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Mr Neil Laurie
The Clerk of the Parliament
Parliament House
George Street
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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petition 4014-24 tabled with the Legislative Assembly on 16 April 2024 about degazetting of the North West Transport Corridor (NWTC).

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) has an essential role in connecting Queensland and its people both now, and into the future, including through identifying future transport corridors so they are available when required.

The Queensland Government has identified the NWTC as a future transport corridor since the 1980s, extending from Everton Park to Carseldine in northern Brisbane. While the Queensland Government owns some of the properties along the corridor, it is not currently gazetted under legislation and there is no approved planning, nor funding to deliver transport infrastructure in the corridor. The Queensland Government currently has no plans to dispose or transfer any of the properties it owns.

I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bart Mellish".

BART MELLISH MP
Minister for Transport and Main Roads
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