1. The Queensland Government provides financial and other assistance to non-government entities and local governments for a variety of purposes and activities, including the arts, research, education, the environment, community infrastructure and facilities, and the delivery of social and human services.
2. The One Funding System for Better Services Bill 2011 proposes a single set of laws for regulating this funding and assistance across Government. It is designed to streamline current funding laws, and provide consistent safeguards for the accountable, safe use of public funds and delivery of publicly funded products and services.
3. The Bill will apply to all Queensland Government funding and assistance (including money, leases, land, goods and services, in-kind support) to external entities, unless specifically exempted (e.g. rebates; ex gratia payments; sponsorships; and funds to individuals to enable them to obtain, rather than deliver, products and services).
4. Cabinet approved the introduction of the One Funding System for Better Services Bill 2011 into the Legislative Assembly.
5. *Attachments*
* [One Funding System for Better Services Bill 2011](Attachments/Att%201%20One%20Funding%20system%20for%20better%20services%20bill%202011.pdf)
* [Explanatory notes](Attachments/Att%202%20OneFundB11Exp.pdf)