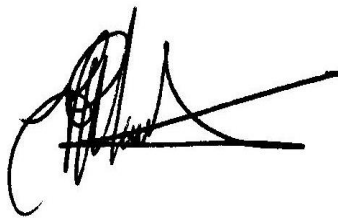


20 May, 2015

NOTICE OF QUESTIONS

Notice has been received from Hon Members of the following oral and written questions to be asked at the Meeting of the Gibraltar Parliament to be held on 20th May 2015.



Paul E Martinez
Clerk to the Parliament

QUESTION No: 275/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment please confirm what the position is in relation to the venue for Industrial Tribunal hearings?

QUESTION No: 276/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment provide more detail as to the information he was able to obtain following his visit to the UK Employment Tribunal?

QUESTION No: 277/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Employment confirm how many jobs will be provided for Gibraltarians at the Sunborn Hotel in the restaurant it is reportedly opening in May this year?



QUESTION No: 278/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Small Businesses please provide details of how the business nurturing scheme will work?

QUESTION No: 279/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Has the Minister for Health & Safety an explanation as to why the Factory Inspectors have an almost exclusive predominance of inspections of the Construction Industry Group every month of every year?

QUESTION No: 280/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health & Safety request that someone correct the true historical figures in the Government Website in relation to the Health & Safety for 2012, as in the tables shown, it has the 2013 figures, something which of course is reproduced once again in 2013?

QUESTION No: 281/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health & Safety please provide the Health & Safety statistics for the month of April 2015, as these were not available in the Government website at the time of submitting Questions to Parliament?

QUESTION No: 282/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister Health & Safety provide the number of working days lost through accidents at work during 2012, 2013 and 2014, broken down by months, sex, Industry group and cost?

QUESTION No: 283/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister Health & Safety say how many Codes of Practice in Health & Safety have been created during the term of office of this Government and, if so, inform Parliament of the subject-matter and provide Parliament with a copy of such?



QUESTION No: 284/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Employment and Health & Safety state the names of courses on Health & Safety to Future Job Strategy trainees during this Government term of office other than the 'Introduction to Health & Safety in Construction Sites', stating the name of the training provider in each case, the type of training provided and the cost of providing such training?

QUESTION No: 285/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health & Safety state if new Health & Safety Committees have now emerged in Government Departments, Authorities, Agency and Government owned companies (other than the existing one of the GHA), during the term of office of the present Government and, if so, please state where and when?

QUESTION No: 286/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health & Safety please state if any review/s of the Health & Safety Inspectorate team, the current legislation, its policies and procedures have been carried out since December 2011 in so far as it applies to the private sector and Government's organisations and, if so, provide Parliament with a copy of the review/s?

QUESTION No: 287/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 5 of 2015, can the Minister for Health & Safety provide an update to the plan alluded by himself in relation to the need to have a more balanced approach to inspections across all industry groups and in terms of infrastructure and human resources that may be required as a result of such a plan?

QUESTION No: 288/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Is the Minister for Health & Safety aware of the sudden and unilateral way in which IOSH UK has taken the decision to remove the local branch from its Associate Membership, and whether the Hon. Minister will use his good office to assist the local branch regain the link to IOSH UK given the benefits accrued to professional, trade unionist and employers alike from such membership?



QUESTION No: 289/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister with responsibility for the Post Office, state if there are two community sub Post Offices closed and, if so, state the period in which such offices to the public have been closed, and when is the intention of having them re-opened?

QUESTION No: 290/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Heritage provide details of all works, together with a breakdown of respective cost, undertaken at any heritage related site since the answer provided to Question No. 189 of 2015; as well as stating by whom these works were carried out?

QUESTION No: 291/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Sports and Leisure provide details of the Life-Guards manning levels provided at the Indoor Swimming Pools?

QUESTION No: 292/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health state how many elderly citizens are presently occupying a bed at St Bernard's Hospital, the new Mental Health facility and the John Cochrane Unit, who are waiting for a Care Agency bed, broken down by wards?

