1. The 2006 Census identified that approximately 18% of Queensland’s 4.3 million people were born overseas. In the 12 months to 31 December 2008, approximately 46% of Queensland’s population growth was from net overseas migration.
2. The current Queensland Government Multicultural Policy, *Multicultural Queensland – making a world of difference,* was introduced in 2004. Since then a number of factors have arisen which could impact on the policy, including Queensland Government priorities, national policy reforms, international trends, changing demographics, and community relations in Queensland.
3. The discussion paper, *A Multicultural Future: for all of us,* and community consultation will assist the Queensland Government to identify which current strategies are working to address the needs of Queenslanders from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds, and what should be the focus for the Queensland Government in managing cultural diversity and community relations in the future.
4. Cabinet approved the public release of the discussion *A Multicultural Future: For all of us*
5. *Attachments*
   * [*A Multicultural Future: For all of us*](Attachments/Discussion%20Paper_A%20multicultural%20future_for%20all%20of%20us.pdf)