Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory

2024-2025-2026

Notice Paper

No 74

Wednesday, 28 October 2026

The Assembly meets this day at 10 am

ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

Notices

1 **MS CHEYNE**: To move—That:

(1) the Assembly shall meet as follows for 2027 unless an absolute majority of Members request, in writing, that the Speaker or in the absence of the Speaker, the Deputy Speaker, or in the absence of both the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker, the Clerk, fixes an alternative day or hour of meeting or the Assembly otherwise orders:

February	2	3	4
	23	24	25
March	2	3	4
April	6	7	8
May	4	5	6
	11	12	13

June		16	17
	22	23	
August	10		
September	7	8	9
	14	15	16
October	12	13	14
	19	20	21
November	23	24	25
	30		
December		1	2; and

(2) so much of standing orders be suspended to allow the Assembly to proceed with its business on Tuesday, 10 August 2027 in the following routine:

Acknowledgement and Prayer or reflection

Presentation of petitions

Take note of petitions

Assembly/Committee Business

Questions without notice

Private Members' business

Member 90 second statements

Adjournment:

provided that at 2 pm, the Speaker shall interrupt the business before the Assembly in order that questions without notice shall be called on. (*Notice given 26 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

2 **MR COCKS**: To move—That, in accordance with standing order 213A, the Assembly orders the Government to provide the Assembly with the following documents relating to Development Application 202645654, previously DA 202644959, and any subsequent development applications, at Strangways Street, Curtin, Section 61, Blocks 7-8:

(1) the final evaluation report and any corrigenda;

(2) complete score sheets, timing score and moderation notes;

(3) any clarifications sought from and provided by the applicant;

(4) assessment reasoning for every proposal, including unsuccessful ones;

(5) the business case, financial model and any sensitivity analysis;

(6) the letter of intent, schedule of grant assistance and any executed deed of grant and variations;

(7) the statement of amounts approved, committed and paid;

(8) the original and current milestone schedules; and

(9) all signed conflict of interest declarations, updates and management plans for each panel member and chair, including nil and perceived declarations and any related to subsequent board appointments. (*Notice given 26 October 2026; amended 27 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

3 **MR EMERSON; MR PARTON; MS VASSAROTTI**: To move—That, in accordance with standing order 213A, this Assembly orders the Government to table:

(1) the following documents from the 2026 calendar year:

(a) all decision briefs to ministers and Senior Executive Service staff regarding the Paediatric Allergy Clinic waitlist;

(b) any clinical reviews of the eligibility criteria for the Paediatric Allergy Clinic;

(c) any risk assessments undertaken prior to changing the eligibility criteria for the Paediatric Allergy Clinic; and

(d) any complaints from Canberra Health Services staff regarding proposed changes to the eligibility criteria for the Paediatric Allergy Clinic; and

(2) an aggregated summary of:

(a) data showing the number of patients on the Paediatric Allergy Clinic waitlist over the last five years, including how many patients have been treated and how many patients have been added to the waitlist every six months; and

(b) the number and proportion of patients that have been removed from the Paediatric Allergy Clinic's waitlist through the recent changes to eligibility criteria. (*Notice given 26 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

Orders of the day

1 **BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Planning and Sustainable Development)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 24 September 2026—Ms Lee)*.

2 **HOUSING AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Attorney-General)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 17 September 2026—Mr Cocks)*.

3 **COMPETITION LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Treasurer)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 16 September 2026—Ms Lee)*.

4 **LIQUOR AMENDMENT BILL 2025:** *(Attorney-General)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 October 2025—Mr Hanson)*.

5 **MAGISTRATES COURT (INDICATIVE SENTENCING) AMENDMENT BILL 2025**: *(Attorney-General)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 30 October 2025—Mr Hanson)*.

6 **FAMILY, PERSONAL AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2025**: *(Attorney-General)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 3 December 2025—Ms Castley)*.

7 **FIREARMS (PUBLIC SAFETY) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: (*Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 4 February 2026—Ms Castley)*.

8 **BAIL AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Attorney-General)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 6 May 2026—Mr Cocks)*.

