

Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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Notwithstanding current legislation I have found the following issues with electric scooters, bikes and their riders.1) Riding at night on roads and paths with no lights and dark clothing.2) Children with no experience riding scooters on roads often on the wrong side of the road.3) No warning devices either fitted or used to warn of their approach from behind on footpaths.4) Riding two up.5) Riding too fast making it difficult to stop or avoid others particularly at junctions and tight bends.6) Riding without a helmet.7) Riding a scooter whilst sitting on a milk crate, making them difficult to see particularly when they are crossing a junctionI believe that all children should have to pass a proficiency test before they are allowed to use an electric scooter or bike to travel to school.