



Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for Agriculture Fisheries and Forestry

1 May 2013 – 31 May 2013

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/Person	Purpose of Meeting
1 May 2013	Departmental and Ministerial Staff	Pre Standing Committee of Primary Industry Briefing
1 May 2013	Sucrogen Attendees Craig Doyle, General Manager Dave Burgess, General Manager Marketing	Updates on Sucrogen Marketing
1 May 2013	Departmental and Ministerial Staff	Agriculture Strategy discussions
1 May 2013	Departmental and Ministerial Staff	Verbal Briefing for Beef
1 May 2013	Minister Powell	Discuss 2013-2018 Queensland Regional Natural Resource Management Investment Program
2 May 2013	Standing Committee of Primary Industries, Sydney	
3 May 2013	Standing Committee of Primary Industries, Sydney	
6 May 2013	Director General	Pre Cabinet Briefing
6 May 2013	Departmental and Ministerial Staff	Budget meeting regarding final SDS discussions
6 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet
6 May 2013	Cloncurry Shire Council	Dinner with Councillors
7 May 2013	Cloncurry Shire Council David Neeves CEO Joanne Green A/Mgr Corporate Services Local Drought Committee members Peter Hall & Robert Curley Regional DAFF Staff, Rebecca Gunther	Meeting at Gipsy Plains discussions regarding drought and impact on local graziers
7 May 2013	Graziers' Crisis Summit, Richmond	Discussions regarding drought
7 May 2013	Murray Wingett (DAFF), Cr Lindsay Godfrey Mayor, Paroo Shire Council & Local Graziers Boyd Bignell, Adrian Schmidt and Don Dunson	Visit Allan Taddock Weir and inspection of drought across Cunnamulla Shire
8 May 2013	Toowoomba Chamber of Commerce and Industry	Business Breakfast with Deputy Premier Jeff Seeney
8 May 2013	Deputy Premier Jeff Seeney	Darling Downs Regional Planning Committee meeting
8 May 2013	Minister Springborg	Visit to Toowoomba Hospice

¹ 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 whistle blower matters).

9 May 2013	Crediton Sawmill	Site visit and discussions regarding Timber Plan.
9 May 2013	Eungella Sawmill	Inspection of Sawmill Operation
9 May 2013	Crediton State Forest	Tour of Forest Compartments of timber resources
9 May 2013	Canegrowers Mackay	Area Committee Meeting
9 May 2013	<p>Mackay Canegrowers</p> <p>Attendees Ted Malone MP, Member for Mirani Kerry Latter CEO, Canegrowers, Mackay Paul Schembri Chairman, Canegrowers, Mackay Kevin Borg, Deputy Chairman, Canegrowers, Mackay</p> <p>Elected Canegrowers Board Members: Greg Plath Lawrence Bugeja Michael Deguara Lee Blackburn Lawrence Bugeja Serg Berardi</p>	Dinner with Board members
13 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	<p>Breakfast meeting with Queensland and Northern Territory Ministerial Parties</p> <p>Attendees Hon Minister Willem Westra van Holthe, Minister for Primary Industry NT Mr David Collinson, Minister's Advisor Mr Alister Trier, Chief Executive, NT Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries Mr Scott Wauchope, Director Pastoral Production, NT Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries Dr Beth Woods, Acting Director-General, Department of Agriculture Fisheries and Forestry Dr Chris Chilcott, Director Animal Industries, Department of Agriculture Fisheries and Forestry</p>	Discuss trip agenda and issues
13 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Dr John Ackerman, Regional Manager, Indonesia for Meat and Livestock Australia	Discuss current program and updates
13 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Australian Ambassador to Indonesia Mr Greg Moriarty	Embassy Briefing
13 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Indonesian Minister for Agriculture, Mr Suswono	Discuss issues relating to beef self-sufficiency projects, a productive heifer protocol & food safety including a potential project around post-slaughter meat processing as well as show a collaborative north Australian

