



## Hon. Cameron Dick

## MEMBER FOR WOODRIDGE

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## MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

## **Comments by Member for Mudgeeraba**

Hon. CR DICK (Woodridge—ALP) (Minister for Health and Minister for Ambulance Services) (6.28 pm): I refer to the statement made by the member for Mudgeeraba in the House this morning in relation to the referral of matters to the Office of the Health Ombudsman. I made a statement in this House on 11 November 2015. In that statement I said—

I have written to the Queensland Health Ombudsman in relation to those matters raised by the conduct of the member for Mudgeeraba to seek a full independent investigation of these matters.

I table for the benefit of the House a copy of my letter and its attachments sent to the Office of the Health Ombudsman on 11 November 2015.

Tabled paper: Letter, undated, from the Minister for Health and Minister for Ambulance Services (Hon CR Dick) to the Queensland Health Ombudsman in relation to potentially improper conduct by a registered health practitioner, and attachments [1781].

The Office of the Health Ombudsman is an independent statutory office holder. I am advised that the Health Ombudsman is currently assessing the material and that this assessment has not been completed. These documents demonstrate clearly that I have been fulsome, timely and accurate in all my statements to the House.