



Speech by

Jarrod Bleijie

MEMBER FOR KAWANA

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STATE ELECTION

 **Mr BLEIJIE** (Kawana—LNP) (2.46 pm): It is always indeed a displeasure to follow the honourable member for Ashgrove in this place to speak. In five weeks time, Queenslanders will have opportunities. Queenslanders will have an opportunity to make a time for change and to get Queensland back on track. The way they can do that is by all playing a part in this role. Everyone in Queensland has a role, including the residents of Ashgrove. In fact the Ashgrove residents will play a vital role in getting Queensland back on track. Their one objective—the one thing they must do—is get rid of the current member for Ashgrove because if they do that they will make a positive change in Queensland.

Mr Watt interjected.

Mr BLEIJIE: There will be positive change in Queensland that the nurses in the honourable member for Everton's electorate want—because do you know what, Mr Deputy Speaker? They like getting a pay cheque. They do not get a pay cheque under the Labor Party in Queensland. Queenslanders have opportunities. They read about opportunities to build a four-pillar economy. They look at that and they look at agriculture as part of that economy, as well as construction, tourism and resources. The LNP will revitalise front-line services in Ashgrove with its candidate Campbell Newman at the forefront of that. For families, the LNP will cut the cost of living by cutting Labor's waste.

Ms Jones interjected.

Mr BLEIJIE: The member for Ashgrove has got a lot to say now. It is a pity she has been silent for six years on a lot of these issues. In the last 12 months she has been very active with lots of announcements for Ashgrove. I can tell the member for Ashgrove that Campbell Newman will be doing whatever it takes tomorrow to get rid of the current member for Ashgrove because it is important for Queensland—

(Time expired)