1. The Royal National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland (the RNA) promotes and encourages the development of Queensland’s agricultural, industrial, manufacturing and cultural resources.
2. The primary production sector (including agriculture, fisheries and forestry) contributes significantly to the Queensland economy. For 2018-19, the total value of Queensland’s primary industry commodities is forecast to be $17.59 billion.
3. To improve agricultural productivity and foster more prosperous communities, the Government will continue to deliver key services, promote trade, collaborate with stakeholders, manage the risks of pests and diseases, develop innovative technologies, and support the growth of the Queensland food and fibre sector.
4. The Queensland Government has been represented at the Ekka annually for the past 48 years with the various forms of the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries supporting the Ekka since 1887. The Queensland Government display at the Ekka for 2019 promoted *2019: The Year of Outback Tourism*.
5. The $2.9 billion 15‑year Brisbane Showgrounds Regeneration Project is one of the largest mixed-use urban regeneration projects in Australia. The Brisbane Showgrounds is located within the Bowen Hills Priority Development Area.
6. Cabinet noted information regarding agriculture sector issues and the Ekka precinct redevelopment.
7. *Attachments*
* Nil.