QUESTION No: 293/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health provide the figures of people suffering from Alzheimer's and Dementia by showing a breakdown of those occupying a bed in St Bernard's Hospital/John Cochrane Ward, Mount Alvernia and in the community by stating the degree, that is, whether mild, medium or acute, of the person's condition?



QUESTION No: 294/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Elderly state whether he has received from the Care Agency their request for staffing needs for the new Alzheimer & Dementia facility at the former RNH site and, if so, please provide the breakdown in relation to grades and specialist professional needed, and what the extra cost will be?

QUESTION No: 295/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health state the number of patients with a debilitating disease, broken down by type and dependency level?

QUESTION No: 296/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health provide Parliament with copies of the Health & Safety reports conducted for the GHA during 2014 and 2015?

QUESTION No: 297/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government state if in all Government departments, Authorities and Agencies there are printers that have the facility for double-sided printing?

QUESTION No: 298/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many licences have been issued since January of this year to vessels and its owners for the purpose of fishing with long lines, broken down by Nationality and stating whether such vessels are owned by individual persons or commercial entities?

QUESTION No: 299/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many occasions have vessels been within BGTW who have been seen to be fishing with long lines since January of this year without a valid licence, broken down by Nationality and date?



QUESTION No: 300/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many unlawful incursions into BGTW have taken place by the Spanish fishermen since the new licence regime came into effect by Gibraltar Government, broken down on a monthly basis, and how many of these have ended with a fine, appropriation of the boat or the confiscation of their assets?

QUESTION No: 301/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many spot checks have been carried-out by the protection and enforcement team of the Department of the Environment in relation to Bluefin Tuna fishing since commencement of the legislation?

QUESTION No: 302/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state what has been the tonnage of Bluefin Tuna caught and registered in Gibraltar since the current legislation was enacted?

QUESTION No: 303/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment provide Parliament with a statement as a result of the comments made by the European Commissioner for the Environment, Maritime Affairs and Fisheries, Mr. Karmenu Vella with regard to the catch of Bluefin Tuna by Gibraltar fishermen?

QUESTION No: 304/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 25 of 2015 can the Minister for the Environment state:

- (a) The information available so far in the Department of the Environment Fisheries Database; and
- (b) The figures for the fish tagging programmes and type?



QUESTION No: 305/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 361 of 2014, can the Minister for the Environment state what further recommendation/s from the Fishing Report has been implemented in the following 12 months?

QUESTION No: 306/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say if the Department of the Environment is aware of the report made by the Spanish Conservation Association of Studies and Information of Cetaceans, whereby it concludes that tests carried-out to dolphins in the Strait of Gibraltar and the Gulf of Cadiz observes high levels of flame retardant chemicals defined as Polibrominated diphenyl ethers or PBDEs restricted under the Stockholm 2004 Convention and, if so, provide Parliament with a statement to this effect and any measure introduced or planned on order to curtail such affliction to dolphins within BGTW?

QUESTION No: 307/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if the test on marine currents alluded to by the Minister back in February of this year off the south-west of Gibraltar has now ended and, if so, provide a statement as to the results of such a survey?

QUESTION No: 308/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state the number of seagulls culled throughout Gibraltar for 2014, and 2015 so far?

QUESTION No: 309/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many feral cats and Seagulls have been culled in the Upper Rock Nature Reserve during 2014 and 2015, broken down by months?



QUESTION No: 310/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state the number of Partridges imported from Morocco, the number that remains alive after the release, and whether there have been any chicks born since then?

QUESTION No: 311/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state what was the population of the Macaques for 2014, and for the months of 2015?

QUESTION No: 312/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state what has been birth rate of macaques for the last 10 years, broken down by year?

QUESTION No: 313/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if it is envisaged that the Government will be exporting further macaques during the course of this year?

QUESTION No: 314/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 650 of 2014, can the Minister for the Environment provide the figures since October 2014 to date for the number of attacks by Macaques to persons who have had scratches; antibiotics prescribed; sutures and admitted to hospital if any, broken down by months?

