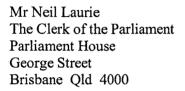


Warren Pitt MP Member for Mulgrave

Our ref: MC36536 Your ref: 1071-08

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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to the petition 1071-08 lodged with the Legislative Assembly on 3 June 2008, by Mr Alfred Vella, requesting the removal of Option 5 for the Walkerston Bypass on the Peak Downs Highway.

The Department of Main Roads has advised an analysis of the five options has been completed. On 2 July 2008, I announced Option 1 (Stockroute Road plus a future inner-urban deviation) as the preferred route for a future bypass of Walkerston.

No further consideration will be given to Option 5.

Yours sincerely

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