Question on Notice

No. 564

Asked on Thursday, 22 May 2025

HON M FURNER ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS AND MINISTER FOR YOUTH (HON S O'CONNOR)—

OUESTION:

With reference to the University of Queensland's (UQ) commissioning by the former government to conduct analysis and consultation on a short-term rental registration scheme – separate from UQ's June 2023 Report 'A Review of the Impacts of Short-Term Rental Accommodation in Queensland'—

Will the Minister advise (a) whether this analysis and consultation has been completed, (b) if it has been completed, (i) the date it was finalised, (ii) the date the Department of Housing and Public Works and the Minister received the final report, (iii) when the report will be publicly released and (c) will the government proceed with a short-term rental registration scheme, and if so (i) the expected timeframe for its introduction and (ii) the model or framework the scheme is likely to adopt?

ANSWER:

The Liberal National Party secured a majority of seats in the Legislative Assembly at the State Election held on 26 October 2024. This change of government occurred after The University of Queensland (UQ) delivered its final report to the former government.

This work was commissioned by the tourism department, and as such questions regarding the current status of the report should be directed to the Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation.