Question on Notice No. 1370 Asked on Wednesday 1 November 2006

MR HOBBS asked the Minister for Local Government, Planning and Sport (MR ANDREW FRASER) –

QUESTION:

With reference to the Government's document "Water for South East Queensland: a long term solution" and State Government cost estimates of \$1.7 billion for the Traveston Dam (p64) —

Will he provide details of financial assistance which will be made available to the Shires of Cooloola, Noosa and Maroochy for provision of local government infrastructure required as a result of the Traveston Crossing Dam project?

ANSWER:

The Community Futures Taskforce has been established by the Government under the stewardship of Major-General, Peter Arnison, to support communities affected by the proposed dam projects at Wyaralong (Boonah and Beaudesert Shires) and Traveston Crossing (Cooloola, Maroochy and Noosa Shires).

Potential local government infrastructure assistance will be determined through the detailed local government and community infrastructure consultation that will be undertaken.