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Hon Rita Saffioti MLA Minister for Transport

Dear Minister

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Report on the Planned Construction of the Armadale Line and Byford Rail Extension

This report is submitted for tabling in accordance with section 18A of the *Transport Coordination Act* 1966.

The Railway (METRONET) Amendment Bill 2022 will authorise the construction of the Armadale Line railway projects including Victoria Park Canning Level Crossing Removal and Byford Rail Extension projects.

On 1 November 2021, Cabinet approved the drafting instructions for the *Railway* (METRONET) Amendment Bill 2022. Parliamentary Counsel has prepared the Bill and this Bill is now ready for presentation to Parliament.

I commend the legislation to you.

Peter Woronzow

Director General Transport

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