

## Question on Notice

No. 93

Asked on 23 February 2023

**MR A POWELL** asked the Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning and Minister Assisting the Premier on Olympic and Paralympic Games Infrastructure (HON S MILES) –

### QUESTION:

With reference to the Brisbane Times recently reporting that there has been a significant discrepancy between the Moreton Bay region's projected and actual population growth—

Will the Deputy Premier advise (a) what steps the Government plans to take to address the resulting historical under-investment in infrastructure in the area and (b) what measures will be put in place to ensure population projections are more accurate and up-to-date in the future?

### ANSWER:

- (a) The Palaszczuk Government is planning and delivering the infrastructure that Queensland communities need. The regional land use plan, ShapingSEQ, is currently being reviewed for an update to implement the recommendations of last year's Housing Summit, to respond to the housing and land supply projections for population growth. As part of this review, the Department of State Development, Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning is also preparing an infrastructure supplement that will inform future infrastructure needs.
- (b) The preparation of population projections is the responsibility of the Treasurer and Minister for Trade and Investment.