Inquiry into referred 2018–19 Annual and Financial Reports
ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE

Asked by Vicki Dunne MLA -

In relation to: the 2018–19 annual report of the Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate – [ref p76 – Minister’s Creative Council]

1. On what matters has the minister sought advice from the council since its inception;
2. What recommendations or other matters of advice has the council given to the minister since its inception;
3. Did the minister accept and implement the recommendations or other matters of advice and, if no, why; and
4. What matters is the council considering during 2019-20?

Gordon Ramsay MLA: The answer to the Member’s question is as follows:–

1. As the Minister for the Arts, Creative Industries and Cultural Events, I have sought advice from the Minister’s Creative Council on the Arts Biennial.

2. The Minister’s Creative Council first met in December 2018. The minutes from each meeting are provided to me as Minister for the Arts, Creative Industries and Cultural Events. Council discussions have canvassed a wide range of matters associated with the establishment of the Council workplan, cultural mapping and sector engagement. The Council has commenced publishing summaries of meeting outcomes on the artsACT website https://www.arts.act.gov.au/community-participation/Ministers-creative-council

3. The Council provided advice on the Arts Biennial. The Minister accepted this advice and referred it to the Creative Producer, noting the Creative Producer of the Biennial will lead the work and the Council will be available for further advice.
4. The Council will undertake a planning day in December to outline priority matters for 2020.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Economic Development and Tourism

Signature: Gordon Ramsay
Date: 27/11/19

By the Minister for the Arts, Creative Industries and Cultural Events, Gordon Ramsay MLA