		approach and focus on assistance and links with eastern provinces
13 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Live Cattle and Boxed Beef Industry Association	Ministerial & Delegates' Reception
14 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Indonesian Minister for State Owned Enterprises (BUMN) Dahlan Iskan.	Discuss how Indonesian Government sees increasing herd numbers in Indonesia including potential investment in cattle properties in Australia to provide breeding stock.
14 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Tour of PT.Tanjung Unggul Mandiri (TUM) Feedlot	Inspect operations and issues for the lot-feeding and processing of live cattle sourced from Northern Australia
15 May 2013 Jakarta, Indonesia	Tour of Elders Abattoir and visit to wet market and supermarket	Review and see the exporter supply chain assurance system (ESCAS) in operation
17 May 2013	Australian Mango Industry Association	Guest Speaker at the 9th Australian Mango Conference Gala Dinner
18 May 2013	The Livestock and Rural Transporters Association of QLD Inc.	Guest Speaker at 32nd Annual Bull Carters Ball
19 May 2013	RSPCA	Officially launch the Brisbane (Chermside) Millions Paws Walk
20 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Pre Cabinet Briefing
20 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet
20 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Verbal Briefing on Energy
20 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Post Cabinet Briefing
21 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Bio-Security Plan
21 May 2013	Queensland University of Technology	Visit to Robotics Lab with Premier
21 May 2013	Hon Lawrence Springborg MP and Southern Downs Constituents Mr Dennis Ryan Mr Peter Cleary Mr Ross McCorquodale	Meeting regarding wild dog control
21 May 2013	Liz Cunningham MP and John Hopf	Timber milling at Builyan
21 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Briefing regarding Drought
21 May 2013	Grains Research and Development Corporation	Grains Research
21 May 2013	Premier of Queensland	Interest Group Reception
21 May 2013	Premier of Queensland	Dinner with David Farley
22 May 2013	Richard Maru, PNG Minister for Trade Commerce and Industry	Discuss potential projects in PNG for dairy and beef cattle.
22 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet Budget Review Committee meeting
22 May 2013	Hon Jeff Seeney MP, Deputy Premier and Members of the Queensland Axeman Association	Discuss improved access arrangements to State owned native forest log timber sources for wood chopping events at regional shows throughout Queensland
22 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Briefing on fishing workshops
22 May 2013	Ted Sorensen MP and Brendon Condon, Stick it Rural Training	Presentation of the L Earners Program

22 May 2013	Sucrogen Craig Doyle David Burgess Khoon Hong Kuok - Chairman/CEO	Discuss recent developments concerning Sucrogen's marketing arrangements
22 May 2013	Queensland Farmers Federation, Joanne Grainger	Discussions on Primary Production
22 May 2013	Premier and Neil Findlay Chair, Queensland Transport Logistics Council	Update on freight related matters and presentation of Strengthening Queensland Supply Chains
22 May 2013	Parmalat Australia Craig Garvin, CEO Michael Blucher	Discuss Parmalat Australia's approach to milk-pricing.
23 May 2013	Hon Andrew Cripps and Conoco Phillips, President –East, Warwick King with Australia Pacific LNG CEO, Page Maxson	Private briefing of "LNG Story" demonstration
23 May 2013	Hon Andrew Powell MP and The Australian Marine Conservation Society; North Queensland Conservation Council, Cairns; Far North Environment Centre; Mackay Conservation Group and Capricorn Council	Discuss concerns regarding impacts of proposed industrial development along coast of the Great Barrier Reef and consequences of proposed changes to the Vegetation Management Act on the health of the reef.
23 May 2013	MSF Sugar Limited and Mitr Phol Group Attendees Mike Barry, CEO, MSF Sugar Ltd Peter Michener, VP Business Dev. Mitr Phol Group Isara Vongkusolkit, Chairman of Board of Directors for Mitr Phol Group Krisda Monthienvichienchai, Director President & CEO, Mitr Phol Group	Discuss recent developments concerning the regional sugar mills and opportunities for further diversification along sugar value chains
26 May 2013	Members of Parliament	Community Cabinet Official Welcome Reception and Introductions
26 May 2013	Torres Strait Regional Authority - with David Kempton MP	Discuss Moratorium on animal cruelty
26 May 2013	Catherine Titasey	Discuss issues regarding Animal management bylaws
26 May 2013	Rescue Foster Adopt	Discuss Animal Welfare issues
26 May 2013	Torres Strait Regional Authority with Minister Elmes	Discuss issues relating to the Torres Strait Protected Zone Joint Authority and Tropical Rock Lobster Fishery Stakeholder Forum and interim management arrangements for the Tropical Rock Lobster Fishery
26 May 2013	Government Ministers	Community Cabinet Reception
27 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet Strategy Meeting
27 May 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
27 May 2013	Frank Teodo, Cairns Constituent	Discuss issues relating to Yellow

		Crazy Ants
28 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Briefing regarding the Food Innovation Precinct Chair
28 May 2013	GHD Pty Ltd	Boardroom discussions regarding Agribusiness
29 May 2013	Safe Food Production Queensland	Site visit and meet with recently appointed Board members and staff
29 May 2013	David Green, Chairman, Alliance Agriculture	Follow up discussions on projects Mr Green is currently involved in.
29 May 2013	Invasive Plants and Animals Committee	Meet new committee members and discuss Queensland wide pest issues
29 May 2013	Ministerial and Departmental Staff	Bio Security Bill
29 May 2013	Doug McTaggart, Public Service Commission	PS Renewal Program
29 May 2013	Australian Banana Growers' Council	Guest Speaker at Banana Industry Congress 2013 Welcome Reception
30 May 2013	Premier and Minister McVeigh	Drought Assistance Announcement in Richmond
30 May 2013	Bovine Johne's Disease (BJD) Advisory Committee	Teleconference re BJD Updates
30 May 2013	AusVeg Limited	Guest speaker at AusVeg National Convention Welcome Reception (Opening ceremony)