

LEGISLATIVE RETURN

SUBMITTED BY: Pauline Frost, Minister of Environment



1. On March 14, 2019, Kate White, Member for Takhini-Kopper King

asked the following question during the Oral Question Period
at page(s) _____ of *Hansard*

submitted the following written question – WQ No. _____

gave notice of the following motion for the production of papers – MPP No. _____

RE: _____

OR

2. This legislative return relates to a matter outstanding from discussion related to:

Bill No. 208 - Domestic sheep and goat Control Order

on March 14, 2019 at page(s) 3895 - 3896 of *Hansard*.

The response is as follows:

1. The departments of Environment and Energy, Mines and Resources invited feedback from the following stakeholders on the implementation of the Sheep and Goat Control Order, including the approach to approving containment on properties with domestic sheep and goats to meet the objective of keeping them separate from wild sheep and goats:

- all Yukon First Nations;
- all Renewable Resources Councils;
- the Yukon Fish and Wildlife Management Board;
- the Yukon Agriculture Association;
- Growers of Organic Food Yukon;
- the Yukon Wild Sheep Foundation;
- the Yukon Fish and Game Association; and
- the Yukon Outfitters Association.

In addition to inviting feedback from those groups, officials from the Animal Health Unit (Department of Environment) and Agriculture Branch (Department of Energy, Mines and Resources) have met with the Agriculture Industry Advisory Committee, with sheep and goat owners individually, and at a meeting organized by the Yukon Agriculture Association.

2. There will be consideration for individuals whose fencing plan may minimally encroach onto crown land. Farmers are eligible for compensation for costs they incur to be compliant with the control order.

March 25, 2019

Date


Signature