

ECQ Green Light for DS4SEQ; Party Turns Spotlight on Government

The Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Party (DS4SEQ) has passed its first Electoral Commission of Queensland (ECQ) membership audit, and are now calling for a review on Queensland Government decision-making processes.

"With a 2,000-strong party membership, DS4SEQ's continuing registration was never in doubt. We thank our members who participated in the certification, and we thank the ECQ for ensuring the process ran smoothly," Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Party Secretary, Cameron Krook, said.

Mr Krook said that whilst successful completion of the membership audit had been a short-term priority, the Party's main focus is to achieve Daylight Saving for the people of South East Queensland.

"Premier Anna Bligh's own June 2010 public consultation results demonstrated that most Queenslanders (two thirds) favour a trial and a referendum on Daylight Saving dual time zones in Queensland. It is very clear that the people want Daylight Saving in South East Queensland, and we are prepared to continue fighting for a democratic outcome," Mr Krook said.

"Given the negative and unfounded decision made by the Queensland Premier and her Cabinet, when they had these positive consultation figures in front of them, one could argue that an audit should be done on their decision-making processes," Mr Krook said.

Mr Krook said that following the Federal election result, Premier Bligh last week announced she would 'redouble' her efforts to listen to Queensland. "A good starting point for Premier Bligh to 'redouble' her efforts, would be to listen to the majority of Queenslanders who want Daylight Saving in South East Queensland," Mr Krook said.

The DS4SEQ Party will be making progressive announcements in the lead up to the Parliamentary debate on the *Daylight Saving for South East Queensland Referendum Bill*.

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