



David Littleproud MP

Federal Member for Maranoa

Media Statement

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David Littleproud MP assisting those affected by Swickers Kingaroy Bacon Factory fire

Federal Member for Maranoa David Littleproud has offered assistance in the wake of a large structural fire at the Swickers Kingaroy Bacon Factory.

“I, along with the whole community, are praying no one has been injured in this event as the full extent of this morning’s fire is still being investigated by emergency services,” Mr Littleproud said.

“I’ve already reached out to the owners to offer my assistance and I will meet with my Ministerial colleagues during this week’s Federal Parliamentary sittings this week to make sure every support is offered to those affected during this difficult time.

“This iconic business has played an integral part for employment in the South Burnett and Queensland’s pork processing for more than 50 years and I’ll do all I can to assist affected employees, their families and SunPork Fresh Foods to rebuild after this tragic event.”

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