1. *Buy Queensland*, comprising the Backing Queensland Jobs – Queensland Government Procurement Strategy 2017 (QGPS) and Queensland Procurement Policy 2021 (QPP), was launched in 2017 to ensure that government’s procurement investment supports decent local jobs and businesses, advancing the government’s economic, environmental and social objectives to support the long-term wellbeing of the Queensland community.
2. From 1 September 2017 to 30 September 2022, over 69,660 Queensland-registered businesses were awarded approximately $54.42 billion in procurement investment under *Buy Queensland*.
3. The Department of Energy and Public Works completed the Procurement Maturity Project (PMP) to streamline, consolidate and evolve *Buy Queensland*. The PMP has resulted in 12 evidence-based measures underpinning *Buy Queensland 2023*:
   * Measure 1: Local benefits requirements expanded to apply broadly, and are easier for buyers and suppliers
   * Measure 2: Supporting local manufacturing and creating resilient critical supply chains – by establishing Supply Chains of State Significance
   * Measure 3: Sustainable economic growth through enabling increased market diversity and economic participation
   * Measure 4: Supporting a climate of innovation
   * Measure 5: Elevating the profile of environment and building emissions reduction targets into the QPP 2023
   * Measure 6: Pursuing responsible public procurement outcomes creates a culture of “leading by example”
   * Measure 7: Procurement choices create long-term value (enduring community value)
   * Measure 8: Doing business with suppliers that are ethical, and deliver responsible public procurement outcomes
   * Measure 9: Achieving best practice procurement through best practice capability
   * Measure 10: Stronger compliance supported by better visibility of performance against *Buy Queensland*
   * Measure 11: Contemporary governance and strategic engagement
   * Measure 12: Making procurement easier for buyers and suppliers in the lead up to *Brisbane 2032*
4. *Buy Queensland 2023* consists of a new Queensland Procurement Strategy 2023 – Jobs, Economy, Legacy, Confidence and Queensland Procurement Policy 2023. *Buy Queensland 2023* has a stronger focus on compliance, transparency, consistency and capability regarding agency procurement activities. *Buy Queensland 2023* is proposed to commence mid 2023.
5. Cabinet approved the new *Buy Queensland* approach to government procurement - *Buy Queensland 2023*, comprising a new Queensland Procurement Strategy 2023 – Jobs, Economy, Legacy, Confidence and Queensland Procurement Policy 2023, and its public release.
6. Cabinet approved application of the Queensland Procurement Strategy 2023 – Jobs, Economy, Legacy, Confidence and Queensland Procurement Policy 2023 to budget sector agencies, government-owned corporations (GOCs), statutory bodies and special purpose vehicles.
7. *Attachments*:
   * [Queensland Procurement Strategy 2023 – Jobs, Economy, Legacy, Confidence](https://dpcqld.sharepoint.com/sites/DPC-CABINETSERVICES/Shared%20Documents/General/Proactive%20Release/ToBeProcessed/2023/Feb/BuyQld/Attachments/Strategy.PDF)
   * [Queensland Procurement Policy 2023](https://dpcqld.sharepoint.com/sites/DPC-CABINETSERVICES/Shared%20Documents/General/Proactive%20Release/ToBeProcessed/2023/Feb/BuyQld/Attachments/Policy.PDF)