### **Question on Notice**

#### No. 1188

#### Asked on 11 December 2024

MR L MCCALLUM ASKED MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES (HON T NICHOLLS)—

# **QUESTION**

With reference to the Hervey Bay Hospital Expansion—

Will the Minister advise, as at Monday 28 October 2024 (a) expenditure to date, (b) updated project budget, (c) expected completion date, (d) the specific scope and (e) specific additional services being provided?

# **ANSWER**

The former government announced a Hervey Bay Hospital Expansion cost blowout of \$40 million to \$94 million, with no additional beds added to the scope of the program.

The Crisafulli Government is committed to delivering the health services and infrastructure that Queenslanders need.

The Government has appointed an independent team, led by hospital infrastructure specialist Sam Sangster, to conduct an analysis of the cost blowouts within the Capital Expansion Program, which includes the Hervey Bay Hospital Expansion. The Government will provide further updates following this process.