QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 54

asked on Wednesday, 13 February 2019

MS A LEAHY ASKED THE MINISTER FOR NATURAL RESOURCES, MINES AND ENERGY (HON DR A LYNHAM)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the domestic water supplies for local government in Queensland—

Will the Minister advise the current level of water supply for each council in Queensland and the number of months of supply available to each council (reported separately by council)?

ANSWER:

While the Department of Natural Resources, Mines and Energy requires water service providers—the majority of which are local governments—to report annually on key performance indicators which include the number of months of supply remaining, it is the responsibility of those local governments to deliver urban water supplies. This information is reported for the previous financial year and is received in October each year. The October 2018 key performance indicator data—the number of months of supply remaining as at 30 June 2018 for each service provider and reported scheme—is provided in Attachment 1.

In addition, the department also surveys water service providers' water supply status on a voluntary basis three times a year. This survey requests information on months of supply remaining, and has a response rate of approximately 60 per cent. In South East Queensland, the water supply grid is at 71.9 per cent (as at 18 February 2019). This data is included in Attachment 1. Seqwater has a drought response plan which has measures to safeguard water supplies to the region, and includes full operation of the Gold Coast desalination plant and water use restrictions.

ATTACHMENT 1

2017-18 Key Performance Indicator performance report data "Months of supply remaining" (provided by water service providers)

Council	Scheme	Scheme Type	Months of supply remaining at 30 June 2018
Aurukun Shire Council	Aurukun Water	Potable	12
Balonne Shire Council	Bollon PW Supply	Potable	12
	Dirranbandi PW Supply	Potable	12
	Hebel PW Supply	Potable	12
	Mungindi PW Supply	Potable	12
	St George PW Supply	Potable	12
	Thallon PW Supply	Potable	12
	St George Raw-PT Supply	Raw-Partially treated	12
Banana Shire Council	Banana Water Supply	Potable	12
	Baralaba Water Supply	Potable	12
	Biloela Water Supply	Potable	24
	Callide Dam Water Supply	Potable	24
	Goovigen Water Supply	Potable	24
	Moura Water Supply	Potable	12
	Taroom Water Supply	Potable	24
	Thangool Water Supply	Potable	24
	Theodore Water Supply	Potable	12
	Cracow Water	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Wowan Water	Raw-Partially treated	24
Barcaldine Regional	Alpha Water	Potable	60
Council	Aramac Water	Potable	60
	Barcaldine Water	Potable	60
	Jericho Water	Potable	60
	Muttaburra Water	Potable	60
Barcoo Shire Council	Jundah Potable Water	Potable	13
	Stonehenge Potable Water	Potable	10
	Windorah Potable Water	Potable	16
	Jundah Raw Water	Raw-Partially treated	13

Council	Scheme	Scheme Type	Months of supply remaining at 30 June 2018
	Stonehenge Raw Water	Raw-Partially treated	10
	Windorah Raw Water	Raw-Partially treated	16
Blackall-Tambo Regional Council	Blackall Shire Water	Potable	12
	Tambo Shire Water	Potable	12
Boulia Shire Council	Boulia Water	Potable	60
	Urandangie Water	Potable	60
Bulloo Shire Council	Thargomindah Water	Potable	60
	Hungerford Raw	Raw-Partially treated	60
Bundaberg Regional	Bundaberg WSA	Potable	12
Council	Gin Gin Water Service Area	Potable	12
	Gooburrum WSA	Potable	12
	Gregory River WSA	Potable	12
	Kalkie WSA	Potable	12
	Lake Monduran WSA	Potable	12
	Moore Park Beach WSA	Potable	12
	River Park WSA	Potable	12
	Rocky Point WSA	Potable	12
	Wallaville WSA	Potable	12
	Burnett Downs WSA (Non Potable)	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Moore Park Beach WSA (Non Potable)	Raw-Partially treated	12
Burdekin Shire Council	Ayr/Brandon Water Supply	Potable	24
	Giru Water Supply	Potable	24
	Home Hill Water Supply	Potable	24
	Mount Kelly Water Supply	Potable	24
Burke Shire Council	Burketown PW	Potable	18
	Gregory PW	Potable	24
Cairns Regional	Babinda	Potable	12
Council	Bartle Frere	Potable	12
	Bellenden Ker	Potable	12
	Bramston Beach	Potable	12
	Copperlode/Behana	Potable	24
	Fishery Falls	Potable	12
	Miriwinni	Potable	12
	Mountain View	Potable	12

