

QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 1330

asked on Tuesday, 31 October 2006

MR DEMPSEY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER (MR SHINE)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the document prepared by his department entitled “Water for South East Queensland: A Long Term Solution” and to page 73 which states “the Queensland Government has provided \$40 million for the Business Water Efficiency program” in south-east Queensland—

- (1) How much of this \$40m has been spent to date and how many businesses have received assistance?
- (2) How much has been set aside in the department’s 2006-07 State Budget for this program?

ANSWER:

This question would be best directed to my colleague, the Honourable Andrew Fraser MP, Minister for Local Government, Planning and Sport, whose portfolio responsibilities cover this issue.