

Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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* Riders of e-bikes must wear a helmet, the number of school children you see zooming along at over 30km/hr , one moment of inattention could ruin their whole lives with a brain injury. All cyclist should be wearing helmets, but these e-bikes go 2-3 times the speed of a bicycle.* Riders should get some sort of licence that includes passing a safety education and competency test.*e-bikes that can do more than 15kms/hr (with the fat tyres) should be registered to ensure that owners cannot disable any speed controls. These things are motor bikes and should be treated as such.*these e-bikes should be banned from public cycleways and walkways such as the coastal walkways on the Gold Coast. A moment of inattention from a pedestrian or the rider could cause significant life changing injury to people just out for a stroll*the government should be collecting injury statistics for both riders and pedestrians impacted by these high speed e-bikes.