

QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 521

asked on Thursday 3 May 2018

MR S O'CONNOR ASKED THE MINISTER FOR STATE DEVELOPMENT, MANUFACTURING, INFRASTRUCTURE AND PLANNING (HON C DICK)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the **Gold Coast Health and Knowledge Precinct** (GHKP)—

Will the Minister advise:

- (a) what mechanisms Economic Development Queensland has to incentivise the right businesses to the precinct; and
- (b) can they be attracted through land grants or other means to ensure we have the precinct at full capacity with businesses that encourage and foster innovation?

ANSWER:

There are a number of incentives available to help attract the right businesses to the Gold Coast Health and Knowledge Precinct.

These include investment attraction incentives through programs such as the Advance Queensland Industry Attraction Fund, the Business Development Fund, the Innovation Partnership Program, Research Fellowships, the Queensland Biofutures Commercialisation Program, Ignite Ideas, Industry Accelerators and Start-up Events, and the Medical Research Commercialisation Fund.