

Question on Notice

No. 1233

Asked on Tuesday 15 September 2009

MS SIMPSON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT (MS NOLAN) —

QUESTION:

With reference to the organisational structure of TransLink Transit Authority—
Will the Minister outline the structure, identifying all roles with a salary package exceeding \$100,000 per annum and in relation to these positions, identify the role title, salary package and a brief job description?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Maroochydhore for the question.

The TransLink Transit Authority network spans from Noosa on the Sunshine Coast to Coolangatta on the Gold Coast and west to Helidon, an area of over 10 000 square kilometres, managing 20 individual operators with contracts worth more than \$1 billion. It is the largest area of integrated ticketing in the world.

The TransLink Transit Authority has undertaken an organisational restructure to cut corporate costs, which will save \$1.7M in 2009/10. Translink is also targeting a further \$1.1M in corporate cost savings in 2009/10.

As at 1 October 2009, there were 46 Translink positions with salary packages of \$100 000 or more, including superannuation and other fringe benefits. This is down from 66 positions at 20 June 2009, a reduction of 30%.