

Question on Notice

No. 880

Asked on Friday, 27 June 2025

MR R KATTER ASKED MINISTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT AND TOURISM AND MINISTER FOR SCIENCE AND INNOVATION (HON A POWELL)—

QUESTION:

With reference to Mount Isa being subject to the waste levy despite it being the most remote city in Queensland—

Will the Minister commit to revoking this impost on Mount Isa ratepayers?

ANSWER:

Public consultation opened in May this year for the Crisafulli Government's draft new *Queensland Waste Strategy 2025-2030 – Less Landfill, More Recycling*, which included a review of Queensland's waste levy arrangements.

I can confirm that all local governments were invited to provide a submission to the Department of the Environment, Tourism, Science and Innovation.

Consultation has now closed, and the Government is considering the submissions received.