QUESTION No: 315/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to Question No. 202 of 2015, can the Minister for the Environment say how many individuals have been fined or cautioned for the illegal enticing or feeding of macaques contrary to the legislation, either inside or outside the Upper Rock Nature Reserve, stating where, the Nationality, the amounts imposed, which entity imposed the fine, whether some cases are waiting to be heard in the Courts, during the financial year 2014/2015?



QUESTION No: 316/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment provide Parliament with a copy of the Gibraltar Macaque Management Plan?

QUESTION No: 317/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Given the latest answer by the Minister for the Environment in which he stated that by Spring of this year he will publish the Upper Rock Management Plan, can he confirm that this has now happened and, if so, provide Parliament with a copy?

QUESTION No: 318/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer to Question No. 735 of 2014 (December), can the Minister for the Environment state what maintenance has taken place in order to replace the broken seats within the Botanic Gardens and how many potholes have been filled since then?

QUESTION No: 319/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if he is willing to publish the minutes of the Nature Conservancy Council either in a dedicated website of their own or in the Government website as is the case with their colleagues in the UK by the Joint Nature Conservancy Committee and, if so, provide Parliament with copies of such?

QUESTION No: 320/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if the UK Government has now been referred to the Courts by European Commission due to the failure of the Gibraltar Government to provide a sewage treatment plant as highlighted by the local press and, if not, what assurances have been given to the Commission of an early start in the provision of such a facility?



QUESTION No: 321/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 740 of 2014 (December), can the Minister for the Environment state what progress has been made to the Sewage system as alluded by the Hon. Minister in his reply, what further works are envisaged during this year, and by when does the Minister expect the works for the new Sewage treatment plant to begin?

QUESTION No: 322/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 744 of 2014 (December), can the Minister for the Environment state if the target date for concluding the works for the Municipal Waste Treatment Plant is late 2015 as alluded to by the Hon. Minister and, if not, please update Parliament with developments in this area?

QUESTION No: 323/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 23 of 2015, can the Minister for the Environment state whether officials from his department have now contacted officials of either the *Ayuntamiento de los Barrios*, or from the *Junta de Andalucía's Consejería de Residuos y Calidad del Suelo*, in order to determine if the Company Gamasur has violated any European Environmental laws given the fact that Gibraltar uses such facility to dispose of some material containing dangerous substances?

QUESTION No: 324/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 24 of 2015, can the Minister for the Environment state if the tender process for the installation of a Waste Treatment Facility has now concluded and can the Minister say when will works start, whether the plant will produce all the by-products stated in the Gibraltar Waste Management Plan, page 78 as stated in my question and what will be the total cost of the project?

QUESTION No: 325/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment please provide the amount of CO² per capita produced in Gibraltar during the last three years, broken down by years and by the different sectors which contributed to the total?



QUESTION No: 326/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment please provide from his department a comparative chart to show how Gibraltar compares in the production of CO² per capita against all the other British Overseas Territories?

QUESTION No: 327/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if an Environmental Impact Assessment has been carried out or likely to be carried out to assess the impact on the environment that could take place with the proposal to have a football stadium at the Europa Point location and, if so, provide Parliament with a copy?

QUESTION No: 328/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Given the recent European Parliament decision to curtail the use of plastic carriers by 80% by 2025, can the Minister for the Environment state what plans does the Government have to achieve this target or to obtain such a target before the 2025 deadline given the negative environmental impact to marine biodiversity?

QUESTION No: 329/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if the problems with water pollution at Western Beach have now ended, and provide Parliament with an update in this matter?

QUESTION No: 330/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many persons have been fined as a result of dog fouling since the current CCTV crackdown started in May 2013, broken down by months and district, and whether any exemptions have been made since the commencement of this programme to any individual/s and why?



QUESTION No: 331/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say, on how many occasions have litter tickets been issued either by the RGP, the Environmental Agency or any other entity, on a monthly basis during 2014, and 2015 so far, stating the number of tickets issued per organisation, and the number of fines arising from the issuing of such tickets?

QUESTION No: 332/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state on how many occasions have the Environmental Protection Officers cautioned or fined any person for any breach to the Nature Protection Act or any of its subsidiary legislation during the financial year 2014/2015, broken down by months and stating the particular offence/s breached?

