




Speech By
Tim Mander

MEMBER FOR EVERTON

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NOTICE OF MOTION

Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships, No Confidence

 **Mr MANDER** (Everton—LNP) (Deputy Leader of the Opposition) (10.14 am): I give notice that I will move—

That this House—

- (a) notes the Deputy Premier failed to disclose on the Members' Register of Interests the purchase of an investment property pursuant to section 69B of the Parliament of Queensland Act 2001 and the standing orders of this House;
- (b) notes the Crime and Corruption Commission's finding that the Deputy Premier did not declare any actual, potential or perceived conflict of interest when participating in the Cabinet Budget Review Committee decisions concerning Cross River Rail and the Inner City South State Secondary College;
- (c) notes the Crime and Corruption Commission finding 'The statement of interest issue and conflicts of interest issue are matters for the parliament';
- (d) notes the Fitzgerald inquiry reported, 'The financial interests of any Parliamentarian or person in authority are of public significance. Such interests can result in conflicts between public duty and private interest ... The significance, power and influence of high public office requires that accountability mechanisms be effective';
- (e) resolves that the Deputy Premier's conduct has fallen short of the ethical standard expected by Queenslanders of any person holding high public office;
- (f) expresses no confidence in the Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships; and
- (g) calls on the Premier to immediately sack the member for South Brisbane from cabinet.