



## **Assistant Ministerial Diary<sup>1</sup>**

### **Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland**

**Ms Bree James MP**

**1 June 2025 – 30 June 2025**

<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>Name of Organisation/s or Person/s</b>	<b>Purpose of Meeting</b>
2 June 2025	The Hon Tim Manders MP - Minister for Sport and Racing and Minister for the Olympic and Paralympic Games	Meeting
2 June 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers; Mr Russell Field MP – Member for Capalaba; Director-General – Department of the Environment, Tourism, Science and Innovation (DETSI); Natassia Wheeler, CEO – Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC); Craig Davidson, CEO – Tourism and Events Queensland (TEQ); Ministerial staff; invited guests	Event: 20 Year Tourism Plan Launch
2 June 2025	Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism; Ministerial staff	Event: Destination 2025 Launch Dinner
3 June 2025	Mr Stephen Bennett MP – Member for Burnett; Ministerial staff; stakeholders	Portfolio Matters
3 June 2025	Mr David Lee MP – Member for Hervey Bay; Ministerial staff; stakeholders	Portfolio Matters
4 June 2025	Assistant Ministers	Meeting of Assistant Ministers
4 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Mark Olsen, CEO – Tourism Tropical North Queensland (TTNQ); DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Portfolio Matters

<sup>1</sup> Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

4 June 2025	Mark Olsen, CEO – TTNQ; and invited guests	Event: TTNQ Annual Conference
4 June 2025	Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Elsa D'Alessio, Chair – QTIC; Cameron Costello, Director – QTIC and Costello Consultancy and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Melanie Anderson, General Manager - QTIC; Nick Ellis, CEO – Shore Motels Group; Michelle Weston, CEO – Caravan Parks Association of Queensland; invited guests	Event: QTIC Board and Team Dinner
5 June 2025	Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, Cameron Costello, Director, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Cr Clay Bauman and Cr Jan Clifford – Whitsundays Regional Council; invited guests	Event: QTIC First Nations Tourism Plan Consultation
5 June 2025	Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, Cameron Costello, Director, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Ministerial Staff; invited guests	QTIC – Industry Lunch
5 June 2025	The Hon Steven Miles MP – Leader of the Opposition and Member for Murrumba; Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, Cameron Costello, Director, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Ministerial Staff; invited guests	Event: QTIC World Environment Day
5 June 2025	Nathan Leman, Director – Australian Adventure Tourism Group; Tom Young, Deputy Chair – Tourism Whitsundays; Ministerial staff	Site Visit – Whitsunday Skyway
5 June 2025	The Hon Steven Miles MP – Leader of the Opposition and Member for Murrumba; Acting Deputy Director-General of Tourism DETSI; Departmental staff; Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, Natassia Wheeler, and staff – QTIC; invited guests	QTIC VIP Dinner
6 June 2025	Cassandra Cazzulino, CEO – Smart Precinct NQ	Portfolio Matters
7 June 2025	Cr Vicki Howard – Brisbane City Council	Meeting
7 June 2025	Gareth Phillips, CEO – Association of Marine Park Tourism Operators	Portfolio Matters
7 June 2025	Senator Susan McDonald – Senator for Queensland; Mr Andrew Wilcox MP – Member for Dawson; Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave; Mr David Kempton MP – Member for Cook; Mr Sean Dillon MP – Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland	Meeting

