Question on Notice

No. 1150

Asked on 12 October 2021

MR R STEVENS ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (HON M BAILEY)-

QUESTION:

Will the Minister provide the number of SEQ public transport trips separately for each Friday in May, June, July and August 2021?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Mermaid Beach for the question.

In the period from May to August 2021, patronage on Fridays in South East Queensland (SEQ) ranged between 90,000 and 491,000, as displayed in the below table.

Patronage figures for Friday 2 July 2021 and 6 August 2021 dropped substantially as Queenslanders followed health directives.

Since the emergence of the pandemic, the Palaszczuk Government has supported additional bus and Queensland Rail services in South Eastern Queensland to support social distancing and provide services that respond to the needs of people who are working flexibly.

Date	Trips In SEQ
7 May 2021	483,604
14 May 2021	483,650
21 May 2021	491,598
28 May 2021	472,415
4 Jun 2021	471,500
11 Jun 2021	447,533
18 Jun 2021	460,356
25 Jun 2021	396,307
2 Jul 2021	117,303
9 Jul 2021	295,836
16 Jul 2021	418,211
23 Jul 2021	421,914
30 Jul 2021	443,170
6 Aug 2021	90,197
13 Aug 2021	356,453
20 Aug 2021	408,090
27 Aug 2021	412,692