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From: Amy Hunter <Amy.Hunter@ministerial.qld.gov.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 26 February 2019 3:14 PM
To: Katharine Wright; Matthew Stevenson; Robert Hoge; Jasmina Joldic
Cc: news; Danielle Cohen
Subject: RE: Ros Bates accusations re surgeon at Redcliffe
Attachments: 20190226160638608.pdf

Attached are the documents Bates tabled.

Amy

From: Katharine Wright <Katharine.Wright@ministerial.qld.gov.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 26 February 2019 3:08 PM
To: Matthew Stevenson <Matthew.Stevenson@health.qld.gov.au>; Robert Hoge <Robert.Hoge@health.qld.gov.au>
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Subject: RE: Ros Bates accusations re surgeon at Redcliffe

Thanks Matt! His name is Dr William Braun apparently.

From: Matthew Stevenson <Matthew.Stevenson@health.qld.gov.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 26 February 2019 3:07 PM
To: Katharine Wright <Katharine.Wright@ministerial.qld.gov.au>; Robert Hoge <Robert.Hoge@health.qld.gov.au>
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Subject: RE: Ros Bates accusations re surgeon at Redcliffe

Hi Kat

We are just chasing up some facts as we speak and will write it up and send you a copy

Regards Matt

From: Katharine Wright [mailto:Katharine.Wright@ministerial.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Tuesday, 26 February 2019 2:54 PM
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Subject: Ros Bates accusations re surgeon at Redcliffe

Hello, can I have a response to this ASAP please?

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/o39j964kas90ame/Ros%20Bates%20Surgeon%20Redcliffe.m4a?dl=0>

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From: news
Sent: Wednesday, 27 February 2019 4:06 PM
To: 'Katharine Wright'; Amy Hunter; Elise Meakin; Gemma Hodgetts; Jasmina Joldic; Laura Verney; Natalie Patch; Robert Hoge; SDLO
Subject: FW: Sunshine Coast waiting times
Attachments: 20190227 Labor fails to deliver better health system for Queenslanders BATES.docx

Heads up on the below enquiry with Sunshine Coast HHS in response to a ramping media release by the Opposition.

Cheers,
 Kat

From: Naomi Ford
Sent: Wednesday, 27 February 2019 4:03 PM
To: news <news@health.qld.gov.au>
Subject: FW: Sunshine Coast waiting times

Fyi – response being prepared which is based on the holding statement we previously supplied to you

From: SC-Communications
Sent: Wednesday, 27 February 2019 2:40 PM
To: Tracey Warhurst <Tracey.Warhurst@health.qld.gov.au>
Cc: Naomi Ford <Naomi.Ford1@health.qld.gov.au>
Subject: FW: Sunshine Coast waiting times

Hi Tracey,

FYI we have just received this from the ABC and are working on a response now.

Regards,

Alexia

From: Jacqueline Street (Jacqui) [mailto: [REDACTED]@health.qld.gov.au] [mailto: [REDACTED]@health.qld.gov.au] net.au]
Sent: Wednesday, 27 February 2019 2:31 PM
To: SC-Communications <SC-Communications@health.qld.gov.au>
Subject: Sunshine Coast waiting times

Hi there

Apologies for approaching late in the day with this.

The figures identified by the State Opposition below show that the Nambour hospital has 22% of patients not lifted from the ambulance in the required time.

I can see the Nambour Hospital was also identified as not meeting benchmarks for elective surgery waiting times. At Caloundra – only 63% of Category 3 patients and 72% of Category 4 patients are seen within recommended waiting times in the Emergency Department.

It appears that the Sunshine Coast University Hospital is meeting benchmarks.

Would Naomi Ford from the SCHHS be available to talk about hospital waiting times?

If not does the SCHHS have a response to concerns about waiting times for emergency and elective surgery at smaller hospitals?

What is SCHHS doing to bring the other hospitals up to the standard of the SCUH?