9 **CRIMES (COERCIVE CONTROL) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for the Prevention of Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 28 May 2026—Ms Castley)*.

10 **EMERGENCIES AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 11 June 2026—Ms Lee)*.

11 **URBAN FOREST AND PLANNING LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for City and Government Services)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 12 June 2026—Mr Cocks)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on Transport and City Services on 12 June 2026.)*

12 **GAMBLING AND RACING CONTROL (GAMBLING EXCLUSION) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Gaming Reform)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 16 September 2026—Mr Parton)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 16 September 2026.)*

13 **VICTIMS OF CRIME LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Human Rights)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 17 September 2026—Ms Barry)*.

14 **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGENCIES AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for the Prevention of Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 24 September 2026—Ms Barry)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on Legal Affairs on 24 September 2026.)*

15 **PROPERTY DEVELOPERS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Planning and Sustainable Development)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 24 September 2026—Ms Lee)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 24 September 2026.)*

16 **GAMING MACHINE (HARM PREVENTION AND REDUCTION) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Gaming Reform)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 20 October 2026—Ms Lee)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 20 October 2026.)*

17 **HOLIDAYS (ANZAC DAY) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Skills, Training and Industrial Relations)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 October 2026—Mrs Morris)*.

18 **UTILITIES LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Minister for Climate Change, Environment, Energy and Water)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 22 October 2026—Ms Lee)*.

*19 **JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SAFETY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026 (NO 2)**: *(Attorney-General)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 27 October 2026—Ms Barry)*.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Notices

1 **MR PARTON**: To present a Bill for an Act to reduce and prevent the incidence of deaths by suicide in the Australian Capital Territory, to establish the Suicide Prevention Council, to provide for the preparation and implementation of suicide prevention plans, to require the training of persons and organisations in suicide prevention and postvention, and for other purposes. *(Notice given 26 October 2026.)*

2 **MS LEE**: To move—That the Assembly:

(1) notes:

(a) that in August 2026, ACT school leaders were presented with indicative 2027 budgets, with many advised they faced significant cuts;

(b) that *Canberra Times* reporting, based on Education Directorate data, shows at least 58 ACT Government schools face budget cuts in 2027 compared with 2026, with 37 facing cuts of more than 5 percent;

(c) reports that some ACT schools have already laid off Learning Support Assistants (LSAs) as a result of budget cuts, while others are considering cutting programs for 2027;

(d) that the Education Directorate introduced measures to address a suspected increase in occupational violence, stating principals may suffer stress, anxiety and conflict when communicating the impact of budget cuts, including staffing changes, to their communities;

(e) that the risk assessment acknowledges reduced student supports could escalate student behaviour and increase incidents of occupational violence;

(f) that according to data obtained by the *Canberra Times*, some of the ACT's most disadvantaged schools are facing some of the largest cuts, despite the Government justifying these cuts by saying there needed to be more focus on equity and need;

(g) the distress and anxiety caused by the mismanagement of the 2027 school budgets for principals, staff, parents, students and broader school communities;

(h) the Minister for Education's continued denial of budget cuts in the Assembly, adding to the confusion, distress and uncertainty facing school communities;

(i) that the Australian Education Union ACT Branch has called on the Minister for Education to take responsibility and accountability for those decisions and be honest with the community rather than throwing principles under the bus;

(j) that this is occurring when our government school system is at breaking point, with increased reports of violence, chronic staff shortages, increased splitting, collapsing and flexing of classes and declining student outcomes; and

(k) the Government has indicated that it is revising the Student Resource Allocation (SRA) model; and

(2) calls on the Minister for Education to:

(a) take responsibility for the mismanagement of the 2027 school budget process, which has caused confusion, anxiety and stress for school leaders, staff, families and students;

(b) establish clear budget development protocols, in consultation with principals and key stakeholders, that include defined timelines and meaningful consultation to ensure principals have a genuine role in school budget decision-making; and

(c) report back to the Assembly by 3 December 2026 on the timeline and progress of the work the Government is undertaking on revising the SRA model. (*Notice given 26 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

