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QUESTION PAPER

Pabyr Feyshtyn

DOUGLAS
17th January 2012
at 10.30 am

FOR ORAL ANSWER

1. The Hon. Member for Douglas North (Mr Houghton) to ask the Chief Minister -

What action he proposes to take to improve the diminished standards of prosecutions within the Attorney General's Chambers?

2. The Hon. Member for Onchan (Mr Hall) to ask the Chief Minister -

Further to his statement at the December 2011 sitting of this Honourable Court that the culture of Government has to change, if he will advise this Honourable Court what precisely he has in mind and also update this Honourable Court on the activity, results achieved, progress against plan and forthcoming initiatives of the Transforming Government Group and its programme?

3. The Hon. Member for Douglas South (Mrs Beecroft) to ask the Minister for the Treasury –

With reference to his Written Answer to Question 31 at the December sitting, whether he acknowledges that –

- (a) as at 30th November 2010 CinemaNX Films One was a wholly owned subsidiary of CinemaNX Limited and CinemaNX Productions One Limited was a wholly owned subsidiary of CinemaNX Films One;
- (b) the financial statements of CinemaNX Productions One Limited for the year ended 30th November 2010 reflect dividends paid during the year of £585,351;
- (c) the financial statements of CinemaNX Films One Limited for the year ended 30th November 2010 reflect £505,526 received in respect of income from shares in group undertakings;

and if he will explain the difference of £79,825 between the dividend paid by CinemaNX Productions One Limited and the amount received by CinemaNX Films One Limited?

4. The Hon. Member for Douglas South (Mrs Beecroft) to ask the Minister for the Treasury –

In respect of the engagement of Oxford Economics if he will confirm:

- (a) the date that they were approached;
- (b) the date that they were appointed;
- (c) the cost;
- (d) the brief they were given;
- (e) what information and parameters they have been given.

5. The Hon. Member for Douglas South (Mrs Beecroft) to ask the Minister for the Treasury –

If he will confirm who will receive the income from the various films produced since the funds were passed to CinemaNX Limited should the contract with CinemaNX Limited not be renewed?

6. The Hon. Member of Council (Mr Turner) to ask the Minister for Home Affairs -

Under the 24 hour licensing legislation, what restrictions have been imposed on licensees preventing entry to establishments after certain times and what legislation enforces such restrictions?

7. The Hon. Member for Douglas South (Mrs Beecroft) to ask the Minister for Economic Development -

What has been the economic impact to the Isle of Man caused by the cancelled sailings by the Steam Packet in the past three months?

8. The Hon. Member for Michael (Mr Cannan) to ask the Minister for Education and Children -

Further to his predecessor's statement in Tynwald on 18th January 2011 and his own statement in the Keys on 25th October 2011, if he will confirm on what basis Heritage Homes had full access to the zoned land relevant to the Kirk Michael School Land Exchange Agreement?

9. The Hon. Member for Michael (Mr Cannan) to ask the Minister for Education and Children -

In light of comments made regarding funding, what changes, if any, the Department is proposing to make to financial support currently given to University and Higher Education students?

10. The Hon. Member for Michael (Mr Cannan) to ask the Minister for Education and Children -

In merging the Isle of Man College of Further Education and the International Business School:

- (a) what is the future vision for both entities; and
- (b) what is the envisaged cost saving?

11. The Hon. Member of Council (Mr Callister) to ask the Minister for Environment, Food and Agriculture -
- (a) During the past three years how many agricultural buildings attracting Government grants were approved and constructed;
 - (b) what was the total amount of grant aid paid;
 - (c) how many local contractors were invited to tender; and
 - (d) how many local contractors submitted successful tenders?

FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

12. The Hon. Member of Council (Mr Callister) to ask the Chief Minister -

What the Government headcount in post was at -

- (a) 31st March 2010;
 - (b) 31st March 2011;
- and what the predicted number is for
- (c) 31st March 2012?

13. The Hon. Member for Garff (Mr Speaker) to ask the Chief Minister –

If he will provide in respect of each of the following bodies:

1. Airport Division;
 2. Arts Council;
 3. Attorney General's Chambers;
 4. Chief Secretary's Office;
 5. Communications Commission;
 6. Community, Culture and Leisure;
 7. Companies Registry;
 8. Council of Ministers;
 9. Economic Development;
 10. Education and Children;
 11. Environment, Food and Agriculture;
 12. Financial Supervision Commission;
 13. Freedom to Flourish;
 14. Gambling Supervision Commission;
 15. General Registry;
 16. Harbours;
 17. Health;
 18. Highways;
 19. Home Affairs;
 20. Infrastructure;
 21. Insurance and Pensions Authority;
 22. Information Systems Division;
 23. Isle of Man Office of Fair Trading;
 24. Isle of Man Post Office;
 25. Office of the Data Protection Supervisor;
 26. Social Care;
 27. Safeguarding Children Board;
 28. Manx Electricity Authority;
 29. Manx National Heritage;
 30. Office of Human Resources;
 31. Treasury;
 32. Water and Sewerage Authority;
- (a) a list, either by the company name or individual's name, of all consultancy contracts currently in place;
 - (b) the purpose of that consultancy;
 - (c) the duration of the consultancy and when it is due to expire;
 - (d) the number of consultants employed by each consultancy contract identifying whether each consultant's permanent place of residence is in the Island or not; and
 - (e) the total cost of each consultancy contract?

14. The Hon. Member for Douglas North (Mr Houghton) to ask the Minister for Home Affairs –

In each of the last five years how many offences in the following categories have been committed by restricted drivers:

- (a) speeding;
- (b) minor traffic offences/collisions; and
- (c) collisions involving injuries?

15. The Hon. Member for Garff (Mr Speaker) to ask the Minister for Education and Children –

In respect of the £267,500 cost of setting up the centralised pupil data system (as advised to Tynwald in December 2011 Written Answer) what the breakdown of the cost is expressed as:

- (a) fees to consultants for setting up the database;
- (b) purchase of computer hardware;
- (c) purchase of computer software;
- (d) all other costs; and
- (e) future projected costs?

16. The Hon. Member for Garff (Mr Speaker) to ask the Minister for Education and Children –

In respect of the £44,000 annual running cost of the centralised pupil data system (as advised to Tynwald in December 2011 Written Answer), what the breakdown of the cost is expressed as:

- (a) salary to staff members;
- (b) consultancy fees;
- (c) maintenance fees;
- (d) all other costs; and
- (e) future projected costs?

17. The Hon. Member for Garff (Mr Speaker) to ask the Minister for Education and Children –

In respect of the Department's centralised pupil data system:

- (a) what automated triggers are intended to enable early intervention; and
- (b) which, if any, of these triggers are linked to safeguarding?

18. The Hon. Member of Council (Mr Callister) to ask the Chairman of the Civil Service Commission -

What the total number of civil servants employed by Government was at -

- (a) 31st March 2010;
- (b) 31st March 2011?