

Question on Notice

No. 817

Asked on Wednesday, 25 May 2011

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

QUESTION:

With reference to the government's sudden announcement of the Carrara entertainment and sporting precinct development—

- (1) Will the Minister admit that the light rail must link to the heavy rail at Nerang and advise if land will be resumed for light rail in Carrara?
- (2) Will the Minister reschedule east-west bus timetabling, which is currently over fourteen years old, to meet the growth in commuters to the new precinct?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Gaven for the question.

Planning for future stages of the light rail network is underway.

These are highlighted in the *Draft Connecting South East Queensland 2031: An Integrated Regional Transport Plan for South East Queensland* released last year.

The TransLink Transit Authority will continue to monitor public transport demand and propose timetable and service changes when warranted.