3 **MS VASSAROTTI**: To move—That this Assembly:

(1) notes that:

(a) the community gaming model that operates in the ACT is a key way that clubs generate their social licence to provide gambling products that are known to cause significant harm in the community and have design features that are addictive;

(b) the ACT's Community Contributions Scheme requires 8 percent of net gaming machine revenue to be provided back to the community and clubs report that these contributions fund sporting organisations, charities, community service providers and others;

(c) the scheme provides significant financial support, particularly to community sport, however the amount is difficult to quantify due to the lack of data; an estimate is between $12 million and $40 million per year;

(d) there is a lack of transparency and accountability around how individual clubs administer the scheme. While the scheme was reviewed in 2018, and revised, reviewing and auditing has been limited since then;

(e) the Gaming and Racing Commission's audit of 19 club licensees in 2024-2025 found that none were compliant with community contribution reporting obligations;

(f) the Government's gambling reform agenda will reduce gambling revenue and reduce the funds available through the Community Contributions Scheme; and

(g) it is important that sporting clubs, charities, community service providers and others benefitting from the Community Contributions Scheme have access to long-term, sustainable funding sources that do not depend on gambling losses and that these organisations do not bear the costs of the transition; and

(2) calls on the Government to:

(a) review the operation of the Community Contributions Scheme, including transparency, compliance, the appropriateness of including in-kind contributions in calculations, the value for money delivered by the current model and expected funding changes from the proposed gambling reforms;

(b) conduct a feasibility study into a centralised, independent fund for community contributions to ensure long-term, sustainable funding for community purposes, including appropriate governance models, streamlined distribution models and mechanisms to maintain and enhance the value to the community of community contribution funds;

(c) consider funding a peak community sports body to ensure the interests of community sport are represented through this transition; and

(d) report back to the Assembly on the outcomes of the review, feasibility study and peak community sports body by the Tuesday of the final sitting week of 2027. (*Notice given 26 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

4 **MR BRADDOCK**: To present a Bill for an Act to amend the *Electoral Act 1992*, and for other purposes. *(Notice given 22 October 2026.)*

5 **MS CARRICK**: To move—That this Assembly:

(1) notes that:

(a) access to safe, secure and affordable housing is fundamental to individual wellbeing and community participation;

(b) ACT Shelter's analysis of the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare's data shows that housing affordability is now the leading driver of homelessness demand, that the ACT has the highest rate of persistent homelessness in Australia and that many people seeking assistance have complex support needs;

(c) Housing ACT has identified chronic homelessness and chronic rough sleeping as ongoing challenges requiring targeted intervention;

(d) at 30 June 2026, there were 588 vacant public housing dwellings, including 285 requiring maintenance, upgrades or insurance works;

(e) the proportion of public housing relative to the ACT population has declined over time and the proportion of vacant houses has increased over time; and

(f) increasing public housing supply and reducing vacancy times are critical to improving outcomes for vulnerable Canberrans;

(2) further notes that:

(a) the Government committed to increasing the Housing ACT portfolio to 13,200 dwellings by 2030 in the 2024 election;

(b) an increase of 1,469 houses is required from the June 2024 stock of 11,731 dwellings, with recent annual additions to the stock being:

(i) 142 additions to June 2025, 11,873 dwellings; and

(ii) 145 additions to June 2026, 12,018 dwellings;

(c) 263 additions are required per annum over four and a half years to 2030;

(d) the May 2026 *ACT Housing Strategy Year 7 Report Card* states that work has commenced on a comprehensive plan to guide investment required to grow the Housing ACT portfolio to 13,200 homes by 2030; and

(e) there are no publicly available annual delivery targets or milestones that enable the Assembly and the community to determine whether the Government is on track to meet its commitment; and

(3) calls on the Government to:

(a) publish, by 30 April 2027, the comprehensive plan to guide investment required to grow the Housing ACT portfolio to 13,200 homes by 2030, including the indicative:

(i) annual dwelling delivery targets to 2030;

(ii) number of homes to be constructed, purchased and renewed each year;