Many thanks

Jacqui Street



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From: Opposition Media <media@opposition.qld.gov.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 27 February 2019 12:34 PM
To: Opposition Media <media@opposition.qld.gov.au>
Subject: MEDIA RELEASE: Labor fails to deliver better health system for Queenslanders

Labor fails to deliver better health system for Queenslanders

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

The Queensland Health monthly ambulance ramping data* for December has revealed Anastacia Palaszczuk has clearly broken her election promise to provide a better health system for Queenslanders.

LNP Shadow Minister for Health Ros Bates has warned Queensland's public health system is failing under the Palaszczuk Labor Government.

"Anastacia Palaszczuk has clearly broken her election promise to provide a better health system for Queenslanders," Ms Bates said.

"Instead of more hospital beds and better patient care, Labor's priority has been wasting taxpayers' money renaming the Lady Cilento Children's Hospital.

"Our hard working nurses, doctors, paramedics and midwives need more help on the frontline to improve patient care.

"Instead, our public hospitals are bursting at the seams and ambulance ramping is rife.

"In government, the LNP significantly reduced ambulance ramping and scrapped Labor's hospital bypass policy.

“Sadly, our public health system has lurched back to the bad old days, when Anna Bligh called Queensland Health a basketcase.

“Queenslanders deserve a world-class health system that Anastacia Palaszczuk isn’t delivering.”

***Ramping Data:**

- State-wide, 24% (up 4% since Dec 2017)
- Cairns Hospital, 26% (up 12% since Dec 2017)
- Rockhampton Hospital, 18% (up 5% since Dec 2017)
- Toowoomba Hospital, 12% (up 4% since Dec 2017)
- Robina Hospital, 35% (up 10% since Dec 2017)
- Mackay Hospital, 20% (up 7% since Dec 2017)
- Caboolture Hospital, 31% (up 10% since Dec 2017)
- Redcliffe Hospital, 23% (up 7% since Dec 2017)
- RBWH, 35% (up 7% since Dec 2017)
- Prince Charles Hospital, 19% (up 4% since Dec 2017)
- Logan Hospital, 40% (unchanged) – **WORST IN QUEENSLAND**
- PA Hospital, 29% (up 10% since Dec 2017)
- QEII Hospital, 31% (up 3% since Dec 2017)
- Redland Hospital, 37% (up 5% since Dec 2017)
- Nambour Hospital, 22% (up 1% since Dec 2017)
- Ipswich Hospital, 27% (up 12% since Dec 2017)

*% is the number of patients NOT taken off an ambulance stretcher within the 30 minute target.

Source: <http://www.performance.health.qld.gov.au/>

Media contact: Annabelle Douglas 

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Robert Hoge

From: metronorthnews
Sent: Tuesday, 5 March 2019 10:17 AM
To: Katharine Wright; Amy Hunter
Cc: news; metronorthnews; Robert Hoge
Subject: FW: Dr William Braun

Hi all

As this is an active investigation and for legal reasons, we are proposing to provide the following response to Allyson's query

Regards Matt

Please attribute to a Metro North Hospital and Health Service spokesperson:

For privacy and confidentiality reasons, we are unable to comment on individual HR matters or active investigations.

However, we can say that we have suspended a staff member in relation to the allegations raised. For legal reasons, we are unable to provide further information.

Sexual harassment in our health service is completely unacceptable and we actively encourage and support staff to report any incidents.

Our Metro North Integrity Unit conducts thorough investigations and where required, these matters are dealt with through the relevant industrial framework or referred to Queensland Police Service.

We have been active in reducing inappropriate behaviour in the workplace and we strongly urge anyone with evidence of misconduct to contact the Metro North Integrity Unit.

ENDS

From: Allyson Horn [mailto: [REDACTED] net.au]
Sent: Tuesday, 5 March 2019 10:11 AM
To: news <news@health.qld.gov.au>; metronorthnews <metronorthnews@health.qld.gov.au>
Subject: Dr William Braun

Hello,

Can I please get an update into the investigation involving Dr William Braun, including

- s.73 [REDACTED]

- [REDACTED]

- Are there any other updates you can tell me?

I'd like a response asap,

Thanks, Allyson.



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