QUESTION No: 333/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment please state how many solar panels have been installed during the financial year 2014/2015 as, stating the building, the amount of energy harnessed, and could the Hon Minister say the name of the contractor that did the works?

QUESTION No: 334/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say if all the necessary assessments to investigate the feasibility of installing wind turbines in both onshore and offshore have now taken place, and provide Parliament with an updated statement on this matter?

QUESTION No: 335/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 738 of 2014 (December), can the Minister for the Environment say if works have now concluded by the company Eco Wave Power Ltd, and where are we in relation to receiving energy into our grid from such a plant?



QUESTION No: 336/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state the amount of energy that has been produced by renewable energy sources both in kilowatts and as a percentage of the total amount of energy produced in Gibraltar during the financial year 2014/2015, stating the location/s, the type of renewable energy obtained and the amount of money saved as a result of the introduction of such renewable energy source?

QUESTION No: 337/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state if our electricity grid has facilities to enable connections from renewable energy equipment and, if so, specify for which type of renewable equipment this is now incorporated and for which ones it is not available?

QUESTION No: 338/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment provide Parliament with a copy of the National Energy Efficiency Action Plan as stated to Written Question No. 179 of 2014?

QUESTION No: 339/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to Written Question No. 98 of 2014, can the Minister for the Environment say if an Environmental Park has now been identified and, if so, what progress has been made to commence operations?

QUESTION No: 340/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say on how many occasions has the Climate Change Forum met during the financial year 2014/2015, providing the dates and subjects discussed?



QUESTION No: 341/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 737 of 2014 (December), can the Minister for the Environment provide Parliament with a copy of the Gibraltar Climate Change Programme?

QUESTION No: 342/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say if there are currently any tenders that have been forwarded to the Official Journal of the European Union on environmental projects or likely to be sent in the following 60 days and, if so, say what projects or services they are for and provide a summary of such projects?

QUESTION No: 343/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 742 of 2014 (December), can the Minister state if the review alluded to by him has now taken place, and provide Parliament with a statement as to the content of the review and any updating, if any, of the Environmental Action and Management Plan?

QUESTION No: 344/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment provide Parliament with copies of the Department of the Environment Annual Reports for 2013 and 2014?

QUESTION No: 345/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government provide Parliament with copies of all Health & Safety, and Environmental reports available to the Government in relation to the new Power Station and the LNG facility?

QUESTION No: 346/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Government please explain why it has not installed an air monitoring station in the vicinity of the temporary generators and the Waterport power station?



QUESTION No: 347/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Is the Government satisfied with the levels of Nitrogen Dioxide in the 27 Nitrogen Diffusion monitoring sites in Gibraltar?

QUESTION No: 348/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Why have graphs and tables published on the Air Quality website for Rosia Road, Withams Road and Bleak House nitrogen diffusion monitoring sites on various dates this year, shown values in excess of 200 Micrograms per Cubic Meter of Air only to be changed within hours to show values significantly below that?

QUESTION No: 349/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Government please state whether it is committed to publishing any reports on the safety and viability of the proposed LNG installation and, if so, when do they expect them to be published?

QUESTION No: 350/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Tourism please provide details of the number of land frontier visitor arrivals since February 2015?

QUESTION No: 351/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Tourism please state how many arrivals there have been by air on UK scheduled flights for seats used since January 2015 to date?

QUESTION No: 352/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Tourism provide details of the number of yacht arrivals on a month by month basis from October 2014 to date?



QUESTION No: 353/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Tourism please provide an update on the number of cruise liners together with passengers and crew who have arrived in the months of March and April 2015?

QUESTION No: 354/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Further to the answer provided to Question No. 235 of 2015, can the Minister for Housing confirm to this House that the Garage Barriers at Mid-harbour Estate are now operational on a permanent basis?

QUESTION No: 355/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details of arrears in respect of unpaid rents pertaining to Government rental homes as at 30th April 2015?

QUESTION No: 356/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing say how much expenditure has been incurred in respect of legal costs relating to the eviction of squatters from Government rental homes since the answer provided to Question No. 233 of 2015; providing a breakdown showing the number of homes involved and to whom payments were made?