(iii) program the additional dwellings will be delivered under;

(iv) district-level delivery projections; and

(v) risks to delivery, including reliance on Commonwealth funding;

(b) publish, by 31 May 2027, a plan to return all vacant public housing properties to service as quickly as possible, including "hard to let";

(c) for the 2027-2028 Budget, include:

(i) the indicative annual dwelling delivery targets to 2030; and

(ii) accountability indicators for the average vacancy period for each category of vacant houses, such as maintenance or upgrade targets of 90 days or less;

(d) map, by 31 May 2027, existing housing, homelessness and support services for people experiencing chronic homelessness, identifying service gaps across Canberra; and

(e) report back to the Assembly by the last sitting day of June, annually until 2030, progress towards the 13,200 dwelling target, vacancy reductions and gaps in homelessness services. (*Notice given 26 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

Orders of the day

1 **LONG SERVICE LEAVE (PORTABLE SCHEMES) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Mr Cocks)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 5 May 2026—Mr Pettersson)*.

2 **ELECTORAL (GAMBLING INDUSTRY) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Mr Emerson)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 11 June 2026—Ms Cheyne)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on the Integrity Commission and Statutory Office Holders on 11 June 2026.)*

3 **ROAD TRANSPORT (ALCOHOL AND DRUGS) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Mr Braddock)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 12 June 2026—Ms Cheyne)*. *(Referred to the Standing Committee on Transport and City Services on 12 June 2026.)*

4 **CRIMES (ANTI-CONSORTING) AMENDMENT BILL 2026**: *(Mr Parton)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 21 October 2026—Dr Paterson)*.

ASSEMBLY BUSINESS—continued

Notices

4 **MR COCKS**: To move—That:

(1) in accordance with standing order 213A, the Assembly orders the Treasurer to provide the Assembly with a document or documents, drawn from or produced using information held in the ACT Government's Budget Management System, setting out a complete list of all Budget initiatives that currently have or have had funding attached to them for the prior ten years;

(2) the document or documents must:

(a) be provided by the first sitting day of 2027 and additionally, must also be provided on an ongoing basis with the release of the ACT Budget every year and for every Pre-Election Budget Update;

(b) be provided in an accessible electronic format, including a machine-readable spreadsheet, and must include for each Budget initiative:

(i) the title of the initiative;

(ii) the relevant directorate or agency;

(iii) whether the initiative relates to expenses, capital, revenue, savings, offsets or another category;

(iv) the budget, budget review, appropriation bill or other budget process in which the initiative was first introduced;

(v) whether the initiative is ongoing or non-ongoing;

(vi) if the initiative is non-ongoing, the financial year in which funding for the initiative is scheduled to end or ended; and

(vii) the amount of funding allocated to the initiative in each Budget and each year of the forward estimates period; and

(c) also include documentation showing changes that have occurred between each ACT Budget and the previous year's ACT Budget;

(3) for the purposes of this order:

(a) "budget initiative" includes any measure, initiative, commitment, revenue initiative, expense initiative, program initiative, election commitment or other funded decision recorded in the Budget Management System;

(b) "currently have or have had funding attached to them over the past ten years" means initiatives for which funding is or was allocated, reserved, approved, appropriated, transferred, reprofiled or otherwise recorded in the Budget Management System for the previous ten years, current financial year or any year of the forward estimates;

(c) "funding" includes controlled recurrent payments, territorial payments, capital injections, capital works funding, expenses on behalf of the Territory, own-source revenue impacts, administered items, savings, offsets and any other financial allocation recorded against an initiative; and

(d) "changes" means the introduction of new budget initiatives, the cessation of previous budget initiatives and changes to the level of funding for each budget initiative relative to the previous Budget; and

(4) the list is to be provided at the most disaggregated initiative level available in the Budget Management System and must not be provided only as aggregated directorate, portfolio or output-class totals. (*Notice given 26 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 4 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

5 **MISS NUTTALL**: To move—That standing order 74 concerning the routine of business be amended to omit the list and substitute:

"Acknowledgement and Prayer or reflection
Presentation of petitions
Take note of petitions
Assembly/Committee Business
Notices and orders of the day
Ministerial statements
Questions without notice
Presentation of papers
Private Members' business
Take note of papers
Assembly/Committee Business
Notices and orders of the day
Ministerial statements
Member 90 second statements
Adjournment".

