



Queensland Bus Industry Council Inc.

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Media Statement

Better Protection for Bus Drivers

The announcement today by Mark Bailey Minister for Transport and Main Roads is welcomed as a positive initiative in providing a safe working environment for our Drivers, said Queensland Bus Industry Council Executive Director David Tape.

The Palaszczuk governments five point plan will hopefully improve Bus Driver safety and reduce the risk of violence and unacceptable behaviour on our buses, said Tape.

Our public transport network needs to be safe for all and we commend the Palaszczuk government's commitment to work with industry and the public to tackle this issue on identified high risk routes.

This is a positive step in the right direction and we look forward to a continued working relationship with the Minister to ensure safety on our buses.

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