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TOPIC: Scottsdale Industry and Community Development Fund

REFERENCE: Written Question – Senator Abetz

QUESTION No. BI-21

- (1) Is the Musselroe tourism development in Tasmania going ahead?
- (2) If not, will the \$4.2 million upgrade for Musselroe Road go ahead?
- (3) If not, will the money be available for other Scottsdale projects?
- (4) Would this allow other projects that have missed out to apply again?

ANSWER:

- (1) Based on advice from the Tasmanian Government, the Department understands the Musselroe Bay tourism development is proceeding.
- (2) The offer of \$4 million by the previous Government for the upgrade of the road leading to the Musselroe Bay tourism development was conditional upon a matched contribution from the Tasmanian State Government, and contributions from the Dorset Council and the tourism project developer. That remains the case.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Not applicable.