

QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 434

asked on Tuesday, 13 March 2007

MR FENLON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER AND MINISTER ASSISTING THE PREMIER IN NORTH QUEENSLAND (MR WALLACE)—

QUESTION:

How many households to date have applied for the WaterWise Rebate Scheme within the Greenslopes Electorate and which particular water saving rebates these applications were for?

ANSWER:

Applications are not recorded on an electorate basis. However, as at 14 March 2007, the Home WaterWise Rebate Scheme (HWRS) had approved rebate payments totalling 60,174 applications to the value of \$31.835M. One application may include claims for multiple products.

The most popular rebate item is rainwater tanks and the HWRS has approved 26,244 rebate applications for rainwater tanks to the value of \$25.60M.

The second most popular rebate item is clothes washing machines and the HWRS has approved 23,357 rebate applications for clothes washing machines to the value of \$4.67M.