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What organisation are you from?

ASK Acoustics & Air Quality

What do you think are the best value actions listed in the statement that are likely to help improve future air quality?

I believe the best value actions of those listed are:- expanding air quality monitoring network- better use of modelling systems- strengthening equipment standards- walkable neighbourhoods- investment in science- improving guidance on sensitive uses.

How would you build on or vary these actions?

The actions could be improved by:- more monitoring of hazardous pollutants such as PAHs, dioxins and metals- more sophisticated flow models for dispersion from ground level sources such as roads- include cycling and public transport improvements.

Do you have any suggestions for further actions?**Are there any air quality actions you believe should be avoided? Why?****Are there particular areas of air quality (either pollution sources or geographic regions) you think the government should target for improvement? Why?****Are you able to provide any data or information that will help government assess the feasibility and cost-effectiveness of air quality management actions?**

The cleaner fuel for shipping box on page 5 of the Statement mentions monitoring of sulphur dioxide. ASK has recommended that monitoring of nitrogen dioxide and PM2.5 due to shipping emissions is a higher priority in the vicinity of the Cairns Port in the EIS study at the following link:<http://eisdocs.dsdp.qld.gov.au/Cairns%20Shipping%20Development/Revised%20draft%20EIS/Appendices/appendix-ax-air-quality-impact-assessment.pdf>