



## Frome Electorate Office

Geoff Brock MP, Member for Frome



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### **Brock Motion to House of Assembly Farrell Flat to Clare School Bus Service**

After strong lobbying by Geoff, the Minister for Education, Minister Jennifer Rankine, has now extended the School Bus that transports rural students from Burra – Farrell Flat to the Clare District.

The timeframe for eligible students to continue travelling on the current bus, has been extended to the end of Term 3. Previously this was to be discontinued at the end of Term 2, however this did not give the non-government schools ample time to arrange alternative transport.

At the end of this period, the school bus service will revert to the previous arrangement, as advised by the Department of Education which meets the needs of students attending government schools.

Geoff will continue to lobby the Minister for a more equitable service for rural students for access to educational facilities.

Geoff has a motion before the parliament for the current School Bus Policy to be completely reviewed to reflect the current educational needs, and place equity for all at the centre of a reform.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Geoff Brock'.

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