

## **Question on Notice**

**No. 752**

**Asked on Tuesday, 13 June 2023**

**MR T MANDER** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING (HON M SCANLON)

**QUESTION:**

With reference to the announcement of ‘\$322m to build 500 more social homes’ made on 12 June 2023—

Will the Minister provide (reported separately by Housing Service Centre) (a) the total number of dwellings, (b) dwelling type (i.e. one bedroom unit, two bedroom house), (c) the number of ‘new build’ dwellings which will be constructed with this package, (d) the expected completion dates of all new build dwellings and (e) the number of dwellings to be purchased from existing freehold stock?

**ANSWER:**

On 12 June 2023, the Palaszczuk Labor Government announced an additional \$322 million investment to deliver up to 500 new social and affordable homes as part of our QuickStarts Qld program. This commitment brings the number of new social and affordable home commencements to 3,265 by 30 June 2025.

This funding will be added to the existing funding for the QuickStarts Qld program, which aims to deliver homes targeted to meet demand across Queensland. In response to parts b, c, d and e of the Member’s question, the Department of Housing is working to determine the size, type, and location of dwellings to be delivered.