



**ARNO BAY BOAT RAMP  
20 November 2002**

**Mrs PENFOLD:** My question is to the Treasurer. Can he advise if state funding will be provided to assist with the completion of the Arno Bay boat ramp now that all the development application approvals have been granted? The federal government has provided \$600 000, the Cleve district council \$250 000, private enterprise \$150 000, and funding for this project will enable further development of aquaculture and the potential of creating 300 jobs over the next five years, in a small coastal town.

**The Hon. K.O. FOLEY (Deputy Premier):** I will get a detailed response for the honourable member but, from my immediate recollection, I can say that that issue has advanced. We have made certain decisions in respect of that issue but, without wanting to give incorrect information to the house, without having full details with me now, I will be happy to get that information provided as soon as possible. I am aware of the member's urging for decisions on that, but I think the member will be very pleased with the government's actions and decisions. As I said, I will get a considered reply as soon as I can