Question on Notice

No. 411

Asked on 30 April 2024

MRS C MULLEN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR WOMEN AND WOMEN'S ECONOMIC SECURITY, MINISTER FOR ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PARTNERSHIPS, AND MINISTER FOR MULTICULTURALISM (HON F SIMPSON)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the 2024-25 Strengthening Multicultural Queensland Grant Program outcomes—

Will the Minister advise the unsuccessful applications (in table format, reported separately by organisation name, project name and amount of funding sought (excluding GST))?

ANSWER:

The funding rounds under the Strengthening Multicultural Queensland (SMQ) program are very competitive with the number of applications received far exceeding the \$2 million in funding available, for grants of up to \$100,000 each. The 2024-25 funding round received 159 eligible applications seeking funding of more than \$12.6 million.

Applications were received under two categories – Empowering Multicultural Community projects and Youth and Community Connection projects.

For privacy reasons, I am unable to disclose details about individuals who were unsuccessful in receiving grants.