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Mr Neil Laurie The Clerk of the Parliament Parliament House George Street BRISBANE QLD 4000

Dear Mr Laurie

Thank you for your letter of 24 September 2020 enclosing petition 3380–20 about State Government assistance to religious organisations, which was tabled in the Legislative Assembly on 9 September 2020.

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As the State Government is currently in caretaker mode, I am unable to provide a substantive response to the petition at this time. Therefore, under Standing Order 125(6)(a), I am providing this letter as an interim response to the petition.

In accordance with section 59A of the *Parliament of Queensland Act 2001* and Standing Order 31, I request that this interim response be tabled during the period that the Legislative Assembly is dissolved.

Yours sincerely

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