

Question on Notice

No. 241

Asked on 14 March 2025

MR R KATTER ASKED MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES (HON T NICHOLLS)—

QUESTION

With reference to growing international evidence, including the UK's landmark Cass Review, and local policy decisions, including the commission of an independent review into Stage 1 and Stage 2 hormone therapies for children in Queensland—

Will the Minister direct Queensland Health to reinstate Dr Jillian Spencer, psychiatrist, to her previous position, noting Dr Spencer was suspended in April 2023 for raising concerns about 'gender affirming care' at the Queensland Children's Gender Service?

ANSWER

In the interests of confidentiality and privacy, it is not appropriate for me to comment on Dr Spencer's individual employment matters.