

Question on Notice

No. 459

Asked on 15 April 2008

Mr Copeland asked the Minister for Education and Training and Minister for the Arts (Mr Welford) —

QUESTION: Will he outline the maintenance budgets for each Queensland School (reported separately) in 2008, 2007, 2006 and 2005?

ANSWER:

Given the extensive scope of my portfolio's maintenance programs, it is not practicable to divert the significant departmental resources necessary to comprehensively respond to this question.

However, I can report that my department has introduced a new maintenance assessment process which ensures that each school facility will be assessed annually by QBuild. The new annual condition assessment focuses on identifying priority maintenance work related to legislative and business functionality, including workplace health and safety issues, required to be delivered over the next 12-18 months.