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**Annual Reports 2020-21 Hearings Schedule**

**Monday 21 February 2022 to Friday 4 March 2022**

The ACT Legislative Assembly has established seven inquiries into annual reports of the ACT Government for 2020-21, to be conducted by each of the standing committees of the Assembly.

Hearings generally will be held online.

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Committees must report on their inquiries by 31 May 2022.

**Day 1 – Monday, 21 February 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| **Health and Community Wellbeing** | 10am – 12 noon(2 hours) | **Ms Davidson**Minister for Mental HealthMinster for Justice Health*Canberra Health Services, ACT Health Directorate* | Mental health (Coordinator‑General)Mental health policy | Mental health services, facilities and programs operated by the ACT Justice Health |
| **Health and Community Wellbeing** | 12 noon – 1pm (1 hour) | **Ms Davidson**Assistant Minister for Seniors, Veterans, Families and Community Services*Community Services Directorate* | Carers Strategy and policyCommunity recovery and emergency reliefSeniors and ageing policy | VeteransVolunteering statement and policyYouth justice policy and services (including Bimberi) |
| Lunch 1pm – 1.45pm (45 mins) |
| **Economy and Gender and Economic Equality** | 1.45pm – 2.45pm(1 hour) | **Mr Gentleman**Minister for Industrial Relations and Workplace Safety*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate**Office of the Work Health and Safety Commissioner* | ACT Public Sector Workers Compensation (including self‑insurance)Private sector industrial relations and workers compensationSecure local jobs code | Work health and safety policyWork health and safety regulation (including the Office of the Work Health and Safety Commissioner) |
| Break 2.45pm to 3pm (15 mins) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 3pm – 4.30pm(1.5 hours) | **Mr Rattenbury**Attorney-General*Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Administration of justiceCivil and criminal lawJustice reinvestmentPolicy relating to incorporation of associationsPolicy relating to liquorPolicy relating to sex work | Policy relating to securityPolicy relating to the registration of deeds and charitable collectionsPolicy relating to the registration of land titles and tenanciesReducing recidivismRestorative justiceSentence Administration Board |
| Break 4.30pm to 4.45pm (15 mins) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 4.45pm – 5.30pm(45 mins) | **Mr Rattenbury**Minister for Gaming*Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Gaming PolicyClub buildings energy efficiency fund |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 5.30pm – 6.15pm(45 mins) | **Mr Rattenbury**Minister for Consumer Affairs*Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Fair trading policy relating to Australian consumer law, fuel prices and licensing motor vehicle repairersPolicy relating to retirement villages, egg labelling, sale of goods and uncollected goods | Policy relating to the licensing of agents, hawkers, pawnbrokers, motor vehicle dealers, second-hand dealers and x-films |

**Day 2 – Tuesday, 22 February 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| **Economy and Gender and Economic Equality** | 9.15am – 10.30am(1.25 hours) | **Mr Barr**Chief Minister*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | Chief Minister’s Charitable Fund and philanthropy encouragementCommissioner for International EngagementCommunication and community engagementDiversity and equal opportunityGovernment strategy and policy | Intergovernmental relations and engagement with capital cities and the Canberra RegionNational Cabinet and the National Federation Reform CouncilNational SecuritySocial inclusion and equality policySupport to CabinetWellbeing framework |
| Break 10.30am to 10.45am (15 mins) |
| **Public Accounts** | 10.45am – 12.15pm(1.5 hours) | **Mr Barr**Treasurer*Icon Water LimitedIndependent Competition and Regulatory CommissionMajor Projects Canberra* | Delivery of physical capital works projects in coordination with government agenciesDirect delivery of designated major capital works projects, including Chief EngineerIcon WaterIndependent Competition and Regulatory Commission |
| Lunch 12.15pm to 2pm (1.75 hours) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 2pm – 2.30pm(30 mins) | **Electoral Commissioner** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 2.30pm – 3 pm(30 mins) | **Public Trustee and Guardian** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 3pm – 3.20pm(20 mins) | **Solicitor-General for the ACT** |  |
| Break 3.20pm to 3.30pm (10 mins) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 3.30pm – 4.15pm(45 mins) | **Human Rights Commission** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 4.15pm – 4.30pm(15 mins) | **Ms Cheyne** Minister for Human Rights*Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | ACT Human Rights CommissionHuman rights and anti-discriminatory policyPolicy relating to births, deaths, parentage, marriages, civil unions, domestic relationships, voluntary assisted dying/end of lifeVictims of Crime Commissioner |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 4.30pm – 4.45pm(15 mins) | **Mr Steel**Special Minister of State*Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Electoral policyRacing policy |