QUESTION No: 357/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing say when the tenant listed in answer to Question No. 231 of 2015 who required urgent decanting from his/her home will be able to return to his/her own dwelling?



QUESTION No: 358/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details of how many tenants required urgent decanting from their homes, since the answer to Question No. 232 of 2015; indicating the reason why, the date when said decanting became necessary and the date when the tenants were able to return to their home?

QUESTION No: 359/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details in respect of all expenditure incurred, since the answer to Question No. 226 of 2015, in respect of contracts awarded for making empty homes suitable for re-allocation; stating to whom payments were made, how much has been paid, the number of residential homes pertaining to each payment, as well as indicating the type/nature of repair works or cleaning services undertaken?

QUESTION No: 360/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide full details of how much has been written off in respect of unpaid rents pertaining to Government rental homes since the answer provided to Question No. 230 of 2015?

QUESTION No: 361/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government state if they have carried-out during their term of office any survey to determine if there is any discrimination against women at the place of work (public and private sector), in relation to obtaining less income for work of the same grade/profession as male colleagues?

QUESTION No: 362/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer to Question No. 451 of 2014, can the Minister for Social Services state if the Government has now considered the matter and taken a decision as to moving the Dr Giraldi Home facility from its present location?



QUESTION No: 363/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Question No. 658 of 2014 (November), can the Minister for Social Services state if the investigation to a member of staff at the Dr Giraldi Home has now concluded and, if so, specify what the outcome to the investigation has been?

QUESTION No: 364/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Does the Care Agency Senior Management know of any juvenile in Gibraltar whose challenging behaviour is such that he/she may warrant further specialised care over and above the existing services being provided at the moment in Gibraltar, and if so, would the Minister for Social Services provide a breakdown showing the number of juveniles, their age and sex, and a short description of their medical/social condition, even if this latter part of the question is provided on a confidential basis?

QUESTION No: 365/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state if there have been any recordable acts of violence in any of the Care Agency Residential Homes as from January 2012 to date on a monthly basis and, if so, could the Hon Lady provide a breakdown showing the dates of the incident/s, whether the incident was between children, or between children and staff and whether, as a result of the incident, medical attention was required either at the Home or in Hospital and for what purpose?

QUESTION No: 366/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state if there have been any acts of bullying and harassment in the Care Agency during the financial year 2014/2015 and, if so, can a breakdown be provided showing the number of occasions by months, type (that is, verbal, non-verbal, physical or corporate bullying et cetera), and whether informal or formal disciplinary measures have been instigated?

QUESTION No: 367/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state if there have been any unallocated referrals of children waiting for a service during the financial year 2014/2015 and, if so, provide a breakdown of the level of risk to any such children?



QUESTION No: 368/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state how many juveniles in the care of the Care Agency are in Education, Training, Employment status or with no placements of the above, indicating the period upon which he/she has been in such position and the sex of the juvenile?

QUESTION No: 369/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state what is the average waiting time for forwarding all necessary Courts documents for looked-after children, as reflected in their care plans (that is Care Agency, Education, Health, etc) and if there are unacceptable delays in providing such documents?

QUESTION No: 370/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services please provide the 2015 Training Programme of the Care Agency?

QUESTION No: 371/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state how many Agency workers are working in the Care Agency, broken down by grade, establishment and duration regardless of short-term contact/s?

QUESTION No: 372/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state what generalised features the programme of life planning for disabled persons have, what the costs, if any, are and when was it implemented?

QUESTION No: 373/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state what generalised features and objectives the Disability Action Plan contains, what the cost involved is and what it introduced?



QUESTION No: 374/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state if the consultation in relation to the draft legislation to ratify the UN Convention on the rights of disabled persons has now taken place, and whether the Government is now in a position to take such legislation to Parliament?

QUESTION No: 375/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Further to the answer given to Written Question No. 268 of 2014, can the Minister for Social Services provide an update in relation to the services provided to the Senior Members of the former South District Citizen's Club and to those that attended the Governor's Parade Building, and whether attendance have been maintained to the levels prior to the reallocation to the Waterport Terraces building?

