

**Question on Notice
No. 744
Asked on 11 May 2006**

MRS STUCKEY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TOURISM, FAIR TRADING AND WINE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT (MRS KEECH)—

With reference to Administered Revenue—

Will she advise, for 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 to date (reported separately) what,

- (a) interest has been earned on property agents' trust accounts;
- (b) property agents and motor dealers licensing fees have been earned and how many property agents and motor dealers this represents;
- (c) business name registration fees have been received and how many business registrations this represents;
- (d) security industry licensing fees have been received and how many security industry licences this represents;
- (e) liquor licensing fees have been received and how many liquor licences this represents;
- (f) revenue has been earned from fines (detailed by category); and
- (g) other fees have been raised (detailed by category)?

ANSWER:

I am advised by my Department that:

Interest received on trust accounts held by licensees under the *Property Agents and Motor Dealers Act 2000* for the financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April) were \$23,004,101; \$24,221,149; and \$22,404,855, respectively.

The total licensing and registration fees received under the Act for the financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April) were \$10,380,418; \$13,227,937 and \$10,665,720, respectively. This related to a licensed population at the end of each reported period of 38,131; 40,937; and 44,684, respectively.

Business Names fees, including new applications, renewals and searches, received under the *Business Names Act 1962* for the financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April) were \$19,283,753; \$17,483,911 and \$16,194,511 respectively. This related to a registered business names population at the end of each reported period of 219,235; 235,951; and 244,250, respectively.

Licensing fees received under the *Security Providers Act 1993* for the financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April) were \$2,472,335; \$3,034,101 and \$2,327,870, respectively. This related to a licensed population at the end of each reported period of 14,692; 14,965; and 16,327, respectively.

Licensing fees received under the *Liquor Act 1992* for the financial years 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April) were \$1,941,736; \$1,910,842; and \$1,644,369, respectively. This related to a licensed population at the end of each reported period of 585 licences 11,911 permits and 7,000 miscellaneous applications; 667 licences, 11,788 permits and 7,433 miscellaneous applications; and 629 licences, 9,590 permits and 6,798 miscellaneous applications, respectively.

As no category has been defined, total fines imposed by my Department for 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April 2006) were \$861,887; \$1,113,831; and \$1,079,429, respectively.

As no category has been defined, total revenue raised by fees other than those already reported for 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 (to 30 April 2006) were \$2,786,381; \$2,716,589; and \$2,090,850, respectively.