

Question on Notice

No. 1014

Asked on Thursday, 16 June 2011

DR DOUGLAS asked the Minister for Transport and Multicultural Affairs (MS PALASZCZUK)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the Your Bus service in Pacific Pines provided by Translink through Gold Coast City Council expenditure—

- (1) Will the Minister outline TransLink's total profits made from this service in the past six months?
- (2) Will the Minister now admit that the current services provided by Translink have failed to meet the demand of public transport patronage in this area?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Gaven for the question.

I am advised that Your Bus service is a trial which was an initiative of the Gold Coast City Council and as such is not actually a TransLink Transit Authority service.

TransLink's involvement is limited to assistance with TransLink ticketing equipment in order to make travel for passengers easier, service procurement and patronage monitoring.

The Gold Coast City Council is responsible for assessing the future viability of the service.