QUESTION No: 376/2015

Questioner: The Hon S M Figueras

Can the Minister for Transport provide this House, further to his answer to a similar question in March this year, details of the monies owing to the Gibraltar Bus Company by Big Publications Limited as result of the sale of advertising by the latter before the termination of the arrangement between the parties in September last year?

QUESTION No: 377/2015

Questioner: The Hon S M Figueras

Can the Minister for Transport say when he expects fixed speed cameras to be deployed in Gibraltar?

QUESTION No: 378/2015

Questioner: The Hon S M Figueras

Can the Minister for Transport provide a list of all initiatives suggested by members of the public during the consultation conducted following the publication of the draft Sustainable Traffic Transport and Parking plan detailing, in respect of each, whether the recommendation is being accepted or rejected and the reasons for such acceptance or rejection?



QUESTION No: 379/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state how many vehicles of the Government fleet of vehicles have now been purchased since the arrival of the present Government which are powered by non-polluting engines, stating the type and to which department such vehicle has gone to, the year in which it was purchased and what percentage this represent from the total fleet of Government Vehicles?

QUESTION No: 380/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Port provide Parliament with all the safety requirements asked by officials of the Government for the recent transhipment of LNG in the Bay of Gibraltar with the consequent information provided by the owners of the gas carriers?

QUESTION No: 381/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Education provide details of how many “Supply Teachers” or “Supply Auxiliary Staff” are currently engaged by the Department of Education, indicating at what educational establishment they are based together with the reasons why their employment is necessary and estimated temporary contract time?

QUESTION No: 382/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Education please provide Parliament with copies of all Health & Safety reports prepared during 2014 and 2015 in relation to all schools?

QUESTION No: 383/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Training provide updated details in respect of all Trainees currently enrolled at the Engineering Training Centre, listing the specific discipline or course being followed as well as indicating at what NVQ Level?



QUESTION No: 384/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Training provide updated details in respect of all Trainees currently enrolled at the Construction Trades Training Centre, listing the specific discipline or course being followed as well as indicating at what NVQ Level?

QUESTION No: 385/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Has the Government implemented its manifesto commitment on WOPS?

QUESTION No: 386/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

What permanent increases have there been in numbers of employees in the public service since 11th December 2011 broken down by reference to the Civil Service, the GDC and any other Government company, public authority or entity for which the Government is accountable?

QUESTION No: 387/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please state what the Government cash reserves were as at the 31st March and 30th April 2015?

QUESTION No: 388/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please give a breakdown, by bank and amount, of that part of the aggregate public debt which comprises bank debt, as at 31st March and 30th April 2015?

QUESTION No: 389/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Chief Minister please state how many money lending licenses are currently in issue with details of the name of the licensee, date of issue and expiry?



QUESTION No: 390/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister provide this House with a breakdown, by debenture issue, of that part of the aggregate public debt which comprises Government debentures, as at 31st March and 30th April 2015?

QUESTION No: 391/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please provide details of the value of Gibraltar Savings Bank Debentures or other debt security as at 31st March and 30th April 2015?

QUESTION No: 392/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Chief Minister please provide a breakdown of where and how all the monies deposited in the Gibraltar Savings Bank have been invested and the rate of return on each of these investments as at 31st March and 30th April 2015?

QUESTION No: 393/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Please provide details of all Fixed Rate Notes issued by or other loans made to Gibraltar Investment (Holdings) Limited by Credit Finance Company Limited, including the date the note was issued or the loan made as the case may be, and the date such note or loan was redeemed or assigned?

QUESTION No: 394/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Please provide details of all Fixed Rate Notes issued by or other loans made to Gibraltar Investment (Holdings) Limited by the Gibraltar Savings Bank, including the date the note was issued or the loan made as the case may be, and the date they were redeemed or assigned?



QUESTION No: 395/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

Can the Government confirm that the £355 million shown as “call deposits with Gibraltar Investments (Holdings) Limited” in Table CF.2 Credit Finance Company Limited is a debt due by Gibraltar Investment (Holdings) Limited to Credit Finance Company Limited?

