QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 990

asked on 2 September 2021

MRS D FRECKLINGTON ASKED MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND MANUFACTURING AND MINISTER FOR WATER (HON G BUTCHER)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the business case for the restarting of the Western Corridor Recycled Water Scheme—

Will the Minister (a) outline whether the Minister has approved the business case and (b) release the business case?

ANSWER:

South East Queensland has one of the most reliable water supplies in the country – thanks to the foresight of previous Labor governments.

Information regarding the Western Corridor Recycled Water Scheme is detailed in Seqwater's Water Security Program 2016-2046. This program is available and published on Seqwater's website at: https://www.seqwater.com.au/corporate-publications.

Any decisions around the Western Corridor Recycled Water Scheme will be made subject to Queensland Government consideration after monitoring the ongoing impact of drought and after public consultation.