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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to Petition 2324 tabled in the Queensland Legislative Assembly on 16 October 2014, regarding the claim limit in the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT).

QCAT is established under the *Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2009* (QCAT Act). A statutory review of the QCAT Act is currently being finalised. The outcomes of the QCAT Act review have been informed by research and analysis, comments raised in the almost 100 submissions received in response to the consultation paper published in December 2012, as well as other feedback received from members of the public.

Given that the QCAT Act review specifically included consideration of the accessibility of QCAT, including the appropriateness of its jurisdiction, the issue raised in the petition has been considered as part of the review.

A report setting out the outcomes of the review will be tabled in due course. The findings of the QCAT Act review will contribute to the Government's commitment to improve the administration of justice and frontline services for Queenslanders.

I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

**JARROD BLEIJIE MP**  
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