

Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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E bikes should be subject to the same rules as motorcycles due to the fact they travel at similar speeds, therefore they should be required to be licensed and display a number plate as well be insured and riders required to wear helmets like everyone else on two wheels who travels on our roads. If I am injured by an e bike rider or my vehicle is damaged by an e bike there is no recourse for me to pursue. Worse still if an e bike rider is injured by my vehicle through no fault of mine who will bear the costs of medical treatment, recovery treatment or their e bike replacement. Two sets of rules apply here, one for licenced and insured motorists and one for e bike riders where no rules apply to operate such a vehicle.