**Day 3 – Wednesday, 23 February 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| **Justice and Community Safety** | 9:30am – 9.45am(15 mins) | **Inspector of the Integrity Commission** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 9.45am – 10.15am(30 mins) | **Inspector of Correctional Services** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 10.15am – 10.45am(30 mins) | **Director of Public Prosecutions** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 10.45am – 11.05am(20 mins) | **Legal Aid Commission** |  |
| Break 11.05am – 11.20am (15 mins) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 11.20am – 11.50am(30 mins) | **Integrity Commission** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 11.50am – 12.10pm(20 mins) | **Official Visitors Board and Corrections Official Visitors** |  |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 12.10pm – 12.30pm(20 mins) | **Sentence Administration Board** |  |
| Lunch 12.30pm – 2pm (1.5 hours) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 2pm – 3.15pm(1.25 hours) | **Mr Gentleman**Minister for Corrections*Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Corrective Services |
| Break 3.15pm – 3.30pm (15 mins) |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 3.30pm – 4.15pm(45 mins) | **Mr Gentleman**Minister for Police and Emergency Services*ACT PolicingACT Policing Special Purposes, Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Policing policy and ACT Policing |
| **Justice and Community Safety** | 4.15pm – 5pm(45 mins) | **Mr Gentleman**Minister for Police and Emergency Services*Emergency Services Agency, Justice and Community Safety Directorate* | Bushfire and other natural disaster resilience and responseEmergency management and the Emergency Services Agency (ACT Fire and Rescue, ACT Ambulance Service, State Emergency Service, Rural Fire Service) |

**Day 4 – Thursday, 24 February 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| **Planning, Transport and City Services** | 9:30am – 12.30pm(3 hours) | **Mr Gentleman**Minister for Planning and Land Management*Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate**Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development DirectorateAccess Canberra* | Government architectLand release policy (including the land release program)Parks and ConservationPlanning and developmentPlanning and development enforcement policy Site identification and facilitation for major land and property projects | Strategic land useSurvey and leasingAccess Canberra (only in relation to planning, development, land and lease regulation)*Access Canberra matter*Planning, development, land and lease regulation |
| Lunch 12.30pm – 1.30pm (1 hour) |
| **Planning, Transport and City Services** | 1.30pm – 2pm(30 mins) | **Mr Barr**Chief Minister*City Renewal AuthoritySuburban Land AgencyEnvironment,* *Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate* | City Renewal AuthoritySuburban Land Agency (as it relates to declared urban renewal sites) |  |
| **Planning, Transport and City Services** | 2pm – 3pm(1 hour) | **Ms Vassarotti**Minister for Sustainable Building and Construction*Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development DirectorateMajor Projects Canberra* | Asbestos Response TaskforceBuilding and construction industry liaisonBuilding code of Australia ACT appendix | Building policyBuilding qualityCladding rectificationLiving infrastructure projectsUniversal design standards |
| Break 3pm – 3.45pm (45 mins)  |
| **Economy and Gender and Economic Equality** | 3.45pm – 4.45pm(1 hour) | **Mr Barr**Chief Minister*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development DirectorateACT Public Service—State of the Service Report* | ACT Public ServiceEnterprise bargainingIntegrity policy |  |
| Break 4.45pm – 5pm (15 mins) |
| **Education and Community Inclusion** | 5pm – 5.30pm(30 mins) | **Mr Barr**Chief Minister*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | LGBTIQ+ |  |

