



Speech By  
**Margaret Nightingale**


**MEMBER FOR INALA**

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Record of Proceedings, 16 April 2024

## **ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF INALA**

### **By-Election and Return of Writ; Member Sworn**

 **The CLERK:** Honourable members, the writ for the election of a member to serve in the Legislative Assembly for the electoral district of Inala was returned on 27 March 2024 with a certificate endorsed thereon by the Electoral Commissioner of Queensland of the election, on 16 March 2024, of Margaret Ellen Nightingale to serve as such member. I table the endorsed writ. I now call the honourable member forward to take the oath of allegiance and of office.

*Tabled paper:* Letter, dated 27 March 2024, from the Acting Director-General, Department of the Premier and Cabinet, Ms Jess Collins, to the Clerk of the Parliament, Mr Neil Laurie, enclosing a copy of the endorsed writ for the election of the Electoral District of Inala [560](#).

*Tabled paper:* Endorsed Writ for the election of the Electoral District of Inala [561](#).

**Honourable members:** Hear, hear!

Ms Margaret Ellen Nightingale, having waited at the bar of the House, was invited by Mr Speaker to enter the chamber.

Mr Speaker administered the oath of allegiance and of office to Ms Nightingale, who then signed the Roll of Members.

**Mr SPEAKER:** On behalf of the parliament, I welcome to the Queensland Legislative Assembly the new member for Inala. You may now take your seat in the House.

**Honourable members:** Hear, hear!