

## **Question on Notice**

**No. 56**

**Asked on 13 February 2019**

**MR J LISTER** ASKED DEPUTY PREMIER, TREASURER AND MINISTER FOR ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PARTNERSHIPS (HON J TRAD)—

### **QUESTION:**

Will the Treasurer advise (a) the current outstanding value of State Penalties Enforcement Registry debt and (b) the total value for each of the last 12 months (reported separately by each month)?

### **ANSWER:**

The State Penalties Enforcement Registry (SPER) has significantly reduced the debt pool's rate of growth from 8.7% in 2013-14 and 18.7% in 2014-15 to 3.2% in 2017-18, and 2.5% in the 2018-19 year to 28 February 2019.

SPER reports data on the status of debt registered with SPER as at the end of each month, consistent with financial reporting practices.

Details of the amount of unpaid debt registered with SPER at the end of each of the last 12 months is outlined in the following table.

<b>Month</b>	<b>Outstanding debt value</b>
March 2018	\$1.219 billion
April 2018	\$1.223 billion
May 2018	\$1.230 billion
June 2018	\$1.233 billion
July 2018	\$1.236 billion
August 2018	\$1.236 billion
September 2018	\$1.234 billion
October 2018	\$1.249 billion
November 2018	\$1.251 billion
December 2018	\$1.255 billion
January 2019	\$1.263 billion
February 2019	\$1.264 billion