



Speech by

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REVOCATION OF STATE FOREST AREAS

Hon. V. P. LESTER (Keppel—NPA) (2.56 p.m.): The Opposition supports this motion. The reason is that we have carried out a very detailed assessment of the pros and cons of it. It is very, very clear that the proposal for the use is in the broader public interest and that Powerlink has carried out environmental, economic, social and cultural heritage assessments of the site and has developed management plans for the project to address any adverse effect. There really is not any point in saying a great deal more in the interests of time and in the interests of the issue. It is clear cut. Because of that, we support the revocation.
