



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

**Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training**

**The Hon Ros Bates MP**

**1 August 2025 – 31 August 2025**

<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>Name of Organisation/s or Person/s</b>	<b>Purpose of Meeting</b>
1 August 2025	Members of CBRC	CBRC Meeting
4 August 2025	Ministerial Staff	Staff Meeting
4 August 2025	Peter McKay, Director-General, Department of Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
4 August 2025	Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
4 August 2025	Hon Dale Last MP, Minister for Natural Resources and Mines, Minister for Manufacturing and Minister for Regional and Rural Development, Mr Thachat Viswanath (T V) Narendran, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Tata Steel Limited, Staff from Tata Steel Limited, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
4 August 2025	Mr Thachat Viswanath (T V) Narendran, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Tata Steel Limited, Staff from Tata Steel Limited, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Tata Steel Limited's Annual Coal Suppliers Event
5 August 2025	Scott Wharton, Chief Executive Officer, SmartGroup Corporation Ltd	Meeting

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<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).

	Michael Fairbairn, Group Manager, Corporate Affairs, SmartGroup Corporation Ltd, Ministerial Staff	
5 August 2025	Devinka Wanigesekera, Director, International Operations, TIQ, Departmental Staff, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Queensland-UK and Europe Trade and Investment Strategy: Industry Roundtable – Investment
5 August 2025	Flavio Menezes, Chair, Queensland Competition Authority, Departmental Staff, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
5 August 2025	Justin McGowan, Chief Executive Officer, Trade and Investment Queensland, Christian Venzal, Managing Director, Airbus Australia Pacific, Staff from Airbus Australia Pacific, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
5 August 2025	Devinka Wanigesekera, Director, International Operations, TIQ, Staff from TIQ, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Queensland-UK and Europe Trade and Investment Strategy Trade Roundtable
5 August 2025	Stephen Mikkelsen, Group Chief Executive Officer, Sims Limited Grant Johnston, Managing Director, Alter Steel, Staff from Alter Steel, Departmental Staff	Meeting
6 August 2025	Justin McGowan, Chief Executive Officer, Trade and Investment Queensland, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Supply Chain Stakeholder Roundtable
6 August 2025	Justin McGowan, Chief Executive Officer, Trade and Investment Queensland, Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
7 August 2025	Patrick O'Donnell, Group Executive Coal/Bulk and Chief Financial Officer, Pacific National, Staff from Pacific National, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
7 August 2025	Amanda Stoker MP, Assistant Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters

7 August 2025	Neetu M Bhagotia, Consul General, Consulate General of India in Brisbane, Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Staff
7 August 2025	David Harris, Chief Executive Officer, Australian Agricultural Company Limited, Staff from Australian Agricultural Company Limited, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
7 August 2025	Paul Williams, Under Treasurer, Queensland Treasury, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
7 August 2025	Paul Williams, Under Treasurer, Queensland Treasury, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
7 August 2025	Peter McKay, Director-General, Department of Trade, Employment and Training, Department Staff, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
7 August 2025	Jackie Ingram, Deputy Director-General, Strategy, Department of Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
7 August 2025	Hon David Pisoni MP, Member for Unley, South Australian Parliament, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
8 August 2025	Members of CBRC	CBRC Meeting
8 August 2025	Members of Skills & Workforce Ministerial Council, Ministerial Staff	Skills & Workforce Ministerial Council
11 August 2025	Peter McKay, Director-General, Department of Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
11 August 2025	Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
11 August 2025	Hon David Thomas, RNA President, Members of Cabinet, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	EKKA Lunch
11 August 2025	Hon David Janetzki MP, Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
11 August 2025	Hon David Janetzki MP, Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership,	Economic Security Team Meeting

	Hon Fiona Simpson MP, Minister for Women and Women's Economic Security, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Minister for Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	
11 August 2025	Hon David Janetzki MP, Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, Brian Gillespie, CEO – CS Energy, Tony Bellas, Non-Executive Chairman – CS Energy, Representatives from CS Energy, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
12 August 2025	Hon Robyn Cahill OAM, Minister for Trade, Business and Asian Relations; International Education, Migration and Population; Workforce Development; Advanced Manufacturing; Children and Families; Child Protection; Prevention of Domestic Violence	Meeting
12 August 2025	Members of Ministerial Council on Trade and Investment, Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Council on Trade and Investment
13 August 2025	Members of Ministerial Council on Trade and Investment, Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Council on Trade and Investment
14 August 2025	Kellie Reeves, Acting Deputy Under Treasurer, Energy and GOCs, Queensland Treasury, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
14 August 2025	Her Excellency the Honourable Dr Jeannette Young AC PSM, Governor of Queensland, Hon Sam O'Connor, Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth	Executive Council Meeting
14 August 2025	Kellie Reeves, Acting Deputy Under Treasurer, Energy and GOCs Queensland Treasury, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
15 August 2025	Members of Energy & Climate Change Ministerial Council	Energy & Climate Change Ministerial Council
17 August 2025	Minister for Local Government and Water and Minister for Fire, Disaster Recovery and Volunteers, Hon Ann Leahy MP, Local Government Representative, Staff from Sunwater, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit
17 August 2025	Cabinet Ministers,	Community Cabinet

