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Mr Neil Laurie
The Clerk of the Parliament
Parliament House
George Street
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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petition numbers 2868-18 and 2825-17 lodged with the Legislative Assembly by Mr Michael Crandon MP, Member for Coomera, on 15 February 2018 seeking an upgrade to bus services between Ormeau rail station and Coomera rail station.

The Palaszczuk Government is committed to providing an integrated, efficient and accessible public transport network for Queensland.

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) acknowledges the growth occurring in the Pimpama area and that the road network continues to mature as new housing estates are being developed. However, the delivery of efficient services in this area is made difficult by the disconnected road network that lacks linkages between new residential estates.

While these roads are owned and managed by the City of Gold Coast (CoGC), and no additional services are planned at this time, TMR will continue to work with CoGC to monitor the development and delivery of the necessary infrastructure required to facilitate any future extension or realignment of public transport services in this area.

I thank the petitioners for their commitment to public transport, and for bringing this matter to my attention. I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

MARK BAILEY MP

Minister for Transport and Main Roads