Question on Notice

No. 917

Asked on 31 August 2021

MR R STEVENS ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (HON M BAILEY)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister provide the forecast public transport patronage for each of the next three financial years broken down by (a) SEQ Rail, (b) SEQ Bus, (c) SEQ Ferry and (d) SEQ Light Rail?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Mermaid Beach for the question.

The table below states the public transport forecasted patronage (in millions) broken down by mode over the next three financial years.

Passenger Trips in Millions	2021–22	2022–23	2023–24
a) South East Queensland (SEQ) Rail	43.08	52.32	56.08
b) SEQ Bus	98.89	111.65	119.68
c) SEQ Ferry	4.78	6.27	6.72
d) SEQ Light Rail	8.01	10.22	10.95
SEQ Total Forecast	154.76	180.46	193.43

The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, including changes in work practices and public transport patronage in SEQ, means these forecasts are subject to change.