

**Question on Notice**  
**No. 175**  
**Asked on 4 March 2026**

**Hon. G Grace** asked Premier and Minister for Veterans (Hon. D Crisafulli)—

QUESTION:

Will the Premier (a) advise why the land at Victoria Park has been converted from trust land to freehold tenure and (b) guarantee that freehold land in Victoria Park will not be sold to private developers or entities in the lead up to, or after the 2032 Brisbane Olympic and Paralympic Games?

ANSWER:

After years of delays, our government has been acting to restore Queenslanders' confidence in the 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games (the Games). Our 2032 Delivery Plan sets a plan to deliver a Games that all Queenslanders can be proud of and identifies the legacy infrastructure required to deliver a successful 2032 Games across the state.

The 2032 Delivery Plan includes a new Brisbane Stadium located within Victoria Park. I note that the Member is on record opposing a new stadium at Victoria Park as outlined in documents tabled by the Deputy Premier in the House on 11 December 2025. Media reports also note the Member's attendance at a protest against the stadium earlier this year (source: <https://www.brisbanetimes.com.au/national/queensland/delay-and-obstruct-hundreds-rally-against-olympic-stadium-at-victoria-park-20250201-p518ty.html>).

I also note media reports that the former government's plan for the Queensland Sport and Athletics Centre to act as the main stadium for the Games was "not a legacy, it is a disgrace" (source: <https://www.theaustralian.com.au/nation/politics/steven-miles-shortterm-thinking-over-olympics-venues-a-disgrace-not-a-legacy/news-story/700942c42c733881dc55943de34923c1>)

The amendments to the *Brisbane Olympic and Paralympic Games Arrangements Act 2021* (BOPGA Act), passed by the Queensland Government on 12 February 2026, are another important step in ensuring the successful planning and delivery of the Games.

The BOPGA Act amendments resolve complex land tenure arrangements and facilitate access to Victoria Park by the Games Independent Infrastructure and Coordination Authority (GIICA). GIICA has confirmed that it requires access to Victoria Park to commence early works from 1 June 2026, with the current complex tenure arrangements required to be resolved to hand the site to GIICA before this date.

GIICA represents the State and will hold land on behalf of the State so that it may efficiently deliver Games infrastructure in Victoria Park. GIICA is a public entity and represents the State of Queensland, with a specific role as defined in the BOPGA Act.

GIICA can only use the land in accordance with the BOPGA Act.