

PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

Notice of Motion

29 July 2020

1296 - HUNTER REGION - SUICIDE RATES

Ms SONIA HORNERY (Wallsend):

That this House:

Notes Hunter Region suicide rates have been higher than the state average since 2012.

Notes 1,675 local suicides have been recorded since 2003 with residents in the Wallsend electorate having poor access to mental health services.

Calls on the Minister for Mental Health to urgently address suicide rates.