

Question on Notice

No. 503

Asked on 9 May 2023

MR J MCDONALD ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (HON M BAILEY)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise what investment the Minister is making to reduce wait times for standard car driving tests at Laidley, which is currently 48 working days or almost 10 weeks?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Lockyer for the question.

To help reduce wait times for standard car driving tests, the Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) added additional tests to its booking system for 29 May 2023. Additionally, three further services—for both car and heavy vehicles tests—were added for the dates of 2, 13 and 27 June 2023.

As a result of these additional services, the current wait times as at 2 June 2023 at Laidley is 11 days for both standard car driving tests and heavy vehicle tests. TMR will continue to monitor the wait times and will add additional tests, if required.