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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to Petition 3709–22 regarding the Queensland Parliament’s e-petition system, which was tabled in the Legislative Assembly on 12 October 2022.

Petition 3709–22 makes the same request as Petition 3569–21, which was tabled on 1 September 2021 and was the subject of my response to the Legislative Assembly on 1 October 2021. I note the principal petitioner has included some additional information in Petition 3709–22 about the intent of the proposal regarding the e-petition system.

In my response to Petition 3569–21, I advised that I had written to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, the Honourable Curtis Pitt MP, as Chair of the Committee of the Legislative Assembly (CLA), asking him if the CLA could consider Petition 3569–21, given the CLA’s responsibility for oversight of Standing Orders and the Legislative Assembly’s practices and procedures, including the e-petition system.

Earlier this year, I received advice from the Speaker that the CLA had considered my letter about Petition 3569–21 and resolved not to recommend changes to the current e-petition system. The Queensland Government supports the position of the CLA on this matter.

Noting that the principal petitioner has included some additional information in Petition 3709–22, I ask that you bring Petition 3709–22 to the attention of the Speaker for any action he may deem to be appropriate.

I hope this information is of assistance to the petitioners.

Yours sincerely

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