7 June 2025	The Hon. David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans; The Hon. Amanda Camm MP – Minister for Families, Seniors and Disability Services and Minister for Child Safety and the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence; Mrs Janelle Poole MP – Assistant Minister for Community Safety, Defence Industry, Veterans and North Queensland; Mr Adam Baillie MP – Member for Townsville; Ministerial staff; Mr Jeff Reibel, CEO – The North Queensland Cowboys; and invited guests	NQ Cowboys 30 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala
9 June 2025	Sam Darrington, Director of Strategy and Growth for Program Management – AECOM; Doug Mackay, General Manager, Delivery Partner Australia – Laig O'Rourke; Brenden Brien – Win Win Outcomes (registered lobbyist); Kirby Anderson, Director – The Trustee for Anderson Solutions Trust (registered lobbyist)	Meeting: Olympic infrastructure
9 June 2025	Director Corporate Services – Mackay Regional Council	Meeting
10 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting Day
10 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
10 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC); Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
10 June 2025	The Hon Laura Gerber MP – Minister for Youth Justice and Victim Support and Minister for Corrective Services; Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave; Mr David Kempton MP – Member for Cook; Ministerial staff	Meeting
10 June 2025	Mr Hugh Raleigh, Government Relations Manager – Queensland Cricket, Mr Tom Gibson, State Infrastructure Manager – Queensland Cricket	Meeting
10 June 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
10 June 2025	The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Transport and Main Roads; Ministerial staff	Meeting

11 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
11 June 2025	Assistant Ministers	Meeting of Assistant Ministers
11 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; DG – DETSI; Natassia Wheeler, CEO, and staff – QTIC; Chris Thomas, CEO, National Parks Association of Queensland; Andrew Picone, CEO – PEW Charitable Trusts; Nicky Moffatt, Protected Areas Campaigner – Queensland Conservation Council; Elissa Keenan, CEO – Ecotourism Australia; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
11 June 2025	Executive Director – Queensland Family and Child Commission	Portfolio Matters
11 June 2025	Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
11 June 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
12 June 2025	Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 June 2025	Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave; Gavin King, Government and Stakeholder Relations Lead, Fiona Nix, Economic Development Officer, and Nick Masasso, Director Economic Development and Advocacy – Cairns Regional Council	Portfolio Matters
12 June 2025	Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 June 2025	The Hon John-Paul Langbroek MP – Minister for Education and the Arts; Members of Parliament; invited guests	Event: Parliamentary Friends of Creativity 2025
13 June 2025	Ministerial staff; competitors; invited guests	Event: World Skills Australia Brisbane 2025
13 June 2025	Artist Director – UMI Arts; Finance and Corporate Manager – UMI Arts; invited guests	Meeting
14 June 2025	Cr Brett Olds, Deputy Mayor – Cairns Regional Council; Mike Fitzroy, President - Marlin Coast Rangers Football Club; Committee members - Marlin Coast Rangers Football Club; invited guests	Event: Opening of Lights Marlin Coast Rangers Football Club
15 June 2025	Mitchell Pepper, Managing Director Oceania – IRONMAN; IRONMAN participants; members of the public	Event: Cairns Airport IRONMAN 70.3 Cairns – Finish Line
15 June 2025	Mitchell Pepper, Managing Director Oceania – IRONMAN; IRONMAN participants; members of the public	Event: Cairns Airport IRONMAN 70.3 Cairns – Awards Presentations

16 June 2025	Mitchell Pepper, Managing Director Oceania – IRONMAN; IRONMAN participants; members of the public	Event: Rolldown Ceremony for the 2025 IRONMAN World Championship
16 June 2025	Mitchell Pepper, Managing Director Oceania – IRONMAN; IRONMAN participants; members of the public	Event: IRONMAN Awards Function – Cairns Airport IRONMAN Cairns Asia-Pacific Championship
18 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP –Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave; Tara Diversi, CEO and TIF Creator – Launch Y(e)P; Cr Amy Eden, Mayor – Cairns Regional Council; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Event: Tropical Innovation Festival Launch
18 June 2025	Her Excellency the Hon Dr Jeannette Young AC PSM, Government of Queensland; Professor Graeme Nimmo RFD; Award recipients; Her Excellency staff; invited guests	Cairns Investiture Ceremony
18 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP –Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave;	Event: Cairns Turtle Rehabilitation Centre
18 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Mark Olsen, CEO – TTNQ; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Stakeholder Lunch
18 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP –Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave; Matt Thompson, Principal, and students – Whitfield State School; Jamieson Harvey, Founder – Red Dirt Robotics; Tara Diversi, CEO and TIF Creator – Launch Y(e)P; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Event: Big Fish Young Innovators
19 June 2025	The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Roads and Transport Mr David Kempton MP – Member for Cook; Ministerial staff	Pre-brief Meeting
19 June 2025	Emeritus Professor Sandra Harding, Board Director, and Liz Ritchie, CEO – Regional Australia Institute; invited guests	Event: Regions Rising Qld
19 June 2025	Tara Diversi, CEO and TIF Creator – Launch Y(e)P; Ms Heather Smith, Chartered Accountant– ANISE Consulting; Shelley Wild, Business Coach – People HQ; Grant Paterson	Event: Deep Dive into Innovation in Small & Family Business Networking

