1. The Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse (the Royal Commission) was established in January 2013 to inquire into and report on institutional responses to allegations and incidents of child sexual abuse and related matters and to make recommendations on laws, policies and practices to better protect children from sexual abuse in institutions.
2. The Royal Commission final report was presented to governments and tabled in the Commonwealth Parliament on 15 December 2017, comprising 18 volumes and 189 recommendations. This report was additional to three prior reports on Working with Children Checks, Redress and Civil Litigation, and Criminal Justice, which together contained 220 recommendations.
3. The Queensland Government Response responds to the recommendations with 88 accepted in full, 156 accepted in principle, 89 requiring further consideration, and 76 noted.
4. Cabinet approved the Queensland Government’s Response to the Final Report of Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse, comprising a high level statement and a table with responses to each recommendation.
5. Cabinet approved that the Response be tabled in Parliament by the Premier and Minister for Trade.
6. Cabinet approved that recommendation 17.2 in the Final Report, that all Governments should table annual reports in Parliament on their implementation of the final report recommendations beginning 12 months after the Final Report, be accepted.
7. *Attachments*
* [Queensland Government Response to recommendations of Final Report of Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse](Attachments/Response.PDF)