Question on Notice No. 157 Asked on Tuesday, 9 March 2021

MR M BOOTHMAN ASKED MINISTER FOR ENERGY, RENEWABLES AND HYDROGEN AND MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND PROCUREMENT (HON M DE BRENNI)

With reference to domestic roof top solar—

Will the Minister advise (a) how many Queensland rooftops currently have PV systems installed, (b) the total capacity of these systems and (c) how much power was fed into the grid in the past 12 months from these systems?

ANSWER

- (a) As at January 2021, there are over 660,000 rooftop solar systems installed on Queensland households and businesses.
- (b) The total capacity of these systems is approximately 3,350 megawatts.
- (c) Based on information from the Australian Energy Market Operator (AEMO) and Energy Queensland, approximately 50% of energy generated from rooftop PV systems was exported to the grid in 2020.