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Committee Secretary Transport and Public Works Committee Parliament House George Street Brisbane Qld 4000

Dear Ms Jeffrey,

## RE: Transport Legislation (Road Safety and Other Matters) Amendment Bill 2019

RACQ thanks the Transport and Public Works Committee for the opportunity to make a submission on the Transport Legislation (Road Safety and Other Matters) Amendment Bill 2019 (the Bill).

RACQ has had the opportunity to discuss some of the proposed changes with the Department of Transport and Main Roads previously.

The Club is generally comfortable with the proposed amendments and acknowledges that there are a significant number of changes.

We remain pleased to see that both a Brief Intervention Education Program (BIEP) and a Repeat Offender Education Program (ROEP) are being considered for drink drivers in Queensland. RACQ has advocated for these types of education programs previously.

We note that the on-going operational costs of the ROEP is intended to be fully funded by via the Camera Detected Offence Program. While there will be a one-off fee to access the BIEP of \$10, RACQ does not find this to be excessive and we are not concerned about this cost to offenders.

As we don't have any further concerns or comments we would like to take this opportunity to thank the committee again for inviting our submission on the Bill. If you would like to discuss this with us further, please feel free to contact me on

Yours sincerely,

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