	– Paralympian; Roberta Aloia – My Pathway; Sam Pearson – Mura care; Amber Elliot – Crothead Pty Ltd, Donna Patane – IP Lawyer – DRIPL; invited guests and members of the public	
20 June 2025	Tara Diversi, CEO and TIF Creator – Launch Y(e)P; Cr Amy Eden, Mayor – Cairns Regional Council; Cr Teresa Millwood, Mayor – Cassowary Coast Regional Council; Cr Lisa Scomazzon, Mayor – Douglas Shire Council; Grace Lillian, Founder of First Nations Fashion Design; invited guests and members of the public	Event: Tropical Innovation Festival Women in Leadership and Innovation Lunch and Symposium
21 June 2025	Curtis McGrath, OAM Veteran and Gold Medal Paralympian; invited guests	Event: FNQ Legacy Gala VIP Meet and Greet
21 June 2025	Alfie Santos, President, Far North Queensland (FNQ) Legacy; Curtis McGrath, OAM Veteran and Gold Medal Paralympian; invited guests	Event: FNQ Legacy Gala Ball
22 June 2025	Tara Diversi, CEO and TIF Creator – Launch Y(e)P; invited guests and members of the public	Event: Tropical Innovation Festival VIP Welcome
23 June 2025	Jacqui Feeney, CEO – Screen Queensland	Meeting
23 June 2025	DG – DETSI; Malcolm Bean, Director & Co Founder – Australian Bespoke Collective	Portfolio Matters
24 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
24 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
24 June 2025	Peter Scarf, Managing Director – Eaton Place Pty; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
24 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Grant Hunt, Chair, and Craig Davidson, CEO – TEQ; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Budget Briefing
24 June 2025	The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Regional Tourism Operators; Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; TEQ Board Members; Craig Davidson, CEO – TEQ; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Budget Briefing

24 June 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans'; The Hon Trevor Watts MP - Assistant Minister to the Premier for Cabinet and South West Queensland; invited guests	Event: Parliament State Budget Student Experience
25 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
25 June 2025	Assistant Ministers	Meeting of Assistant Ministers
26 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
26 June 2025	Departmental staff	Portfolio Matters
26 June 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; The Hon Andrew Powell MP – Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation; Members of Parliament; invited guests	Event: 2025 Wide Bay Regional Promotional Night
27 June 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
27 June 2025	Members of Parliament; invited guests	Event: Parliament – Guide Dogs Queensland host Pups in Parliament
28 June 2025	Cr Trevor Tim – Cairns Regional Council; Ms Patricia O'Neill, CEO – Cairns Chamber of Commerce; Connie Rovina, Chair, and Lisa Michl OAM, Artistic Director – UMI Arts; Shaun Edwards, Arts founder and former Board Chair – UMI; Priscilla Major, UMI Arts founder and former Board Chair – UMI; UMI Arts staff; invited guests	Event: UMI Arts Official opening of Freshwater Saltwater 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition
30 June 2025	Blake Wilson, Program Manager, and Suzanne Grace, Supply Chain Manager – NORSTA Maritime	Meeting

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