Question on Notice No. 1743 Asked on 11 October 2016

Mr Nicholls asked the Premier and Minister for the Arts (Hon. A Palaszczuk)—

With reference to the answer to Question on Notice No. 1308—

Will the Premier advise, for the 2015-16 financial year, (a) the number of occasions where departments or agencies under the administration of the Premier sought advice from either (i) counsel or a private law firm or (ii) in-house legal units, about whether to proceed with legal action against a contractor, former contractor, employee or former employee to the State Government for actions undertaken as a contractor or employee and (b) the number of occasions in both (i) and (ii) in which legal action proceeded?

ANSWER:

In relation to the Department of the Premier and Cabinet, I am advised by the Director-General of the department as follows in relation to civil proceedings against a contractor, former contractor, employee or former employee:-

- (a) Nil
- (b) Nil