



Inquiry into Annual and Financial Reports 2023–24

Answer to question taken on notice

Asked by: Jo Clay MLA

Addressed to: Tara Cheyne MLA, Minister for City and Government Services

In relation to: FOGO facility costs

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Tara Cheyne MLA, Minister for City and Government Services took on notice the following question(s):

THE CHAIR: Sure. And have you – have we got a cost for likely spend for how much it will cost to build the in-vessel? And have you looked at the costs of doing it in a decentralised model? It must be hard to weight it up if we are not looking at the costs of different models.

Ms Geraghty: So we will take that through the procurement process this year and next year to make sure we have got the best value for money approach for the territory.

THE CHAIR: Yes. So have you taken on notice what the cost of the in-vessel will be? Did I hear you take that on notice?

Ms Geraghty: We will take that on notice.

Tara Cheyne MLA, Minister for City and Government Services: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

The Territory's cost estimate for the FOGO processing facility is commercial in confidence on the basis it relates to a planned procurement process. The final cost of the FOGO processing facility will be determined through this process by the delivery partner.

The Commonwealth has committed \$13 million to the delivery of the FOGO Facility. The Territory intends to at least match this contribution. The remainder of the costs will be financed by the delivery partner.

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By Tara Cheyne MLA, Minister for City and Government Services