



Inquiry into Caretaker Conventions

Answer to question taken on notice

Asked by: LEANNE CASTLEY MLA

Addressed to: CHIEF MINISTER

Redirected to:

In relation to: City Renewal Authority and CRA contract of sale of Block 1 Section 121

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ANDREW BARR MLA took on notice the following question(s):

MS CASTLEY: Well, yes, I mean I would like to know why was it important to wait until after the election? Did you or anyone in your government provide an instruction to EPSDD to withdraw the briefing pack or hold off providing a brief to Ms Lee until after the election?

Mr Barr: I do not believe so, but I will absolutely check the record for you. I will take that on notice.

ANDREW BARR MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

The information briefing was withdrawn as the sale for Block 1 Section 121 would not be completed at that time. The Chief Executive Officer City Renewal Authority requested the information brief be withdrawn on this basis.

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Caretaker Conventions

Signature:

Date: **15.10.25**

By the Chief Minister, Andrew Barr MLA