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(MR SPEAKER)

(To be tabled)

SURVEY OF PAST QUESTIONS ABOUT CONFIDENCE

Queensland Legislative Assembly

Questions without notice

10 September 2013 p2862

MS TRAD: Considering the fact that Townsville Hospital and Health Service CEO Mrs Squire was intimately involved in a record race and sex discrimination payout in the United Kingdom and was forced to apologise over this disgraceful matter, can the minister advise if he has full confidence in her ability to run the Townsville Hospital without promoting a culture of bullying?

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(Simpson (S): I am not convinced that the question is out of order, with respect, Leader of the House, as it was asking about whether the minister had confidence in somebody. I ask the minister to answer the question.)

7 March 2013 p475

MR MULHERIN: My question is directed to the Premier. Does the Premier have full confidence in the member for Redcliffe?

(After the Premier responded the Speaker advised: I allowed that question but technically I was in error. I remind members for the future of standing order 113(1) and particularly that questions have to relate to a matter of administration for which the minister is responsible.) (Note the Member for Redcliffe was not an office holder.)

13 Sep 2012 p1920

MRS MILLER: I refer to the statements by the AMA—and I table this for the benefit of the House— that members of the government's new hospital boards are concerned about the pressure they are under to deliver the government's mass sackings and savage cut to front-line services.

Tabled paper: Article from the Morning Bulletin, dated 13 September 2012, titled 'Hospital chairman makes speedy exit' [1052].

I also refer to the health minister's continued use of the boards to avoid his direct responsibilities for sackings and service costs, and I ask: does the Premier have confidence in the health minister's leadership abilities?

17 February 1994 p6923

Mr HORAN: In directing a second question to the Minister for Health, I remind him of a similar question that I asked 12 months ago about his recently sacked director. In view of the chaotic state of the Brisbane North Regional Health Authority, with consultancies proposing impractical dismantling of the Royal Brisbane Hospital, with the attempted bureaucratic takeover of the operational management of the four hospitals by that authority, the funding and bedside service crisis at the Royal Brisbane Hospital, the cutbacks in cardiac surgery at the Prince Charles Hospital and his apparent lack of knowledge of these events, I ask: does the Minister have full confidence in the ability and the current performance of the director of the Brisbane North Regional Health Authority?

7 March 1990 p228

Mr COOPER: I refer the Premier to his reply to my question on 1 March relative to past donations from the poker machine lobby received by the honourable member for Mackay, who is now a member of his Cabinet, in which he indicated that he was not aware of such donations, and I ask: in accordance with his stated commitment to a so-called strict code of ministerial conduct, has he now made himself fully aware of the secret donations to a slush fund known as Caspalp? Is it true that this fund name is derived as follows: "Cas" for Casey, the honourable member for Mackay, "p" for poker machines and "alp" for the Australian Labor Party? Is the Premier aware of any close association which may have existed between the honourable member for Mackay and sections of the poker machine lobby and, if so, does he agree that such association, either past or present, represents a clear conflict of interest, given that his Cabinet is now required to make a series of decisions relating to the introduction of poker machines in this State? Finally, does the Premier express his full confidence in the Minister and his past actions and does he consider that he is a fit and proper person to hold Cabinet rank under the standards that the Premier allegedly espouses?

Questions on Notice

30 Jan 1997 404

Mr ELDER asked the Minister for Transport and Main Roads (4/12/96)—
Does the Director-General of the Department of Transport, Mr Bruce Wilson, enjoy the Minister's full confidence?

4 Oct 2000 3371

Mr HOBBS: I ask the Premier: does he still have confidence in the political integrity of his Parliamentary Secretary, the member for Townsville?

4 Oct 2000 3373

Mr SEENEY: I ask the Premier: does he still have confidence in the political integrity of the Mayor of Townsville, Mr Tony Mooney?

30 May 1990 1906

Mr BORBIDGE asked the Minister for Resource Industries—
"(1) Is the Premier preparing to dismiss the Director-General of the Department of Resource Industries, and one of this State's most respected public servants, as a scapegoat for the Government's bungling of the Ensham coal mine debacle?
(2) Will he express his full support and confidence in his Director-General?"

New South Wales

Questions Without Notice

23 August 2013 p22413

Mr JOHN ROBERTSON: My question is directed to the Premier. Given the statement read by the Minister for Family and Community Services prior to question time, does the Minister still have the Premier's confidence?

6 March 2014 p27245

Mr MICHAEL DALEY: My question is directed to the Premier. Given reports today that the former resources Minister, who is now before the Independent Commission Against Corruption, attended a private dinner at the home of Nick Di Girolamo with a director of Korea Resources Corporation, does the Premier still have confidence in the conduct of his former resources Minister?

20 August 2013 p22412

Mr JOHN ROBERTSON: My question is directed to the Premier. Given that the statement read by the Minister for Family and Community Services prior to question time confirms that she misled the House, does the Minister still have the Premier's confidence?

19 September 2012 p15458

Mr JOHN ROBERTSON: My question is directed to the Premier. Given that the Minister for Energy is reportedly backing legal action against you in the New South Wales Supreme Court, does the Minister retain your confidence?

8 September 1999 p15458

Mr TINK: My question without notice is directed to the Minister for Police. Has the Minister asked his \$425,000-a-year police commissioner why he has failed to read a report suggesting improper behaviour by several very senior police officers in relation to a \$27 million communications contract? Does the Minister retain confidence in Deputy Commissioner Jeff Jarratt?

Victoria

9 September 2008 p3281

Mr BAILLIEU (Leader of the Opposition) -- My question is to the Premier. Does the Premier have full confidence in the Minister for Industry and Trade, or does he agree with his union colleagues that the minister is a dud?

3 May 2007 p1396

Mr BAILLIEU -- Does the Premier now agree with the Minister for Water, Environment and Climate Change, who finally admitted today on Melbourne radio that there is a water crisis in Melbourne -- the very crisis the minister promised four years ago he would prevent -- and does the Premier still have confidence in the minister?