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	Orchid Valley	Potable	12
Carpentaria Shire Council	Normanton-Karumba PW	Potable	24
	Normanton Raw-PT	Raw-Partially treated	24
Cassowary Coast Regional Council	Cardwell Water	Potable	24
	Innisfail Water	Potable	24
	Nyleta Water	Potable	24
	Tully Water	Potable	24
Charters Towers Regional Council	Charters Towers PW	Potable	12
	Greenvale PW	Potable	12
	Pentland PW	Potable	12
	Ravenswood Raw-PT	Raw-Partially treated	12
Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council	Cherbourg Water	Potable	12
Cloncurry Shire	Cloncurry water	Potable	18
Council	Dajarra Raw/PT	Raw-Partially treated	18
	Kajabbi Raw/PT	Raw-Partially treated	18
Cook Shire Council	Coen Water	Potable	12
	Cooktown Water	Potable	12
	Lakeland Water	Potable	12
	Laura Water	Potable	12
Croydon Shire Council	Croydon Town Water Supply	Potable	48
Diamantina Shire	Bedourie Bore Water	Potable	60
Council	Birdsville Bore Water	Potable	60
	Birdsville River water nonpotable	Raw-Partially treated	3
Doomadgee Aboriginal Shire Council	Doomadgee Aboriginal Shire Water	Potable	24
Douglas Shire Council	Daintree	Potable	12
	Mossman/Port Douglas	Potable	12
	Whyanbeel	Potable	12
	Dagmar Heights	Raw-Partially treated	12

Council	Scheme	Scheme Type	Months of supply remaining at 30 June 2018
Central Highlands Regional Council	Anakie Town Water	Potable	60
	Bauhinia Downs Water	Potable	60
	Blackwater Water	Potable	24
	Bluff Water	Potable	24
	Capella Water	Potable	12
	Comet Water	Potable	15
	Dingo Water	Potable	18
	Duaringa Water	Potable	18
	Emerald Water	Potable	24
	Rolleston Water	Potable	15
	Sapphire-Rubyvale Water	Potable	60
	Springsure Water	Potable	60
	Tieri Water	Potable	24
Etheridge Shire Council	Forsayth Water Supply	Potable	12
	Georgetown Water Supply	Potable	12
Flinders Shire Council	Hughenden Water Supply	Potable	36
	Prairie Water Supply	Potable	36
	Stamford Water Supply	Potable	36
	Torrens Creek Water Supply	Potable	36
Fraser Coast Regional Council	Hervey Bay PW	Potable	33
	Teddington Water Treatment Plant	Potable	20
	Tiaro Water Treatment Plant	Potable	24
Gladstone Area Water Board	Water Treatment Plants	Potable	99
	Awoonga Dam	Raw-Partially treated	99

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Gladstone Regional	Agnes/1770 WSA	Potable	60
Council	Bororen WSA	Potable	60
	Lake Awoonga WSA	Potable	60
	Miriam Vale WSA	Potable	60
Gold Coast City Council	Gold Coast Potable	Potable	NR
Goondiwindi Regional	Goondiwindi Water	Potable	12
Council	Inglewood Water	Potable	12
	Talwood Water	Potable	12
	Texas Water	Potable	12
	Yelarbon Water	Potable	12
	Bungunya Water	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Toobeah Water	Raw-Partially treated	12
Gympie Regional	Water Amamoor	Potable	6
Council	Water Cooloola Cove/Tin Can Bay	Potable	60
	Water Goomeri	Potable	9
	Water Gympie	Potable	24
	Water Imbil	Potable	24
	Water Kandanga	Potable	6
	Water Kilkivan	Potable	6
	Water Rainbow Beach	Potable	60
Hinchinbrook Shire Council	Hinchinbrook Shire Water	Potable	12
Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council	Hope Vale Water	Potable	12
Isaac Regional Council	Carmila Water Supply	Potable	12
	Clermont Water Supply	Potable	12
	Dysart Water Supply	Potable	12
	Glenden Water Supply	Potable	12
	Middlemount Water Supply	Potable	12
	Moranbah Water Supply	Potable	12
	Nebo Water Supply	Potable	12
	St Lawrence Water Supply	Potable	12
Kowanyama Aboriginal Shire Council	Kowanyama Aboriginal Shire Water	Potable	12
Livingstone Shire Council	Capricorn Coast Water Supply Scheme	Potable	24
	Marlborough Water Supply Scheme	Potable	24