**Day 5 – Friday, 25 February 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity | 9.30am – 10am(30 mins) | Commissioner for Sustainability and the Environment |  |
| Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity | 10am – 11.50am(1 hour 50 mins) | Ms VassarottiMinister for the EnvironmentMinister for Heritage*Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate* | AgricultureBiodiversity policyCommissioner for Sustainability and the EnvironmentConservation and promotion of native flora and faunaEnvironment protection policy | Native animal welfarePest, weed and feral animal management policySupport to the Conservator of Flora and FaunaUrban agriculture policyHeritage |
| Lunch 11.50am – 12.50pm (1 hour) |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 12.50pm – 2.50pm(2 hours) | Ms BerryMinister for Education and Youth AffairsMinister for Early Childhood Development*Education Directorate* | Board of Senior Secondary StudiesGovernment and non-government schoolsHome educationSchools education | Teacher Quality InstituteEarly childhood development and education (including early childhood education and care regulated services; preschool programs; and Koori preschool programs)  |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 2.50pm – 3.20pm(30 mins) | Ms BerryMinister for Education and Youth Affairs*Community Services Directorate* | Youth Advisory CouncilYouth affairs policy Youth InterACT engagement, scholarships, and grants |
| Break 3.20pm – 3.30pm (10 minutes) |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 3.30pm – 4pm(30 mins) | Ms CheyneMinister for Multicultural Affairs*Community Services Directorate* | Multicultural affairs policy and services |
| Break 4pm – 4.15pm (15 mins) |
| Planning, Transport and City Services | 4.15pm – 6pm(1.75 hours) | Mr SteelMinster for Transport and City Services*Transport Canberra and City Services Directorate* | Mowing and verge maintenanceMunicipal servicesNeighbourhood democracy projects  | Public space amenity Recycling and waste policy (including clinical waste policy)Stormwater |

**Day 6 – Monday, 28 February 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 9.15am – 10.15am(1 hour) | Ms DavidsonMinister for Disability*Community Services Directorate* | Disability inclusion and participationDisability policyDisability reform and servicesSenior Practitioner for the reduction and elimination of restrictive practices |
| Break 10.15am – 10.30am (15 mins) |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 10.30am – 1pm(2.5 hours) | Mr SteelMinister for Skills*CMTEDDBuilding and Construction Industry Training FundMajor Projects Canberra* | Canberra Institute of TechnologySkilled migrationState Training AuthorityVocational education and trainingDelivery of the Canberra Institute of Technology campus redevelopment |
| Lunch 1pm – 2pm (1 hour) |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 2pm – 2.30pm(30 minutes) | Ms BerryMinister for Sport and Recreation*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate*  | Aquatic facilities managementCommunity sports infrastructureSport and recreation |  |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 2.30pm – 3.30pm(1 hour) | Ms BerryMinister for Women*Community Services Directorate* | Women’s affairs policy and services |  |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 3.30pm – 4.30pm(1 hour) | Ms BerryMinister for Early Childhood Development*Community Services Directorate* | Child and Family CentresChild development service | Childhood early intervention and development policyChildhood early intervention and development services |
| Break 4.30pm – 4.40pm (10 minutes) |
| Education and Community Inclusion | 4.40pm – 5.10pm(30 mins) | Ms Stephen-SmithMinister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs*Community Services Directorate* | Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander affairs policy and servicesAboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Elected Body secretariat |

