

**Question on Notice
No. 369
Asked on 8 March 2007**

MISS SIMPSON asked the Premier and Minister for Trade (MR BEATTIE) -

QUESTION:

With reference to his announcements on 16 May 2005 of Sippy Downs as the site for the planned Sunshine Coast health hub and new hospital, and that a contract had been signed for 5½ hectares of land at Sippy Downs, and in the interest of accountability and transparency—

Will he publicly release the Cabinet documents and all departmental briefing notes surrounding the selection of the Sippy Downs hospital site which led to his announcement?

ANSWER:

All the documents concerning this matter (including Cabinet documents and departmental briefing notes) have been provided to the Crime and Misconduct Commission (CMC). The CMC is the appropriate body to investigate such matters. I have fully cooperated with requests from the CMC for documents to assist it with its inquiry into this matter and will continue to do so.