



Minister for Main Roads, Road Safety and Ports
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Dear Dr Bean

I refer to your enquiry to the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor of Brisbane, Councillor Graham Quirk, about the use of deflection rails on Brisbane's active transport network. Your enquiry was referred to the Honourable Mark Bailey MP for consideration and response. The Minister has asked that I respond on his behalf.

In November 2014, the Department of Transport and Main Roads updated the 'Shared path and bicycle path termination treatments' technical note and the requirements for deflection rails on bicycle paths.

As identified in your enquiry, the location near O'Keefe and Fern Streets, Woolloongabba, no longer requires deflection rails. In view of this, TMR will remove the deflection rails and install a warning sign on the path near O'Keefe Street.

With regard to the other locations where you believe deflection rails are no longer required, please contact Mr Greg Evans, Principal Traffic Investigations Officer by email at metropolitanregion@tmr.qld.gov.au or by telephone on 3066 5879, to provide Mr Evans with these locations.

Thank you for bringing this matter to the Minister's attention.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Spinks', written in a cursive style.

DENISE SPINKS
CHIEF OF STAFF