(*Notice given 19 October 2026. Notice will be removed from the Notice Paper unless called on within 3 sitting weeks – standing order 125A.*)

Orders of the day

11 November 2026

1 **MANUKA HOTEL DEVELOPMENT—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 24 September 2026.

21 December 2026

2 **PUBLIC HOUSING—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 22 October 2026.

First sitting day of February 2027

3 **SOCIAL POLICY—STANDING COMMITTEE**: Presentation of report on endometriosis and other pelvic pain conditions, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 4 December 2025.

First sitting week of 2027

*4 **ELECTRONIC MONITORING SCHEME—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 27 October 2026.

1 March 2027

5 **PUBLIC HOUSING—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents for the period 1 July to 31 December 2026 to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 22 October 2026.

29 August 2027

6 **PUBLIC HOUSING—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents for the period 1 January to 30 June 2027 to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 22 October 2026.

1 March 2028

7 **PUBLIC HOUSING—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents for the period 1 July to 31 December 2027 to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 22 October 2026.

29 August 2028

8 **PUBLIC HOUSING—DOCUMENTS—ORDER TO TABLE**: Documents for the period 1 January to 30 June 2028 to be presented in accordance with standing order 213A, pursuant to order of the Assembly of 22 October 2026.

INQUIRIES INTO BILLS BY COMMITTEES

(pursuant to standing order 174)

6 November 2026

Referred to Standing Committee on Transport and City Services on 12 June 2026

ROAD TRANSPORT (ALCOHOL AND DRUGS) AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Mr Braddock)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 12 June 2026—Ms Cheyne)*.

27 November 2026

Referred to Standing Committee on the Integrity Commission and Statutory Office Holders on 11 June 2026

ELECTORAL (GAMBLING INDUSTRY) AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Mr Emerson)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 11 June 2026—Ms Cheyne)*.

Referred to Standing Committee on Transport and City Services on 12 June 2026

URBAN FOREST AND PLANNING LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Minister for City and Government Services)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 12 June 2026—Mr Cocks)*.

23 December 2026

Referred to Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 24 September 2026

PROPERTY DEVELOPERS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Minister for Planning and Sustainable Development)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 24 September 2026—Ms Lee)*.

19 January 2027

Referred to Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 16 September 2026

GAMBLING AND RACING CONTROL (GAMBLING EXCLUSION) AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Minister for Gaming Reform)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 16 September 2026—Mr Parton)*.

Referred to Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on

20 October 2026

GAMING MACHINE (HARM PREVENTION AND REDUCTION) AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Minister for Gaming Reform)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 20 October 2026—Ms Lee)*.

End of the first sitting week in 2027

Referred to Standing Committee on Legal Affairs on 24 September 2026

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGENCIES AMENDMENT BILL 2026: *(Minister for the Prevention of Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence)*: Agreement in principle—Resumption of debate *(from 24 September 2026—Ms Barry)*.

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

On the first sitting day of a period of sittings a complete Notice Paper is published containing all unanswered questions. On subsequent days, only redirected questions are included on the Notice Paper together with a list of all unanswered questions.

A Questions on Notice Paper will be issued on the Friday of a sitting week, containing the text of all questions on notice lodged that week and can be accessed at www.parliament.act.gov.au/parliamentary-business/in-the-chamber/chamber-documents.

Redirected questions

(30 days expires 25 November 2026)

1607 **MR EMERSON**: To ask the Minister for Finance — How much rates revenue did the ACT Government generate from sportsgrounds in the 2025-2026 financial year.

1635 **MR EMERSON**: To ask the Minister for the Public Service — When will the City Health Centre building be reopened; if it will not be reopened, what replacement facilities will be made available so the affected services can operate at their full capacity.