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	Ogmore Water Supply S	Raw-Partially treated	12
Lockhart River Aboriginal Shire Council	Lockhart River Aboriginal Shire Water	Potable	24
Logan City Council	Logan Potable	Potable	NR
Longreach Regional Council	Ilfracombe WSA	Potable	8
	Isisford WSA	Potable	22
	Longreach WSA	Potable	20
	Yaraka WSA	Potable	6
	Ilfracombe Raw	Raw-Partially treated	8
	Ilfracombe Raw-Partially Treated	Raw-Partially treated	24
	Isisford Raw-Partially Treated	Raw-Partially treated	22
	Longreach Raw-Partially Treated	Raw-Partially treated	20
	Yaraka Raw Water	Raw-Partially treated	6
	Yaraka Raw-Partially Treated	Raw-Partially treated	24
Mackay Regional	Bloomsbury Water	Potable	36
Council	Calen Water	Potable	17
	Eton Water	Potable	18
	Finch Hatton Water	Potable	14
	Gargett Water	Potable	34
	Koumala Water	Potable	60
	Mackay Water	Potable	17
	Marian Water	Potable	16
	Midge Point Water	Potable	60
	Sarina Water	Potable	17
Mapoon Aboriginal Shire Council	Mapoon Aboriginal Shire Water	Potable	12
Maranoa Regional	Amby Water Scheme	Potable	12
Council	Injune Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Jackson Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Mitchell Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Muckadilla Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Mungallala Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Roma Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Surat Water Scheme	Potable	10

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	Wallumbilla Water Scheme	Potable	12
	Yuleba Water Scheme	Potable	12
Mareeba Shire Council	Chillagoe Water	Potable	24
	Dimbulah Water	Potable	24
	Kuranda Water	Potable	24
	Mareeba Water	Potable	24
	Mt Molloy Water	Raw-Partially treated	24
McKinlay Shire Council	Julia Creek Water	Potable	12
	Kynuna Water	Potable	12
	McKinlay Water	Potable	12
	Nelia Water	Potable	12
Mornington Shire Council	Mornington Shire Water	Potable	12
Mount Isa City Council	Camooweal Water	Potable	0
	Mt Isa City Water	Potable	92
Mount Isa Water Board	Mt.Isa Water Board Potable Water	Potable	52
Murweh Shire Council	Augathella Water Supply	Potable	60
	Charleville Water Supply	Potable	60
	Morven Water Supply	Potable	60
Napranum Aboriginal Shire Council	Napranum Aboriginal Shire Water	Potable	12
North Burnett Regional Council	Biggenden Water Supply	Potable	12
	Eidsvold Water Supply	Potable	60
	Gayndah Water Supply	Potable	60
	Monto Water Supply	Potable	60
	Mount Perry Water	Potable	12
	Mulgildie Water Supply	Potable	12
	Mundubbera Water Supply	Potable	60
Northern Peninsula Area Regional Councils (NPARC)	NPARC Potable Water	Potable	NR
Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council	Palm Island Water	Potable	26
Paroo Shire Council	Cunnamulla	Potable	60
	Eulo	Potable	60
	Wyandra	Potable	60

