Question on Notice

No. 1192

Asked on Wednesday, 15 October 2025

MR C WHITING ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS AND MINISTER FOR YOUTH (HON S O'CONNOR)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the eight new youth foyers announced on 9 January 2025—

Will the Minister advise (a) whether the sites for each of the eight youth foyers have been identified, (b) the Local Government Area in which each identified site is located and (c) the date on which planning and feasibility activities commenced and the date on which they concluded, or are estimated to conclude, for each site?

ANSWER:

- (a) The Queensland Government has announced the locations of the Cairns and Moreton Bay Youth Foyers, and that a Youth Foyer will be delivered in Hervey Bay. The identification of the remaining five Youth Foyer locations is underway.
- (b) The Cairns Youth Foyer will be in the Cairns Local Government Area (LGA), the Moreton Bay Youth Foyer will be in the Moreton Bay LGA and the Hervey Bay Youth Foyer will be in the Fraser Coast LGA.
- (c) Construction commenced in October 2025 on the Cairns Youth Foyer. In September 2025, an architect was appointed to design the Moreton Bay Youth Foyer and planning is underway for the Hervey Bay Youth Foyer. As stated in Question on Notice, No. 302 tabled on 2 May 2025, the Queensland Government has committed to commencing delivery on all eight Youth Foyers by the end of 2028.