

PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SIXTH PARLIAMENT

Notice of Motion

3 August 2017

2281 - HOUSING AFFORDABILITY

Ms SONIA HORNERY (Wallsend):

That this House:

Notes the median price of a house in Newcastle is \$540,000, an increase of 7.9°/o year on year from December 2015, according to December 2016 Domain House Price Report.

Notes that the average wages growth in the year leading up to the last quarter of 2016 was at a record low 1.9%.

Recognises that rising cost of living pressures, including house prices and rent increases, are having a profound impact on people of Wallsend.

Calls on the Government to deliver a whole of Government solution to the issue of housing affordability.