	Peter McKay, Director-General, Department of Trade, Employment and Training Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	
17 August 2025	Ross Grierson, Caleb Foundation, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
17 August 2025	Martin Laffer, Managing Director, Northern Australian Agrifoods, Staff from Northern Australian Agrifoods, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
18 August 2025	Peter McKay, Director-General, Department of Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
18 August 2025	Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
18 August 2025	Hon Tim Nicholls MP, Minister for Health and Ambulance Services, Hon Sam O'Connor, Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth, Sean Dillon MP, Member for Gregory, Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Vietnam Veteran's Day (Long Tan) Service
18 August 2025	Hon Tim Nicholls MP, Minister for Health and Ambulance Services, Hon Sam O'Connor, Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth, Sean Dillon MP, Member for Gregory, Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland, Director-General, Queensland Health, Director-General, Housing and Public Works, Ministerial Staff	Dinner
19 August 2025	Alan Stent-Smith, Managing Director CQ Inland Port, Sean Dillon MP, Member for Gregory, Assistant Minister for Primary Industry Development, Water and Western Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit
19 August 2025	Kim Harrington, CQUniversity Associate Vice-President Rockhampton and Central Highlands Region,	Site Visit

	Ministerial Staff	
20 August 2025	Jan-Arne Johansen, President Australia, ConocoPhillips Australia Pty Ltd, Staff from ConocoPhillips Australia Pty Ltd, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
20 August 2025	Ministerial Staff	Staff Meeting
20 August 2025	Damien Crough, Executive Chairman, prefabAUS, Staff from prefabAUS, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
20 August 2025	Daniel Belton, Chief Executive Officer, RWE Renewables Australia Katja Wünschel, Chief Executive Officer, RWE Renewables Europe and Australia, Staff from RWE Renewables Europe and Australia, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
20 August 2025	Hon Ros Bates MP, Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training Michael Negerevich, Chief of Staff, Office of the Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training Glen Elmes, Managing Director, Australian Strategic Advisory Registered Lobbyist Colin Saltmere, Managing Director, The Myuma Group	Meeting with Registered Lobbyist – Opportunities for employment and training within regional and remote areas
20 August 2025	Ishikawa Katsutoshi, Consul-General of Japan in Brisbane, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	His Excellency Dr. Siswo Pramono, Ambassador of Indonesia to Australia and Vanuatu, The Hon. Matt Thistlethwaite, Assistant Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade, Minister for Immigration, Adrian Schrinner, The Right Honourable, Lord Mayor of Brisbane, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	INDOZ Conference 2025
21 August 2025	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans, Justin McGowan, Chief Executive Officer, Trade, and Investment Queensland, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Australia India Business Council
21 August 2025	Chris Owen, President, Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Queensland	Meeting

	Matt Battams, Branch Director, Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Queensland, Ministerial Staff	
21 August 2025	Damian Dwyer, Acting Chief Executive Officer, Low Emission Technology Australia, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	John Berry, Head of Corporate and Regulatory and Director, JBS Foods Australia, Olga Alexandratos, Director Corporate Communications, JBS Foods Australia, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	Tim Gallagher, Chief Executive Officer, Vanguard Health, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	Jules Norton Selzer, Director, Corporate Affairs, Sportsbet, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	Hon Ros Bates MP, Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training, Registered Lobbyist – Pete Coulson, Counsel House Pty Ltd, Michael Negerevich, Chief of Staff, Office of the Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training	Registered Lobbyist, Black Sky Industries, Queensland expansion plans and Gamuda Engineering, boosting trade opportunities
21 August 2025	Emma Murphy, Head of Government Relations, The Lottery Corporation, Callum Mulvihill, Chief Commercial Officer, The Lottery Corporation, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	Tania Constable PSM, Chief Executive Officer, Minerals Council of Australia, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 August 2025	His Excellency Dr. Siswo Pramono, Ambassador of Indonesia to Australia and Vanuatu, His Excellency Rod Brazier, Ambassador of Australia to Indonesia, Councillor Steven Huang, Deputy Chair of Council, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	INDOZ Dinner
21 August 2025	Members of CBRC	CBRC Meeting
25 August 2025	Ministerial Staff	Staff Meeting
25 August 2025	Peter McKay, Director-General, Department of Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting

25 August 2025	Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
25 August 2025	Hon David Janetzki MP, Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
25 August 2025	Brian Wexham, Chief Executive Officer, SkillsOne, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Queensland launch of National Skills Week
26 August 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliament Sitting Day
26 August 2025	Michael Crandon MP, Member for Coomera, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
26 August 2025	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans, Cabinet Ministers, Members of parliament Justin McGowan, Chief Executive Officer, Trade and Investment Queensland, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Queensland Global Business Brand Launch
27 August 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliament Sitting Day
27 August 2025	Members of Parliament, Invited Guests	Central Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils (CQROC) Release of Strategic Plan
27 August 2025	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans, Brad Gray, Assistant Director, Educational Delivery, TAFE Queensland, Staff from TAFE Queensland, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	National Skills Week, TAFE Showcase
27 August 2025	Minister for Education and the Arts Hon John-Paul Langbroek MP, Minister for Primary Industries Hon Tony Perrett MP, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
27 August 2025	Hon David Janetzki MP, Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, Brian Gillespie, CEO, CS Energy Mark Powell, Chief Corporate Services Officer – CS Energy, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
27 August 2025	Members of CBRC	CBRC Meeting



28 August 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliament Sitting Day
28 August 2025	Minister for Primary Industries Hon Tony Perrett MP, Victor Hsiao and Nick Hsiao, Owners, SnWen Queensland Husbandry, Members of Parliament, Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Official Opening of Marburg Poultry Farm
28 August 2025	Romila Prasad, Acting Deputy Under Treasurer, Finance, and Investment, Neil Singleton, Insurance Commissioner, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters

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