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SELECT COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES 2023-2024

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ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE DURING PUBLIC HEARINGS

Asked by Mr Michael Pettersson on 18 July 2023: Mr Geoffrey Davidson MLA took on notice the following question(s):

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In relation to:

What schools is the funding from this Budget going to? (re school safety program)

MR PETTERSSON: Wonderful. Could you provide some further detail on the schools that have site of the infrastructure upgrades? You mention one, the traffic lights.

Mr Davidson: Yes. You are testing my memory here, Mr Pettersson. So Saint Mary MacKillop is one of those schools which is listed. There will be a raised crossing delivered at the Isabella campus for Saint Mary MacKillop College. There is also two other schools, but I cannot recall exactly what those schools are sorry.

MR PETTERSSON: Take it on notice.

Mr Davidson: I take that on notice and come back to you.

CHRIS STEEL MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows: –

In addition to St Mary MacKillop College (Isabella Plains campus), the 2023–24 ACT Budget provides funding for construction of raised pedestrian crossings at Canberra High School and Gold Creek School. Infrastructure upgrades will also be delivered at many other school locations as part of the Active Streets for Schools program. This program involves construction of new footpaths and other minor new works aimed at improving road safety and encouraging the uptake of cycling and walking to school.

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates 2023-2024

Signature:

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Date: 25 / 7 / 23

By the Minister for Transport and City Services, Chris Steel MLA