

Question on Notice

No. 988

Asked on 23 August 2018

MR M BOOTHMAN ASKED MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND MINISTER FOR INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS (HON G GRACE)

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise how many recommendations from the Royal Commission into Trade Union Governance and Corruption have been implemented by the Palaszczuk Labor Government?

ANSWER:

The Royal Commission made 79 law reform recommendations, the vast majority of which related exclusively to the Australian Government or its agencies. Only five of the 79 recommendations refer to state governments or state laws.

The Queensland Government has considered the specific state-related recommendations and is of the view that the issues they raise are adequately dealt with under current government policies and state legislation, and no further action is required. There are no recommendations outstanding.

In addition, the Industrial Relations Minister has not received any correspondence from the Federal Government regarding any of these issues.