(30 days expires 26 November 2026)

1620 **MS CASTLEY**: To ask the Chief Minister —

1. Has the Government submitted a subdivision design application for Gungahlin Town Centre East; if so, when was this submitted; if not, (a) why not and (b) when does the Government expect to lodge its application.
2. Does the Government still expect to meet the milestones on the Suburban Land Agency website of (a) subdivision approval in 2026, (b) commencement of civil works in 2027 and (c) initial land release in 2027; if not, what are the revised dates for each milestone.

1631 **MS CARRICK**: To ask the Minister for City and Government Services —

1. Why have all the glass panels on platform B been removed at the Woden bus interchange.
2. When will the glass panels referred to in part (1) be replaced.
3. What is the estimated cost of the work referred to in part (2).
4. What plans are there to improve the weather protection, particularly for cold southerly winds, on platforms A and B at the Woden bus interchange.
5. When will a clock be installed at the Woden bus interchange.

Unanswered questions

1275, 1286, 1290, 1310, 1313, 1325, 1328, 1341, 1346, 1347, 1355, 1365, 1371, 1376, 1377, 1383, 1386, 1388, 1390, 1405, 1418, 1435, 1438, 1454, 1463, 1468, 1476, 1479, 1489, 1491, 1498, 1502, 1505, 1512, 1513, 1519, 1526, 1527, 1529, 1532, 1535, 1539, 1542, 1546, 1552-1557, 1562-1564, 1567, 1568, 1570, 1571, 1573, 1578, 1580, 1584, 1585, 1587-1606, 1608-1619, 1621-1630, 1632-1634, 1636-1640.

H Finlay
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

GOVERNMENT TO RESPOND TO PETITIONS

(*in accordance with standing order 100*)

14 December 2026

Parking at Kaleen sports fields—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Ms Castley (e-Pet 067-26).

Establishment of a Paediatric Oncology and Haematology Unit in Canberra—Minister for Health—Petition lodged by Ms Lee (e-Pet 039-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy on 15 September 2026*.)

Pump track on Alfred Hill Drive, Melba—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Ms Barry (e-Pet 068-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 15 September 2026*.)

Molonglo District Playing Fields—Minister for Sport and Recreation—Petition lodged by Ms Carrick (e-Pet 022-26 and Pet 082-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Economics, Industry and Recreation on 15 September 2026*.)

Road safety on Theodore Street, Curtin—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mr Steel (e-Pet 046-26).

Opposition to Light Rail Stage 2B—Minister for Planning and Sustainable Development—Petition lodged by Mr Parton (e-Pet 025-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Transport and City Services on 15 September 2026*.)

Protecting the rights and dignity of older people—Minister for Health—Petition lodged by Ms Barry (e-Pet 080-26).

Rental Ombudsman for the ACT—Attorney-General—Petition lodged by Mr Braddock (e-Pet 014-26 and Pet 084-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy on 15 September 2026*.)

Shade for ACT playgrounds—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mr Emerson (e-Pet 064-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Environment and Planning on 15 September 2026*.)

Footpath in Page—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Ms Clay (e-Pet 072-26).

Facilities at Lyons Shops—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Dr Paterson (e-Pet 027-26 and Pet 083-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Environment and Planning on 15 September 2026*.)

Changes to the Unit Titles (Management) Act—Attorney-General—Petition lodged by Mr Emerson (e-Pet 074-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Legal Affairs on 15 September 2026*.)

North Canberra green waste facility - Draft Planning Amendment DPA14—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mr Cain (e-Pet 071-26 and Pet 085-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Environment and Planning on 15 September 2026*.)

15 December 2026

Investing in ACT Libraries—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mr Braddock (e-Pet 065-26 and Pet 086-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy on 16 September 2026*.)

21 December 2026

Arcadia House in Cook—Minister for Health Infrastructure—Petition lodged by Ms Barry (e-Pet 056-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy on 22 September 2026*.)

Pedestrian safety around Downer Community Centre—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mr Emerson (e-Pet 070-26).