QUESTION No: 396/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

What security has Credit Finance Company Limited obtained in respect of any debts due to it from Gibraltar Investment (Holdings) Limited?

QUESTION No: 397/2015

Questioner: The Hon D A Feetham

What equity investment out of the consolidated fund is envisaged by the Government in Gibraltar Investment (Holdings) Limited for the forthcoming year?

QUESTION No: 398/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Deputy Chief Minister provide details of what issues were discussed at his recent European Parliament and European Commission meetings to include who he met at those meetings?

QUESTION No: 399/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Chief Minister provide details of the training programme which he claims is being developed for the civil service?

QUESTION No: 400/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Chief Minister provide details relating to the new advisory council for strategic economic goals to include who will participate in the main and sub-committees?



WRITTEN QUESTIONS

QUESTION No: W37/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Health and Safety say if there are any Health and Safety EU Directives awaiting transposition into Gibraltar law and, if so, which ones and by when?

QUESTION No: W38/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state the number of persons with an alcoholic or drug addiction treated by the Care Agency in the community since January 2012 on a monthly basis, and by stating the drug of choice?

QUESTION No: W39/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state the number of admissions to the Bruce's Farm Rehabilitation Centre since January 2012 on a monthly basis?

QUESTION No: W40/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £500,000 in Head 102- Projects, subhead (f) (Old Naval Hospital Conversion and Refurbishment Works) for the financial year 2014/2015 providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such project/s has now been completed or not?

QUESTION No: W41/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Utilities, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects executed from the Estimate Book of £1,500,000 in Head 101 – Works and Equipment, subhead (1) (Contribution to Gibraltar Electricity Authority) for the financial year 2014/2015 providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such projects have now been completed or not?



QUESTION No: W42/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimates Book of £800,000 in Head 101 – Works and Equipment, subhead (o) (i) (Environment Projects) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such projects/s are now completed or not?

QUESTION No: W43/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £475,000 in Head 102 – Projects, subhead (m) (Climate Change and Renewables) for the financial year 2014/2015 providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payment/s, and whether such projects have now been completed or not?

QUESTION No: W44/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £1,000,000 in Head 102 – Projects, subhead (zo) (Commonwealth Park) for the financial year 2014/2015 providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payment/s, and whether this project has now been completed or not?

QUESTION No: W45/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment state which recommendations have been implemented and which ones have not from the 'Upper Rock Nature Reserve: A Management and Action Plan, (2005), written by Mr. Charles E Perez and Mr Keith J Bensusan?

QUESTION No: W46/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say how many individuals have been fined or cautioned for illegal enticing or feeding of macaques contrary to the legislation during the financial year 2014/2015, either inside or outside of the Upper Rock Nature Reserve, stating where, the date, Nationality, amount imposed, which entity imposed the fine, and whether some cases are waiting to be heard in the courts?



QUESTION No: W47/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Environment say how many soil and water samples in different sites were monitored by the Department of the Environment during 2014/2015, and provide a summary of the locations and the results thereof?

QUESTION No: W48/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Is the Minister with responsibility for the Environment able to provide a list of Environmental EU Directives pending implementation and/or compliance in Gibraltar?

QUESTION No: W49/2015

Questioner: The Hon E J Reyes

Can the Minister for Housing provide details in respect of all repairs undertaken to lifts servicing Government rental homes, since the answer to Written Question No. W28 of 2015?

QUESTION No: W50/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state how many elderly citizens are presently waiting for a place at Mount Alvernia, and how many of these are:

- (a) for residential needs;
- (b) for medical/social needs, giving a breakdown of either a mild or urgent need;
- (c) occupying a bed in St Bernard's Hospital or John Cochrane Ward;
- (d) expressing a future need for admission; and
- (e) the date of application of the last person admitted to Mount Alvernia?

QUESTION No: W51/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services say if there are any Social Services EU Directives awaiting transposition into Gibraltar Law and, if so, which ones and by when?



