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## Dear Mr Laurie

Thank you for your letter of 1 September 2004 forwarding a copy of a petition received by the House on 31 August 2004 regarding the Heiner Road Bridge, Heiner Road, North Ipswich.

The petition concerns a decision of the Queensland Heritage Council to approve the partial burial and partial relocation of the heritage-registered Heiner Road Bridge abutments, North Ipswich. However, the Department of State Development and Innovation, Ipswich City Council and the Queensland Heritage Council are currently considering further options for the abutments. A final decision has not as yet been reached.

I hope this information is helpful to you.

Yours sincerely

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Minister for Environment
Minister for Local Government and Planning
Minister for Women