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Dear Treasurer

David

Queenslanders have put their faith in us to deliver a fresh start for our great state. As the Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, you have a critical role to play and that will come with significant responsibility.

The Right Plan for Queensland’s Future is a comprehensive plan that will require discipline, focus and unity to deliver.

Together we will ensure safety where people live, provide health services when Queenslanders need them, respect taxpayers’ money, deliver a place to call home for Queenslanders, and drive government to work for the people.

It is my expectation that you will work every day of this term of Government to deliver these priorities for Queensland. As Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, you are ultimately responsible for the following Government agencies:

Your portfolio responsibilities
Queensland Treasury

I want you to closely align your work every day with the following commitments we have made to Queenslanders.

Our fundamental commitment to Queenslanders
to restore safety where you live
to reinstate health services when you need them
to return respect for your money
to reimagine a place to call home
to redesign a government that works for you

I have outlined for each minister the values I want to drive our Government’s agenda across the Queensland Government agencies which you have carriage for, these are:

Core portfolio values	
Queensland Treasury	<p><u>Treasury</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foster a taxation and regulatory environment built on stability and certainty which will deliver strong investor confidence in Queensland. • Create an economic environment where existing Queensland business and industries can expand and grow. • Provide Queensland with an open door for investors from interstate and overseas to stimulate jobs and economic growth for Queenslanders. <p><u>Energy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver Queenslanders an energy system that is affordable, reliable and sustainable. • Facilitate private sector investment in new energy infrastructure while maintaining public ownership of existing assets. <p><u>Home Ownership</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure Queensland is a place of aspiration and opportunity, where home ownership is a realistic and attainable option for those living in our state.

In addition to the values outlined above, the key portfolio deliverables that should be your priority include the following:

Key portfolio deliverables	
Queensland Treasury	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver responsible budget management to stabilise debt and deliver a strong economic future for Queensland. • Establish Queensland Government Consulting, to reduce Queensland's reliance on external consultants and provide more opportunity to an empowered public service. • Abolish Transfer Duty on new builds for first home buyers. • Establish the Productivity Commission and instruct the body to conduct a regulatory review of the building industry as its first order of business. • Work with the Minister for Health and Ambulance Services to stop Labor's Patients' Tax from being introduced in July 2025 to ensure that Queenslanders have access to affordable health services. • Maintain and invest coal royalties into Queensland. • Create an Office of Social Impact within Queensland Treasury and work alongside impact investors, community, faith groups, philanthropists, corporates, and social enterprises to co-design a roadmap for social enterprise and impact investing in Queensland. • Introduce the game changing \$20 million per year Social Entrepreneurs Fund, providing access to loans and grants for social entrepreneurs.

- Along with the Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training and the Minister for Women and Women's Economic Security, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Minister for Multiculturalism, form an Economic Security team to drive positive outcomes for Queenslanders across all economic portfolios.
- Establish a Parliamentary Budget Office to deliver independent policy and budget analysis
- As a standing member, contribute to our Government's Cabinet Housing Ministerial Taskforce Cabinet Committee, ensuring that Queensland Government agencies are focussed on scaling up supply of housing stock across Queensland to meet the demand for our growing population.
- Work closely with the Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations, the Minister for Local Government and Water and Minister for Fire, Disaster Recovery and Volunteers, and the Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth, to implement the Government's 'Securing our Housing Foundations' Plan that will deliver one million new homes by 2044, including an additional 53,500 social and community housing dwellings.
- Work with the Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth to deliver the 'Big Boost to Home Ownership' Plan to support 14,000 Queenslanders into homes over four years, through stamp duty exemptions.
- Invest \$165 million into a shared equity program that would see first home buyers owning homes sooner.
- Ensure first home buyers remain eligible for all relevant grants and concessions while renting out a room in their first year of ownership to increase the level of home ownership and increase rental supply.
- Work with the Minister for the Environment and Tourism and Minister for Science and Innovation, to undertake the Supercharged Solar for Renters scheme, to provide landlords with grants up to \$3500 to install solar panels on rental properties and drive down electricity bills for tenants across Queensland.
- Prioritise the delivery of an energy system that is affordable, reliable and sustainable.
- Implement an Electricity Maintenance Guarantee on government-owned coal-fired power plants, with full transparency and accountability of maintenance requests to Shareholding Ministers.
- Progress early work on the Borumba Pumped Hydro project.
- Investigate other smaller pumped hydro schemes in partnership with the private sector.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work with industry to progress a code of conduct for renewable energy proponents, with a focus on legacy community benefit and addressing current community concerns.• Work to progress transmission infrastructure, like the Copperstring 2032 project.
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I will meet with you regularly to discuss progress in implementing these actions.

We all know that many Queenslanders are struggling under significant cost-of-living pressures. In addition to the deliverables listed above, I urge you to identify opportunities to provide long-term cost-of-living relief through structural improvements and prudent oversight for those portfolio areas for which you have carriage for.

It is critical to remember that every decision a minister makes, and all actions taken, must be in the interest of the Queensland public. It is imperative that those decisions and actions should be made without regard to personal, political or other immaterial considerations.

A strong and stable public service creates a strong and stable Queensland. The Queensland Public Service are integral to being able to implement our ambitious and important agenda for the state.

I expect ministers and their staff will engage with chief executive officers and departmental staff with the highest levels of courtesy and respect. I expect you will be an engaged and visible leader for the public servants in your department, both in the central office and the regions, and that you will strongly support your frontline staff in the important work they do.

Your engagement with the Queensland Public Service should always be in accordance with *The Queensland Ministerial Handbook, Ministerial Code of Conduct, Code of Conduct Ministerial Staff Members*, along with ensuring your staff always adhere to the *Protocols for communication between ministerial staff members and department employees*.

It is also important you familiarise yourself with 'Governing Queensland' for the suite of policy and administrative handbooks. These documents are available on the Department of the Premier and Cabinet's website at www.premiers.qld.gov.au. These documents provide an explanation for the processes of Government in Queensland.

We have been given the incredible privilege of serving the people of Queensland as their Government. I look forward to working with you to deliver for every Queenslanders.

Yours sincerely



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PREMIER AND MINISTER FOR VETERANS