mr. Wickman	Rejected April 24, 1996	
195M	Copies of any reports by TransAlta Energy Corporation or Transalta Utilities Corporation to the Department of Environmental Protection between January 1 and December 31, 1995 concerning the timing and volume of water release from dams controlled by either corporation.	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted May 22, 1996	
196M	Copies of any agreements between TransAlta Energy Corporation or TransAlta Utilities Corporation and any irrigation district supplied to the Department of Environmental Protection from January 1, 1990 to March 31, 1996 regarding the regulation of water release from dams controlled by either corporation.	Mr. Collingwood	Rejected May 22, 1996	
197M	A list of all Government programs for controlling pets and predators on public lands, together with the associated implementation policies and the name of the department and branch responsible for carrying out the control.	Mr. Collingwood	Accepted May 22, 1996	
198M	A copy of the December 16, 1985 letter from the Chairman of the Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation to the Minister of Environmental Protection, as referred to on page 24 of the Auditor General's Annual Report, 1994-95.	Dr. Percy	Rejected May 22, 1996	
199M	Copies of all working documents, studies and reports prepared by or for the Government, Syncrude Canada, Syncrude Canada Joint Venture and the Syncrude Management Committee estimating accrued reclamation cost for the Syncrude Project.	Mr. Dalla-Longa		

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200M	A copy of the agreement to maintain the Athabasca Mining Reclamation Trust between the Government, Athabasca Oil Sands Investments Inc., and Montreal Trust Company of Canada Inc.	Mr. Dalla-Longa		
201M	A copy of the October 5, 1992 and October 7, 1992 minutes of the Board of Directors' meeting of the Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation, as noted on page 28 of the Auditor General's Annual Report, 1994-95.\	Dr. Percy	Withdrawn in accordance with the written request of Dr. Percy, May 7, 1996	
202M	Copies of all working documents, memorandum and studies prepared by or for the Minister of Environmental Protection between March 30, 1989 and December 31, 1992 resulting in the decision to defer the June 1989 review of the Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation Joint Venture Agreement until 1992, as noted on page 27 of the Auditor General's Annual Report, 1994-95.	Dr. Percy	Rejected May 22, 1996	
203M	A list of all licences, registrations, accreditations, goods and services for which the Department of Labour charges a fee and the amount or range of that fee.	Ms Leibovici		
204M	The Department of Labour document entitled, "To the Workplace 2000," and any other documents or records the Government possess which list the companies whose occupational health and safety records are of concern to the Government and/or are being closely monitored by the Government.	Ms Leibovici		
205M	A list of all individuals, companies and organizations the Workers' Compensation Board has made payment to for goods or services provided, complete with amount each individual, company and organization was pad for the fiscal years 1993-94 to 1995-96.	Mr. Kirkland		
206Q	What is the number of drug overdoses experienced by offenders housed at the Calgary Young Offender Centre that have been reported and/or treated during the period May 1, 1995 to May 1, 1996?	Mr. Bruseker		
207Q	What is the number of drug overdoses experienced by offenders housed at the Lethbridge Young Offender Centre that have been reported and/or treated during the period May 1, 1995 to May 1, 1996?	Mr. Bruseker		
208Q	What is the number of drug overdoses experienced by offenders housed at the Edmonton Young Offender Centre that have been reported and/or treated during the period May 1, 1995 to May 1, 1996? Mr. Bruseker			

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209M	A copy of the original Report of the Efficiency Review Team, Correctional Services Division, Department of Justice, to the Minister of Justice and Attorney General, dated October 31, 1995, with none of the information removed. Mr. Bruseker			
210M	A summary of the information and data used to determine the \$75 million annual cost of the Government's Farm Income Disaster Program (FISP). Dr. Nicol			
211Q	What is the difference between the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) computer model now used by the Department of Environmental Protection to simulate air emissions in Alberta the STACKS2 model which it replaces; how has the EPA model been modified and why, and what is the difference between the results achieved with STACKS2, the United States EPA model and the Alberta-modified EPA model for sulphur dioxide emissions from any one plant in the Edmonton/ Sherwood Park area? Mr. Collingwood			
212M	Copies of all information available regarding traffic flow patterns, accident occurrence statistics and highway condition information on highway 794 between highway 16X and the Town of Westlock for the period May 1, 1990 to May 1, 1996. Ms Soetaert			
213M	The trade show schedule for the Department of Economic Development and Tourism for the period April 1, 1996 to March 31, 1997; the budgeted overall cost, and if possible, cost-breakdown per show of participating in the shows; which individuals will be involved with the Department's participation; and a listing of the follow-up mechanism that the Government intends to use to determine the value of participation in these trade shows. Mr. Bruseker			
214M	A copy of the 1991 contracts between the Government and the operator of the campgrounds at Rochon Sands Provincial Park, Buffalo Lake Provincial Recreational Area and the Narrows Provincial Recreation Area and any amendments made when the contracts were renewed in 1996. Mr. Van Binsbergen			