

Question on Notice
No. 484
Asked on 2 April 2019

MR D CRISAFULLI ASKED THE MINISTER FOR INNOVATION AND TOURISM INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER FOR THE COMMONWEALTH GAMES (HON K JONES) —

QUESTION:

With reference to the Minister's announcement on 23 March 2018 relating to the ecotourism development near Airlie Beach—

Will the Minister detail (a) the status of this project, (b) the expected delivery date of the project and (c) what State Government approvals are outstanding?

ANSWER:

Following Tropical Cyclone Debbie, the Queensland and Australian Governments jointly funded a \$10 million tourism recovery package for the Whitsundays.

This included \$7 million for a Tourism Recovery Fund to support the rebuilding and recovery of tourism infrastructure and to help create new tourism experiences for the Whitsundays and surrounding region.

I am advised all funded projects are on track to be completed on or before 31 December 2019.