Hi Clare

Please find attached references to responses to the two QTON with regards to Energy – solar.

These have been cleared by Jon Sibley and Ben Ponton.

Regards

Ros

Hi Jon and Richard

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Please see attached.

Can I have the completed response by **<u>11.00 am today</u>**, so that I can get them cleared and sent through to the MO.

Thank you

Ros

Hi Tania and Ros

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- Energy—solar
 - **MR WALL**: When did the concept of developing large-scale solar in the ACT first become government policy?
 - o **MR CORBELL**: I assume that Ms Lawder is asking the question in relation to on what date did the first request for proposal go forward under the solar auction process. If that is the question that is being asked, I am very happy to provide that date to Ms Lawder. I do not have it immediately to hand. So I will take the question on notice. But that is how I will answer that question.

I believe the above questions are all of them, but maybe just double check.

Can you please organise this.

Thank you

Clare Guest

From: Balaretnaraja, Ash Sent: Tuesday, 18 March 2014 5:40 PM To: #CMCD, ALO Network; #CMTD, Assembly Business **Subject:** FW: Legislative Assembly for the ACT: edited proof transcript of questions without notice, Tuesday, 18 March 2014

Hi all –

The edited proof transcript of questions without notice for Tuesday, 18 March 2014 is attached.

Thanks Ash

Ash BalaretnaRaja

From:	Sibley, Jon
To:	Davey, Rosslyn
Cc:	Buckman, Greg
Subject:	RE: Question Taken on Notice - response due to MO by 1.00 pm today
Date:	Wednesday, 19 March 2014 10:43:44 AM

Ros, Wall and Lawder QoNs are cleared. Regards, Jon

From: Buckman, Greg
Sent: Wednesday, 19 March 2014 10:15 AM
To: Sibley, Jon
Subject: FW: Question Taken on Notice - response due to MO by 1.00 pm today

Done: could you clear, please, Jon, then send to Ros?

Ta,

Greg

From: Davey, Rosslyn
Sent: Wednesday, 19 March 2014 9:44 AM
To: Sibley, Jon; Bourne, Richard
Cc: Buckman, Greg; DCosta, Alice; Carter, Tania
Subject: Question Taken on Notice - response due to MO by 1.00 pm today

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MEMBER FOR MOLONGLO

ACT LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY QUESTION

Question Taken on Notice

Mr Wall - Asked the Minister for the Environment and Sustainable Development on Tuesday, 18 March 2014:

When did the concept of developing large-scale solar in the ACT first become government policy?

Mr Corbell - The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

The first time the ACT Government decided to develop large-scale solar capacity in the ACT was in September 2008 when the Government decided to seek proposals from suitably qualified companies for a capital grant to construct and operate a 30 megawatt solar plant in the Territory.

After the expression of interest process found that the capital grant was inadequate to build and operate the desired large-scale solar capacity, in September 2010 the Minister for the Environment and Sustainable Development announced that a reverse auction process would be used to award a feed-in tariff for 40 megawatts of large-scale solar capacity. This led to the development and passage of the *Electricity Feed-in (Large-scale Renewable Energy Generation) Bill 2011.*

Approved for circulation to the Member and incorporation into Hansard.

Simon Corbell MLA Minister for the Environment and Sustainable Development

Date:....