Caravan Park Residents

Ms FINLAY question to MINISTER for SMALL BUSINESS, TRADE and CONSUMER AFFAIRS

My question is from constituents in Launceston who have friends and family at the Kelso caravan park. Will this government take seriously the concerns of residents in caravan parks, and operators of caravan parks, to provide certainty well before the 200 days that you've committed? We know that there is an opportunity - there is draft legislation ready - to ensure that these people can have trauma taken away from their lives. The constituent who came into my office has asked specifically on behalf of the residents at Kelso. This is not just an issue in Beauty Point; it is an issue in caravan parks right across Tasmania. It deserves urgent action, because there are older members and vulnerable members of our community who are being traumatised, are in pain and not able to get the support, medical and otherwise, they need. It requires much more urgent action than the 200 days you've committed to. The constituent wants to know if you will commit to having tabled and debated that legislation before the end of the year.