**Day 7 – Tuesday, 1 March 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Public Accounts | 9.30am – 12.30pm(3 hours) | Mr Barr Treasurer*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development DirectorateCity Renewal AuthoritySuburban Land Agency* | Borrowing, funds management and infrastructure financeBudget process and financial reportingConcessionsDirections relating to authorisation thresholds for land acquisition by the City Renewal Authority or Suburban Land AgencyFiscal and economic strategy and policy | Government business enterprisesInfrastructure policy frameworks and coordination of infrastructure planningRevenue Office, including administration of rental bondsTaxation and revenue policy |
| Lunch 12.30pm – 1.30pm (1 hour) |
| Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity | 1.30pm – 2.30pm(1 hour) | Mr BarrMinister for Climate Action*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | Big Canberra BatteryClimate Action (Coordinator-General)Climate change adaptation and resilienceSustainable household package |
| Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity | 2.30pm – 3.30pm(1 hour) | Mr RattenburyMinster for Water, Energy and Emissions Reduction*Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate* | Climate change policyEnergy policy and energy efficiency programs (including zero emissions vehicle policy) | Sustainability of government services and assets Water efficiency programs Water policy |
| Break 3.30pm – 3.45pm (15 mins) |
| Economy and Gender and Economic Equality | 3.45pm – 6pm(2.25 hours) | Mr SteelSpecial Minister of State*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development DirectorateInsurance Authority* | Access to government informationACT Insurance AuthorityAudit policyChief Digital Officer, Digital and Data Strategy, including Cyber securityCommunity facilities charging policyCommunity facilities property servicesGovernment accommodation and property services (including facility management and operations for Venues Canberra)Insurance policy (including Motor Accident Injury Insurance and lifetime care and support scheme)ProcurementShared services, including transactional services and ICT services |

**Day 8 – Wednesday, 2 March 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| Public Accounts | 10am – 10.30am(30 mins) | Ombudsman |  |
| Public Accounts | 10.30am – 11.30am(1 hour) | Office of the Legislative Assembly*Speaker* |  |
| Public Accounts | 11.30am – 12pm(30 mins) | Auditor-General |  |
| Lunch 12pm – 1pm (1 hour) |
| Health and Community Wellbeing | 1pm – 3.30pm(2.5 hours) | Ms Stephen-SmithMinister for Health*Canberra Health Services, ACT Health Directorate* | Acute health policyAged care and rehabilitation policyCancer policyChild health developmentCommissioning health servicesCommunity health policy and programs (excluding justice health)Digital healthDrug and alcohol policy | Health protectionHealth system policy, planning and performance monitoringLocal hospital network arrangementsMedical and health research policy and programsPopulation healthRegulation of health servicesHealth services and facilities operated by the ACT Government |
| Break 3.30pm – 4pm (30 mins) |
| Health and Community Wellbeing | 4pm – 4.30pm(30 minutes) | Ms Stephen-SmithMinister for Health*Major Projects Canberra* | Canberra Hospital Extension |
| Health and Community Wellbeing | 4.30pm – 5.30pm(1 hour) | Ms Stephen-SmithMinister for Families and Community Services*Community Services Directorate* | Children and young people protection policy and servicesChildren, youth and family policy and support services  | Community sector policy and servicesCommunity sector reformSafe and Connected Youth |