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	Yowah	Potable	60
Pormpuraaw Aboriginal Shire Council	Pormpuraaw Aboriginal Shire Water	Potable	60
Queensland Bulk Water Supply Authority	Seqwater	Potable	72
Queensland Urban Utilities (QUU)	QUU Water - Potable	Potable	NR
Quilpie Shire Council	Eromanga Water	Potable	60
	Quilpie Water	Potable	60
Redland City Council	Redlands Potable Water Scheme	Potable	NR
Richmond Shire Council	Richmond Shire Water	Potable	12
Rockhampton Regional Council	Mt.Morgan Water Supply Scheme	Potable	27
	Rockhampton Water Supply Scheme	Potable	18
	Fitzroy Barrage Water Supply Scheme	Raw-Partially treated	12
RTA Weipa Pty Ltd	Rocky Point	Potable	NR
	Trunding	Potable	NR
	Nanum	Potable	NR
	Evans Landing	Potable	NR
	Airport	Potable	NR
South Burnett Regional Council	Blackbutt	Potable	18
	Kingaroy	Potable	18
	Murgon	Potable	24
	Nanango	Potable	24
	Proston	Potable	18
	Wondai	Potable	24
	Kumbia	Raw-Partially treated	24
	Proston Rural Supply	Raw-Partially treated	18
	Wooroolin	Raw-Partially treated	24
Southern Downs Regional Council	Dalveen Water Supply	Potable	22
	Killarney Water Supply	Potable	30
	Leyburn Water Supply	Potable	14
	Pratten Water Supply	Potable	40

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	Stanthorpe Water Supply	Potable	18
	Wallangarra Water Supply	Potable	26
	Warwick Water Supply	Potable	26
	Karara Water Supply	Raw-Partially treated	33
Tablelands Regional	Atherton Water	Potable	12
Council	Bellview Estate Water	Potable	12
	Cassowary Heights Water	Potable	12
	Herberton Water	Potable	12
	High Country Estate Water	Potable	12
	Malanda/Davies Water	Potable	12
	Millaa Millaa Water	Potable	12
	Millstream Estates Water	Potable	12
	Mt Garnet Water	Potable	12
	Ravenshoe Water	Potable	12
	Tinaroo Park Water	Potable	12
	Walkamin Water	Potable	12
	Yungaburra Water	Potable	12
The Qld Govt. (Dept. of Local Govt, Racing, & Multicultural Affairs)	Northern Peninsula Area	Potable	0
Toowoomba Regional Council	Cambooya Water	Potable	12
	Cecil Plains Water	Potable	12
	Clifton Water	Potable	12
	Greenmount Water	Potable	12
	Haden Water	Potable	12
	Hodgson Vale Water	Potable	12
	Millmerran Water	Potable	12
	Nobby Water	Potable	12
	Pechey Water	Potable	60

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	Pittsworth Water	Potable	12
	Toowoomba Bulk Supply A	Potable	60
	Vale View Water	Potable	12
	Yarraman Water	Potable	12
	Kulpi Raw-PT Water	Raw-Partially treated	12
Torres Shire Council	Torres Potable	Potable	30
Torres Strait Island	Badu Water	Potable	MD
Regional Council	Boigu Water	Potable	6
	Dauan Water	Potable	MD
	Erub Water	Potable	12
	Hammond Water	Potable	30
	lama Water	Potable	0
	Kubin Water	Potable	6
	Mabuiag Water	Potable	8
	Masig Water	Potable	7
	Mer Water	Potable	1
	Poruma Water	Potable	6
	Saibai Water	Potable	7
	St Pauls Water	Potable	5
	Ugar Water	Potable	2
	Warraber Water	Potable	2
Townsville City Council	Townsville Water	Potable	18
	Townsville Nonpotable	Raw-Partially treated	NR
UnityWater	Moreton Bay RC - Potable	Potable	NR
	Sunshine Coast RC - Potable	Potable	NR
Western Downs Regional Council	Bell WTP	Potable	12
	Chinchilla WTP	Potable	12
	Condamine WTP	Potable	6
	Dalby WTP	Potable	60
	Jandowae WTP	Potable	12

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	Miles WTP	Potable	60
	Wandoan WTP	Potable	60
	Warra WTP	Potable	12
	Brigalow WTP	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Dulacca WTP	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Flinton WTP	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Glenmorgan WTP	Raw-Partially treated	12
	Jimbour WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
	Kaimikillenbun WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
	Kogan Water	Raw-Partially treated	60
	Meandarra WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
	Moonie WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
	Tara WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
	The Gums WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
	Westmar WTP	Raw-Partially treated	60
Whitsunday Regional Council	Bowen PWS	Potable	60
	Cannonvale PWS	Potable	60
	Collinsville PWS	Potable	60
	Proserpine PWS	Potable	60
Winton Shire Council	Winton Water	Potable	12
Woorabinda Aboriginal Shire Council	Woorabinda Water	Potable	24
Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council	Wujal Wujal	Potable	12
Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council	Yarrabah Water	Potable	24