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Mr Neil Laurie
The Clerk of the Parliament
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Dear Mr Laurie

Thank you for your letter of 13 August 2020, concerning e-petition 3355-20 and paper petition 3391-20, received by the House on 11 August 2020, regarding Queensland Air Museum seeking and extension of its current lease.

In response to the petition I can advise my department is working with the Sunshine Coast Regional Council on the proposal to expand the Queensland Air Museum.

The Queensland Air Museum site is situated on a reserve for historical purposes administered under the *Land Act 1994*, and the Queensland Air Museum Incorporated holds a trustee lease for air museum and related purposes over the whole of the reserve.

The Sunshine Coast Regional Council as trustee of the reserve has applied to my department to include additional land into the reserve to allow for the expansion of the Queensland Air Museum.

My department has identified a number of complex land matters associated with the proposal, which the Sunshine Coast Regional Council, as trustee, is currently considering.

I provide you with this response for tabling in accordance with Standing Order 125(3). Any enquiries regarding this response can be referred to Mr Simon Zanatta, Chief of Staff, on telephone 3719 7360.

Yours sincerely

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