



STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY INCLUSION
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**Inquiry into referred 2019–20 Annual and Financial Reports and Budget Estimates 2020-21
ANSWER TO QUESTION ON NOTICE**

Asked by Elizabeth Kikkert MLA:

In relation to: Building Community-Controlled Organisations

The Annual Report mentions a Governance Framework that includes 'the development of a guide for government to support the establishment and sustainability of community-controlled organisations into the future' (p. 77). Has the guide been completed, and if so, what does it recommend?

- a. Can the minister provide a copy?
- b. In this context, what does it mean for a community-controlled organisation to be 'sustainable'?

Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:—

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Governance Framework is currently under development.

- a. No, as the guide is not yet developed.
- b. The definition of 'sustainable' will be determined within the context of the Framework.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Education and Community Inclusion

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By the Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs, Rachel Stephen-Smith MLA