Question on Notice No. 1385 Asked on 29 November 2022

Mr J Langbroek asked Premier and Minister for the Olympics (Hon. A Palaszczuk)—

QUESTION:

Will the Premier advise the total costs across the nine government agencies for Schoolies 2022?

ANSWER: (Premier and Minister for the Olympic and Paralympic Games):

I am advised that the 2022 Safer Schoolies Gold Coast Response (the Response) was delivered in partnership with nine Queensland Government agencies, seven community partners and the City of Gold Coast.

The purpose of the Response is to keep young people and the community safe. The Queensland Government plays a key role in coordinating government departments, emergency services, support services and volunteers.

The 2022 Response included a Schoolies Hub, a Schoolies Support Space, wristbands to identify legitimate school leavers, an integrated health and wellbeing space, licensed venue compliance checks, street patrols and walk home services.

I am advised by the Department of the Premier and Cabinet (DPC) that agencies support the Response from existing operating budgets.

I am also advised by DPC that the total cost across the nine Queensland Government agencies is yet to be finalised as some costs are yet to be received from external suppliers.