

Question on Notice

No. 1187

Asked on 18 September 2018

MR T NICHOLLS ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND MINISTER FOR INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS (HON G GRACE)

QUESTION:

Will the Minister outline the current backlog of school maintenance projects (reported separately by education region)?

ANSWER:

The maintenance budget for 2018–19 is \$210 million.

The Department of Education maintains an ongoing register of maintenance projects collected through an assessment process with input from every school throughout the year.

As at 30 June 2018, the total value of projects on the register was:

Central Queensland	\$19,084,561
Darling Downs-South West	\$10,678,330
Far North Queensland	\$16,231,435
Metropolitan	\$24,694,580
North Coast	\$37,122,077
North Queensland	\$22,892,825
South East	\$15,540,262
TOTAL	\$146,244,070

The total value of projects on the register is down from \$214 million in 2014–15.