Question on Notice No. 1205 Asked on 16 October 2025

Ms W Bourne asked Premier and Minister for Veterans (Hon. D Crisafulli)—

QUESTION:

With reference to Free Kindy in Queensland—

Will the Premier advise, since the announcement of Free Kindy in 2023, the total amount spent on promotion and advertising of free kindy (reported separately by financial year from 2023-24 to 2025-26)?

ANSWER:

Figures for the 2023-24 financial year relate to the decisions of a former government. However, departmental annual placement figures are proactively released online each year following the completion of an end-of-financial year audit by an independent auditor: https://www.premiers.qld.gov.au/right-to-info/published-info/our-finances.aspx. The figures for 2023-24 are already available online.

Audited figures for 2024-25 are not yet available but will be published once the required audits have been undertaken. Figures for 2025-26 are not available as the year is not yet complete.

The Department of the Premier and Cabinet also publishes details of awarded contracts, valued at \$10,000 and over (GST inclusive), on the Queensland Government Open Data Portal in accordance with the *Queensland Procurement Policy 2023* and the *Procurement Guidelines: Contract Disclosure*.