### **Question on Notice**

# No. 1575

# Asked on Wednesday, 29 November 2023

# **DR A MACMAHON** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING (HON M SCANLON)—

## QUESTION:

Will the Minister provide (a) the total number of social housing dwellings in Queensland, as at 1 July 2023, of (i) Community Housing, (ii) Public housing, (iii) State Owned and Managed Indigenous Housing and (iv) Indigenous Community Housing and (b) the number of social dwellings added in Queensland between 1 July 2022 and 1 July 2023 for (i) newly constructed and completed social housing dwellings, (ii) purchase of existing dwellings for social housing and (iii) construction commencements?

### ANSWER:

Since 2015, the Queensland Government has committed a record \$5 billion investment in social and affordable housing supply. Through this investment, along with the \$398.3 million investment from the Australian Government under the Social Housing Accelerator, the government will support the commencement of at least 14,100 social and affordable homes by mid-2027.

The Queensland Government's Big Housing Build has delivered 5,028 new social and affordable homes, as at 31 October 2023, with an overall net increase in social housing stock of 3,477 since 2015.

The total number of social housing dwellings in Queensland, as at 30 June 2023 was 75,111.

This includes:

- 14,467 community housing dwellings
- 52,375 public housing dwellings
- 3,219 state owned and managed Indigenous housing dwellings
- 5,050 Indigenous community housing dwellings.

In 2022-23 (between 1 July 2022 and 30 June 2023) the Queensland Government delivered 858 social homes, including 485 construction completions and 373 purchase of existing dwellings. Over the same period 1,252 social and affordable homes commenced construction or were contracted to be constructed.

The Department of Housing is unable to provide data as at the first day of a new month, as reconciliations are conducted at the beginning of each month for the end of the previous month.