Question on Notice

No. 686

Asked on 25 May 2023

MRS D FRECKLINGTON ASKED THE MINISTER FOR POLICE AND CORRECTIVE SERVICES AND MINISTER FOR FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES (HON M RYAN)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the Kingaroy Fire Station—

Will the Minister advise if there are plans to relocate and build a purpose-built Fire Station precinct and timeframes?

ANSWER:

I am advised by Queensland Fire and Emergency Services (QFES) that recently, funding was allocated for improvements to the Kingaroy Fire and Rescue Station when it transitioned to a day station, which has resulted in an uplift to the service delivered to the Kingaroy community.

In addition, I am also advised by QFES that a replacement fire and rescue station for Kingaroy is listed in the forward capital planning pipeline, with exact timings for the delivery of specific facilities to be determined by QFES based on the data on the number and type of call outs, the need for different types of emergency responses required in the local community, the ability of the facility to support community needs and the current condition of the facility compared to other state facilities being monitored in the pipeline.