**Day 9 – Thursday, 3 March 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Economy and Gender and Economic Equality | 9.15am – 10am(45 minutes) | Mr BarrMinister for Tourism*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | Aviation industry developmentMajor events (Floriade, Enlighten, Innovation Festival) | Tourism policyVisit Canberra |
| Economy and Gender and Economic Equality | 10am – 11.30am(1.5 hours) | Mr BarrMinister for Economic Development*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | Brand CanberraCanberra Economic Recovery Advisory GroupElite sporting performance and venue agreementsEvent attractionFuture Jobs Fund (and Priority Investment Fund) Implementation and delivery of economic objectives and economic recoveryInnovation policy and CBR Innovation Network | International education (including Study Canberra)Investment facilitation and attractionJobs for CanberransRenewable energy industry development strategySpecial Events FundStrategic infrastructure projects (including Academy of Interactive Entertainment, UNSW, and Venues Canberra infrastructure upgrades)University and research policy |
| Lunch 11.30am – 12.30pm (1 hour) |
| Economy and Gender and Economic Equality | 12.30pm – 2.30pm(2 hours) | Ms CheyneMinister for Business and Better Regulation*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate Access CanberraGambling and Racing Commission* | Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander business developmentAccess Canberra (exception in relation to planning development, land and lease regulation)Better Regulation TaskforceBusiness advocacy and liaisonBusiness developmentChoose CBRImproving ease of doing business with governmentSmall business*Access Canberra matters* Construction, building and utilities regulationControlled sports registration, inspection, notifications, and regulatory services | *Access Canberra matters* Environmental protection, water regulation, and clinical waste controller.Electricity and natural gas, water and sewerage industry technical regulationFair trading and registration, inspection and regulatory services (including transport regulation and licensing)Food safety licensing and regulationOccupational licensingPublic unleased land regulation (permits)Racing and gaming regulationRegistration of civil unions, domestic relationships and parentage |
| Break 2.30pm -2.45pm (15 mins) |
| Economy and Gender and Economic Equality | 2.45pm – 3.30pm(45 minutes) | Ms CheyneMinister for the Arts*Major Projects CanberraCultural Facilities CorporationChief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | Art and cultural policy and servicesCommunity arts facilitiesCultural Facilities Corporation | Delivery of the Canberra Theatre Centre redevelopment project |
| Economy and Gender and Economic Equality | 3.30pm – 4.15pm(45 minutes) | Ms CheyneAssistant Minister for Economic Development*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | ACT events fundAdvanced technologiesCommunity eventsCreative industries | Key industry capability area sector development Manufacturing ScienceScreen Canberra |
| Break 4.15pm to 4.30pm (15 mins) |
| Environment, Climate Change and Biodiversity | 4.30pm – 5.15pm(45 mins) | Ms CheyneMinister for Business and Better Regulation*Chief Minister, Treasury and Economic Development Directorate* | Environment Protection Authority |  |

**Day 10 – Friday, 4 March 2022**

| Committee | Indicative Time | Minister/Administrative Agency | Matters |
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| Health and Community Wellbeing | 8.50am – 9.50am(1 hour) | Ms VassarottiMinister for Homelessness and Housing Services*Community Services Directorate* | Homelessness servicesHousing services |
| Break 9.50am – 10 am (10 minutes) |
| Health and Community Wellbeing | 10am – 10.30am(30 minutes) | Ms BerryMinister for Housing and Suburban Development*Community Services Directorate* | Homelessness policyHousing assistance policyHousing sector regulationPublic housing asset managementPublic housing growth and renewal programSocial and affordable housing delivery |
| Break 10.30am – 11.30am (1 hour) |
| Health and Community Wellbeing | 11.30am – 12 noon(30 minutes) | Ms BerryMinister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence*Community Services Directorate* | Family safety (Coordinator-General)Domestic violence agencies |
| Lunch 12 noon – 12.30pm (30 minutes) |
| Planning, Transport and City Services | 12.30pm – 2pm(1.5 hours) | Mr SteelMinister for Transport and City Services*Transport and City Services DirectorateMajor Projects Canberra* | Active travel (including road crossing supervision)Autonomous vehicle policyCommunity transportFootpathsDelivery of the City to Woden light rail project and finalisation of the Gungahlin to City light rail project | Parking policyPolicy relating to transport regulation and safetyRoads and bridgesTransport CanberraTransport planning and reform  |
| Planning, Transport and City Services | 2pm – 4pm(2 hours) | Ms BerryMinister for Housing and Suburban Development*Environment, Planning and Sustainable Development Directorate**Suburban Land Agency* | Housing strategy and policySuburban land developmentSuburban Land Agency |
| Planning, Transport and City Services | 4pm – 4.30pm(30 mins) | Ms BerryMinister for Sport and Recreation*Transport Canberra and City Services Directorate* | Sports ground management |