

## QUESTION ON NOTICE

No. 126

Asked Tuesday 3, March 2026

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**MR P RUSSO** ASKED MINISTER FOR YOUTH JUSTICE AND VICTIM SUPPORT AND MINISTER FOR CORRECTIVE SERVICES (HON L GERBER)

**QUESTION:**

With reference to the Cleveland Youth Detention Centre inspection report, and noting that 15 recommendations were completed as at 20 October 2025 —

Will the Minister provide (a) an update on the implementation of each recommendation, (reported separately by recommendation and in table format, as at 28 February 2026) and (b) where a recommendation has not been completed, provide the planned date of full implementation?

**ANSWER:**

I thank the Member for his question. It is unclear what specific 'Cleveland Youth Detention Centre inspection report' the Member is referring to in his question.

A number of reports related to inspections at Cleveland Youth Detention Centre exist including the *Inspector of Detention Services Annual Operating Report 2024-25*, the *Combined Inspection Report for Youth Detention Centres*, and the *Cleveland Youth Detention Centre Inspection Report: Focus on Separation Due to Staff Shortages*, which was tabled in August 2024 and included audits and observations made on 20 October 2023, outlining systemic failures in relation to staffing and separations that occurred in Queensland's youth detention centres under the former Palaszczuk and Miles Governments.

As such, I invite the Member to clarify his question.