## Question on Notice No. 1205 Asked on Wednesday, 11 October 2023

MS A LEAHY ASKED MINISTER FOR ENERGY, RENEWABLES AND HYDROGEN AND MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND PROCUREMENT (HON M DE BRENNI)

With reference to grants under the Resilience Homes Fund program—

Will the Minister advise (a) how many dwellings have been approved for raising and retrofitting to date (reported separately) and (b) of these dwellings, how many have been completed?

## **ANSWER**

On 12 May 2022, registrations of interest opened for the \$741 million Resilient Homes Fund and closed on 30 July 2023.

I am advised that as at 16 October 2023, a total of 6,566 registrations had been received for the Resilient Homes Fund of which 4,948 are active registrations.

Over 4,932 home assessments have been completed with 4,805 Home Assessment Reports issued to homeowners. This equates to over 97% of the home assessment process now completed. The remaining home assessments are being actioned in consultation with homeowners (dependent on access and availability) with reports issued following the home assessment.

It must be noted that on receipt of their Home Assessment Report confirming eligibility and approved scope of works for the Home Raising and/or Resilient Retrofit programs, homeowners are responsible for obtaining a quote/s for the eligible works they wish to apply for from a licensed contractor.

Once the homeowner receives a quote/s, they can then apply for funding through the Resilient Homes Assistance portal on the Queensland Rural and Industry Development Authority (QRIDA) website.

Therefore, I am advised:

- (a) As at 16 October 2023, 471 applications for funding under the Resilient Homes Fund program for home raise (including demolition and rebuild) and resilient retrofit have been approved by QRIDA and through the Insurance Delivery Model. Of these, 128 are for home raise (including demolition and rebuild) and 343 are for resilient retrofit.
- (b) As of 16 October 2023, 17 home raises (including demolition and rebuild) and 90 resilient retrofits have been completed.