# **Question on Notice**

#### No. 1017

### Asked on 7 June 2006

Mr Choi asked the Minister for Education and Minister for the Arts (Mr Welford) -

### QUESTION:

With reference to the capital expenditure at Capalaba State College for a building dedicated for music and other related functions –

Will he advise its progress?

## ANSWER:

The Capalaba State College community sought a facility to enhance the delivery of its Performing Arts program as a primary focus of the school's educational direction. Construction of the \$1.16 million project commenced on 20 March 2006 and is due for completion in late August, 2006.

The work comprises a new performing arts building incorporating performance auditorium, dance performance space, foyer and covered entry, covered link to existing buildings, and a disability access compliant toilet.

Included in the building work has been refurbishment and upgrade to services infrastructure including IT network, electrical, water, and fire services.

The new auditorium will be utilised to further develop linkages with the Redlands community and it is planned to conduct a display of artworks by students and local artists with the Redland shire Council.