1. The Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse (the Royal Commission) presented its final report to governments on 15 December 2017. The Final Report made 409 recommendations, across the Final Report, and three prior reports on Working with Children Checks, Redress and Civil Litigation and Criminal Justice.
2. The Premier and Minister for Trade tabled the Queensland Government Response on 15 June 2018. The Queensland Government Response accepted the Royal Commission’s recommendation 17.2 that all jurisdictions should, beginning 12 months after its Final Report, provide five annual consecutive reports on implementation of recommendations.
3. The Implementation Report provides a statement about the work the Queensland Government has undertaken since the Government Response in June 2018 to progress the Royal Commission’s recommendations.
4. Key actions undertaken since June 2018 include:
* the official commencement of the Queensland Government’s participation in the National Redress Scheme on 19 November 2018
* establishment of the Truth, Healing and Reconciliation Taskforce
* funding to support the 29 recommendations made by the Anti-Cyberbullying Taskforce
* progress on creating child safe institutions and implementing therapeutic services and recommendations from the civil litigation, criminal justice and Working with Child Checks reports.
1. The Queensland Government Response accepted in-principle the Child Safe Standards (Recommendations 6.5 and 6.6), recognising that they represent best practice. The Government is now accepting in full these recommendations.
2. Cabinet approved that the first Annual Implementation Report on implementation of recommendations of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse be tabled in Parliament by the Premier and Minister for Trade.
3. Cabinet approved that the Queensland Government accept the Royal Commission’s Child Safe Standards (Final Report Recommendations 6.5 and 6.6) and that they be adopted as best practice by Queensland Government departments.
4. *Attachments*
* [First Annual Implementation Report on implementation of recommendations of the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse](Attachments/Report.PDF)