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**Subject:** Notice of EOTF Closure - 41 O'Connell Terrace - Jones Lang LaSalle (Building Managers) - as of 23/03/2020  
**Date:** 18 March 2020 at 4:22 pm  
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Dear Minister de Brenni

The email seeks your urgent action to reverse the unilateral decision by the landlord's property manager to close from 23/03/2020 until further notice the end of trip facilities (EOTF) on site at 41 O'Connell Terrace.

(See email below)

This decision has no basis as far as any of the advice from either the Qld Government or federal government, and is unnecessary and quite ridiculous.

It's more likely COVID-19 is being used as an excuse to save the building owners some costs in terms of some hot water and cleaning.

The Qld Health staff located in this building are at this time still coming to work and the closure of these facilities will only hinder them commuting to/from their duties.

The Qld Government's enabling of bicycle commuting is even more important at this time, because through cycling people can avoid using public transport where there is an increased potential in comparison of contracting COVID-19 due to the longer times people are on close proximity.

We look forward to your response on this matter.

Regards

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**Subject:** RE: Notice of EOTF Closure - 41 O'Connell Terrace - Jones Lang LaSalle (Building Managers) - as of 23/03/2020

**IMPORTANT Notice:**

Good afternoon all,

Please see below important advice from 41 O'Connell Terrace Building Management (Jones Lang LaSalle).

The decision has been made to **close** the End of Trip Facilities (EOTF) on site until further notice.

The building managers have advised that in the interest of public health and taking the current COVID-19 situation into consideration it is recommended that the End of Trip Facilities (EOTF) be closed due of the possibility of human to human droplet transfer when people are using these amenities.

Please note, they have not been advised of any outbreak onsite, this is just a safety precaution being implemented.

Please advise all staff members that this facility will be closed as of the **23/03/2020** until further notice.

Staff will also need to clear out any items that they have stored in lockers located in the End of Trip Facilities before this date.

I do apologise on behalf of the landlord for any inconvenience caused and appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Regards Bob.

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