



Inquiry into Appropriation Bill 2026–2027 and Appropriation (Office of the Legislative Assembly) Bill 2026–2027

Answer to question on notice

Asked by: Ms Jo Clay MLA

Addressed to: Chief Minister

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In relation to: Redevelopment of the Causeway

Question received: 06/08/2026

Answer Due: 14/08/2026

- What progress is being made on the sub-division design for the Causeway area - Precinct North?
- When do you expect the Development Application to be submitted?
- A Development Application was submitted to the Territory Planning Authority in 2021 for the demolition of the switching station and associated works including the undergrounding of conduits. What is preventing the approval of this DA which is under assessment?
- When is the first block of land going to be released in the Causeway area?

ANDREW BARR MLA - The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

- SLA are nearing the completion of the master planning phase for Causeway Precinct North, with the subdivision design development underway from this month (August 2026).
- The project's subdivision design application is programmed for submission by the end of this year (2026).
- The original proposal relied on decommissioning of the Causeway Switching Station (CSS). Evoenergy subsequently advised this is not currently feasible, requiring a revised infrastructure approach and project scope.
- The first 500 dwellings in Causeway Precinct North are forecast for release in 2027–28FY.

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Signature: 

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By the Chief Minister, Andrew Barr MLA