Crossing on Antill Street, Dickson—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Ms Vassarotti (e-Pet 076-26).

22 December 2026

Heating and cooling at Forrest Primary School—Minister for Education—Petition lodged by Ms Carrick (e-Pet 079-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy on 23 September 2026*.)

19 January 2027

Anketell Street revitalisation—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Ms Tough (e-Pet 034-26 and Pet 096-26).

21 January 2027

Protection for swans and wildlife at Yerrabi Pond, Gungahlin—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mr Braddock (e-Pet 081-26). (*Referred to the Standing Committee on Transport and City Services on 22 October 2026*.)

26 January 2027

Rat running in Reid—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Ms Vassarotti (e-Pet 077-26 and Pet 100-26).

Tuggeranong sports facility access—Minister for City and Government Services—Petition lodged by Mrs Morris (e-Pet 098-26).

COMMITTEES

Unless otherwise shown, appointed for the life of the Eleventh Assembly. The dates of the amendments to the committees' resolution of appointment are reflected, but not changes in the membership.

Standing

Pursuant to standing order

ADMINISTRATION AND PROCEDURE: *(Formed 6 November 2024)*: The Speaker *(Chair)*, Mr Cocks, Miss Nuttall, Mr Werner-Gibbings.

Pursuant to resolution

ECONOMICS, INDUSTRY AND RECREATION: *(Formed 3 December 2024)*: Mr Werner-Gibbings *(Chair)*, Ms Carrick, Mr Emerson, Ms Lee, Ms Vassarotti.

ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING: *(Formed 3 December 2024)*: Ms Clay *(Chair)*, Ms Berry, Mr Cain, Ms Carrick.

INTEGRITY COMMISSION AND STATUTORY OFFICE HOLDERS: *(Formed 3 December 2024)*: Ms Lee *(Chair)*, Mr Braddock, Mr Werner-Gibbings.

LEGAL AFFAIRS: *(Formed 3 December 2024)*: Ms Barry *(Chair)*, Ms Vassarotti, Mr Werner-Gibbings.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND ADMINISTRATION: *(Formed 3 December 2024)*: Mr Milligan *(Chair)*, Ms Berry, Ms Carrick, Ms Clay.

SOCIAL POLICY: *(Formed 3 December 2024)*: Mr Emerson *(Chair)*, Ms Barry, Ms Berry, Miss Nuttall.

TRANSPORT AND CITY SERVCES: *(Formed 26 June 2025)*: Mr Cain *(Chair)*, Ms Berry, Mr Braddock, Ms Castley.

Dissolved

CARETAKER CONVENTIONS: *(Formed 5 March 2025)*: Mr Rattenbury *(Chair)*, Ms Castley, Mr Werner-Gibbings. *(Presented 26 February 2026)*

ESTIMATES 2025-2026: *(Formed 15 May 2025)*: Mr Cocks *(Chair)*, Ms Carrick, Mr Rattenbury, Ms Tough. *(Presented 29 August 2025)*

ESTIMATES 2026-2027: *(Formed 24 February 2026)*: Ms Barry *(Chair)*, Mr Braddock, Mr Emerson, Mr Werner-Gibbings. *(Presented 28 August 2026)*

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT LEGISLATIVE COMPLIANCE: *(Formed 26 February 2026)*: Ms Carrick *(Chair)*, Mr Braddock, Ms Morris, Mr Werner-Gibbings. *(Presented 10 June 2026)*

FISCAL SUSTAINABILITY OF THE ACT: *(Formed 4 December 2025)*: Ms Clay *(Chair)*, Ms Carrick, Mr Cocks, Mr Werner-Gibbings. *(Presented 26 August 2026)*

PRIVILEGES 2026: *(Formed 6 May 2026)*: Ms Lee *(Chair)*, Mr Braddock, Mr Werner-Gibbings. *(Presented 6 August 2026)*

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE APPROPRIATION BILL 2025-2026: *(Formed 3 September 2025)*: Mr Cocks *(Chair)*, Ms Carrick, Mr Rattenbury, Ms Tough. *(Presented 15 September 2025)*
