




Speech By
Hon. Yvette D'Ath

MEMBER FOR REDCLIFFE

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MOTION

**Referral to State Development, Natural Resources and Agricultural Industry
Development Committee**

 **Hon. YM D'ATH** (Redcliffe—ALP) (Leader of the House) (10.13 am), by leave, without notice: I move—

That the State Development, Natural Resources and Agricultural Industry Development Committee inquire into and report to the Legislative Assembly by 28 February 2019 on the opportunities to create jobs across Queensland, in particular regional Queensland, and promote existing supply chain capability from the establishment of an Australian space industry.

In undertaking this inquiry, the committee should consider:

- (a) the Australian government's establishment of an Australian Space Agency on 1 July 2018;
- (b) the space supply chain, which has been broadly categorised as space systems (including communication satellites), ground systems, applications and ancillary services, and end use (e.g. improved telecommunications, mapping and emergency management);
- (c) the review of space supply chain capability released by the Australian government prior to the agency being announced;
- (d) Queensland's areas of competitive advantage in relation to identified capability which, at a high level, have been identified as communications, earth observations, position, navigation and timing; and
- (e) areas of regional Queensland where supply chain capability exists, particularly in areas of competitive advantage.

Question put—That the motion be agreed to.

Motion agreed to.