Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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Dear Sir/Madam, Witnessing numerous injuries and deaths in the last several years resulted from accidents involving motorized scooters and bikes we want to propose: 1. Harmonize Qld law with EU regulations DIRECTIVE (EU) 2021/2118 - requiring motor vehicles that are exclusively powered by mechanical means (including e-scooters) to be registered and CTP insured if: the maximum design speed exceeds 25 km/h or the maximum net weight exceeds 25 kg and the maximum design speed exceeds 14 km/h.2. Ban any unregistered high speed e-mobility vehicle sales and usage in Qld (for e-vehicles capable of exceeding 25 km/h);3. Introduce a law allowing Qld Police to confiscate any illegal e-vehicle and fine it's rider.ThanksRegardsDmitri Sharov