



Inquiry into Appropriation Bill 2026–2027 and Appropriation (Office of the Legislative Assembly) Bill 2026–2027

Answer to question on notice

Asked by: Ms Rebecca Vassarotti MLA

Addressed to: Minister for Housing and Homelessness

Reference: Housing

Hearing: 30 July 2026

In relation to: Replacement Rent Relief Fund

Question received: 30 July 2026

Answer Due: 14 August 2026

1. The Government has established a new \$5.2 million Housing Crisis Support Fund which replaces the Rent relief Fund. The Rent Relief Fund was operated by Care Financial. It is understood that the Government will procure an organisation to operate the Housing Crisis Support Fund. Has that procurement process started and when do you expect that to be completed?

Ms Suzanne Orr MLA: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

1. A procurement process to procure the services of an organisation to administer the Housing Crisis Support Fund is currently in process. The timeframe for completion will be driven by the ACT Government procurement framework.

Approved for circulation to the Select Committee on Estimates 2026–2027

Signature:

Minister for Housing and Homelessness, Ms Suzanne Orr MLA

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