

## QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 876

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**MS A CAMM** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND MANUFACTURING AND MINISTER FOR WATER (HON G BUTCHER)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise of the 19000ML in the O'Connell River and Andromache River sub-catchments (a) how many allocations, (b) what value of allocation and (c) usage of allocation per title has been utilised year on year since 2015?

ANSWER:

A total of 19 000 megalitres (ML) is set aside as general reserve unallocated water in the O'Connell and Andromache River sub-catchments under the Water Plan (Whitsunday) 2010.

Water users interested in accessing this water are encouraged to contact the Department of Regional Development, Manufacturing and Water, on [WaterServicesNorth@rdmw.qld.gov.au](mailto:WaterServicesNorth@rdmw.qld.gov.au) and (07) 3022 6100.

No water allocations have been released from the general reserve in these sub-catchments, which means the value of such allocations is yet to be determined and none of the 19 000 ML has been utilised since 2015.