

Question on Notice

No. 434

Asked on 30 April 2025

HON L ENOCH ASKED THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND THE ARTS
(HON J LANGBROEK)

QUESTION:

With reference to the naming of the New Performing Arts Venue (NPAV) at the Queensland Performing Arts Complex (QPAC)—

Will the Minister (a) provide details of deliberations and decisions taken by the QPAC and Arts Queensland (AQ) leadership over the past 18 months, including any formal correspondence on the matter, (b) confirm whether legal advice was provided to the QPAC and/or AQ leadership and if so what that advice contained and (c) provide details regarding any advice or recommendations made to the QPAC and/or AQ leadership by advisory groups including the First Nations Arts and Cultures Panel in the past 18 months?

ANSWER:

- a) Four letters were exchanged and one meeting occurred between the leaders of the Queensland Performing Arts Centre (QPAC) and Arts Queensland. As of 20 May 2025, the name of the New Performing Arts Venue (NPAV) has not been finalised.
- b) Legal advice was provided to the QPAC leadership and is protected under legal professional privilege.
- c) The Queensland Performing Arts Trust's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Advisory Group provided recommendations which were not progressed. The First Nations Arts and Cultures Panel did not provide any advice or recommendations.