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Hon Deb Frecklington MP
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Dear Attorney-General

Office of the Information Commissioner funding proposal

I write on behalf of the Justice, Integrity and Community Safety Committee (committee) to report on the committee's review of a funding proposal submitted by the Information Commissioner.

On 28 February 2025, the committee received a funding proposal from the Information Commissioner for total funding of \$14.076 million over 4 years and \$3.871 million ongoing and 18.6 additional FTE.

On 17 March 2025, the committee received additional information it requested from the Information Commissioner to support the funding proposal.

Under the *Right to Information Act 2009*, the committee must review the funding proposal and prepare a report in consultation with the appropriate officers of Queensland Treasury.

In preparing the report of its review of the funding proposal, the committee consulted with appropriate officers of Queensland Treasury and had regard to the rationale for the funding proposal presented by the Information Commissioner. In accordance with the options available to the committee under section 168C(2) of the *Right to Information Act 2009*, the committee resolved to **approve a proposal that provides for no additional funding for the Office of the Information Commissioner.**

The committee notes the *Right to Information Act 2009* requires that the Minister table the committee's report in the Legislative Assembly, along with a report setting out the Minister's response to the proposal, after the Minister's response has been implemented.

If you have any queries about this correspondence, please do not hesitate to contact the committee secretariat on 07 3553 6641 or at JICSC@parliament.qld.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Marty Hunt".

Mr Marty Hunt MP
Chair