

Question on Notice

No. 128

Asked on Thursday 14 February 2019

MR S KNUTH ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (HON M BAILEY)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the East Feluga Intersection on the Bruce Highway and several serious accidents including loss of life—

Will the Minister commit to funding to ensure this highly dangerous intersection is safer for all users?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Hill for the question.

The Palaszczuk Government takes road safety very seriously and is committed to improving the safety of all road users in Queensland. Every death or serious injury on the road is one too many, and the government remains committed to reducing the road toll as much as possible.

My department is aware of the tragic fatal crash at this location and has been working with the Queensland Police Service to determine the circumstances. At this stage, there is no indication that the configuration of the intersection contributed to the crash.

I am aware of community concerns about safety at this location and have asked my department to provide options to improve road safety outcomes for all road users at this intersection.