




Speech By
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NOTICE OF MOTION

Unemployment

 **Mr PITT** (Mulgrave—ALP) (9.58 am): I give notice that I shall move—

That this House:

- notes that unemployment is rising in Queensland and has now hit 6.3 per cent—high than during the Global Financial Crisis;
- notes that youth unemployment has dramatically risen across the state, particularly in regional areas like far north Queensland and Ipswich; and

condemns the Abbott government's decision that will force unemployed people under the age of 30 to wait six months before they will receive income support.