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**ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE
DURING PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Asked by: Ms Elizabeth Lee MLA

Addressed to: Minister for Trade, Investment and Economic Development

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In relation to: Deadline for first round for Urban Precincts Framework

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MS LEE: In terms of the work that I suppose you have loosely said would be categorised as a business case for the urban precinct application, is that going to be made public?

Mr Barr: I believe the commonwealth may do that at some point in their assessment process. I suspect that they will list them at some point. As to whether they will be made public or not, I am not sure. It is their program. I do not think it would be useful for us to make them public ahead of commonwealth consideration, but at the conclusion of that process, successful projects will undoubtedly be announced, and I presume there will be a level of detail at that point.

MS LEE: Sure, and in terms of the deadline?

Mr Barr: The deadline for those—the first round—we will check. It will be on the website. It only opened recently.

MS LEE: All right, so just confirming you will get that information by the end of session?

Mr Barr: I will do our best. Yes. Someone can google it.

ANDREW BARR MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

Applications for the Australian Government's \$150 million urban Precincts and Partnerships Program (uPPP) opened on 29 July 2024. There is no specified closing date.

The uPPP program will run over 3 years, with completion of the funding commitment by 30 June 2027.

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Signature: 

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By the Minister for Trade, Investment and Economic Development, Andrew Barr MLA