QUESTION No: W52/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state if there are any individual/s registered unsuitable to work with children under the provisions of Part XII of the Children Act, either on a temporary or permanent basis and, if so, on what dates were such persons placed on the list and why?

QUESTION No: W53/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state on how many occasions has the Multi-Agency Child Protection Committee met during the term of office of the present Government, providing the dates of such meeting and for what specific issues?

QUESTION No: W54/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state the total number of Looked After Children in the care of the Care Agency during the financial year 2014/2015, showing a breakdown of those in the Community, the Care Agency Residential Home (that is, either in Tangier Views or elsewhere), their ages and sexes, how many are siblings and whether these children were on an emergency, voluntary, or court order, on a confidential basis?

QUESTION No: W55/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services provide a breakdown of the Respite and Sitting Service provided for by the Care Agency throughout its various locations during the financial year 2014/2015, specifying the Client Group, the number of beneficiaries per group and the cost for 2011 on a monthly basis?

QUESTION No: W56/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state, how much has been spent on domiciliary care, broken down by months from July 2014 to date?



QUESTION No: W57/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state, how many individuals are on the waiting list for domiciliary care, broken down by months and by level of dependency?

QUESTION No: W58/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state, how many people had been receiving domiciliary care during the financial year 2014/2015, broken down by months?

QUESTION No: W59/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state the number of local adoptions that has taken place in Gibraltar during 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015 so far, broken down by month, age and sex?

QUESTION No: W60/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services state the number of fostering placements made during 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015 so far, broken down by month, age and sex?

QUESTION No: W61/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Social Services, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects executed from the Estimate Book of £300,000 in Head 101 – Works and Equipment, subhead (i) (Contribution to Care Agency) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and stating whether such project/s are now completed or not?

QUESTION No: W62/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for Equality state the number of Civil Partnerships registered since the introduction of the current legislation was enacted?



QUESTION No: W63/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Minister for the Port, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £14,000,000 in Head 102 - Projects, subhead (n) (Boat Moorings) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such project/s has now been completed or not?

QUESTION No: W64 /2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £800,000 in Head 102 - Projects, subhead (e) (Old St. Bernard Hospital Demolition and Conversion Works) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such project/s has now been completed or not?

QUESTION No: W65/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Further to Question W29 of 2015, can the Minister for Economic Development provide updated details of the expenditure in terms of salaries paid to the trainees in the FJS?

QUESTION No: W66/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Since Question W30 of 2015, can the Minister for Economic Development provide details of the number of private employers which have employed FJS trainees, with details of how many trainees have been employed by each employer, broken down by month?

QUESTION No: W67/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Further to Question W31 of 2015, can the Minister for Economic Development provide details of the number of private employers (broken down by industry group) which have employed FJS trainees with details of how many trainees have been employed by each employer, broken down in month?



QUESTION No: W68/2015

Questioner: The Hon D J Bossino

Can the Minister for Economic Development provide the updated information further to Question No.W32 of 2015 set out in (a) – (f) in respect of each of the companies mentioned in the question and in the same detail previously provided?

QUESTION No: W69/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £100,000 in Head 102 – Projects, subhead (zc) (Parliament House) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure and stating the company's or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, whether this project has now been completed or not, and when will the Government commence with the installation of a lift to Parliament House so that disabled persons may have access to the Parliament chamber and its office as promised by the Chief Minister at the beginning of this legislature?

QUESTION No: W70/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £1,000,000 in Head 101-Works and Equipment, subhead (o) (ii) (Road Safety, Coastal Protection, Retaining Walls & Demolition Works) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such project/s are now completed or not?

QUESTION No: W71/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £500,000 in Head 101-Works and Equipment, subhead (o) (iii) (Drain and Sewers) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such project/s are now completed or not?



QUESTION No: W72/2015

Questioner: The Hon J J Netto

Can the Government, provide a breakdown of expenditure and projects from the Estimate Book of £1,000,000 in Head 101-Works and Equipment, subhead (o) (iv) (Road Maintenance and Resurfacing) for the financial year 2014/2015, providing a cost per item of expenditure, stating the company/s or entity/ies which may have obtained such payments, and whether such project/s are now completed or not?