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RELEASE OF COSTINGS OF ELECTION COMMITMENTS

The Department of Finance and Administration today released the following election commitment costings requested by the Leader of the Opposition under the Charter of Budget Honesty Act 1998:

- Fund for a Sustainable Energy Future
- Commissioner for Children and Young People
- National Dementia Strategy
- Protecting Our Beaches and Coastline
- Labor’s Plan for the Red Meat Sector
- Cleaner Beaches and Protecting Ningaloo Reef

These costings were completed consistent with the Charter of Budget Honesty: Costing Election Commitments guidelines. These guidelines and a copy of the completed costings are available on the internet sites of both Finance and the Treasury—www.finance.gov.au and www.treasury.gov.au.

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