

PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SIXTH PARLIAMENT

Notice of Motion

22 November 2017

2657 - MACULAR DEGENERATION

Ms SONIA HORNERY (Wallsend):

That this House:

Notes that according to the Macular Disease Foundation, the prevalence of macular degeneration in the Wallsend electorate is expected to increase 48% by 2030.

Notes that the Government closed the Eye Clinic at John Hunter Hospital, before its reopening following a public campaign.

Urges the Minister for Health to commit to developing a long-term plan to ensure that Wallsend residents have access to local eye healthcare.