1. The Queensland Counter-Terrorism Committee (QCTC) provides the forum for counter-terrorism coordination, development and information sharing amongst relevant Queensland Government agencies. Through the QCTC, the maintenance and development of an effective state-wide counter-terrorism capability is achieved. The QCTC reports to Cabinet annually.
2. Key highlights from 2011 QCTC Annual Report included:
* Democracy Workshops: used to increase the understanding of democratic processes amongst the Muslim community in Queensland and support inclusion and belonging.
* Regional Transport Security Training Sessions: sessions with the aviation and maritime sectors designed to educate industry and government participants on the specific roles and responsibilities that all parties play in an incident involving terrorist related interference with regional aviation and maritime facilities, ports and vessels.
* Reviews of the *Queensland Gas Insufficiency of Supply Contingency Plan*, the *Queensland Liquid Fuel Emergency Response Plan* and Precinct Counter-Terrorism Coordination Plans for major transport precincts.
* Development of the Qldalert aggregation tool to coordinate social media in times of disaster.
* The Dutton Park Police Blog: the first police blog designed to encourage community interaction with police; enabling diverse groups and individuals to engage with police using contemporary technology.
* Review of the State Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear Plan.
* Enhanced the interoperability and management of incidents involving Homemade Explosives through the development and testing of multi-agency procedures.
* Undertook multi-agency mass casualty exercises to both ensure capacity can be readily created for the receipt and treatment of mass casualties and also that clinical staff are aware of Queensland Police Service evidentiary requirements.
* Supporting and participating in exercises and security planning activities for Queensland’s biggest events and places of mass gatherings, including shopping centres, hotels, transport precincts, festivals, theme parks, sporting stadiums, community events and entertainment venues.
1. Cabinet noted the Queensland Counter-Terrorism Committee Annual Report 2011.
2. *Attachments*
* [Queensland Counter-Terrorism Committee Annual Report 2011](Attachments/Attachment%20Queensland%20Counter%20Terrorism%20Committee.docx)