



Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for the Environment and Tourism and

Minister for Science and Innovation

The Hon Andrew Powell MP

1 March 2025 – 31 March 2025

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
2 March 2025	Senator Nita Green – Senator for Queensland; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 March 2025	Cr Teresa Millwood, Mayor, and Andrew Graffen, CEO – Cassowary Coast Regional Council; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 March 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Cabinet Ministers; Directors-General; Ministerial staff	Community Cabinet – Afternoon Tea
2 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Dewayne Mundraby, Chairperson, and Dale Mundraby – Mandingalbay Yidinji Aboriginal Corporation; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Roderic Rees, Owner and Director – Cairns Adventure Group; DG	Portfolio Matters

¹ Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

	– DETSI: Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	
2 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Cr Robyn Holmes, Mayor, and Cr Gavin Dear – Cook Shire Council; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Entrepreneurship Facilitator – Launch Y(E)P; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Bronwyn Opie, Director, – Cairns and Far North Environment Centre; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 March 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Cabinet Ministers; Directors-General; Deputies; Ministerial staff	Post Deputations Function
2 March 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Cabinet Ministers	Community Cabinet Dinner
3 March 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Cabinet Ministers; and invited guests	International Women’s Day Reception
3 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers; Ms Bree James MP – Member for Barron River; Mr Terry James MP – Member for Mulgrave; Mr David Kempton MP – Member for Cook; Cr Amy Eden, Mayor – Cairns Regional Council	Community Cabinet Meeting
3 March 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Cabinet Ministers; Cr Amy Eden, Mayor, and Councillors – Cairns Regional Council	Community Cabinet Working Lunch with Cairns Regional Council

3 March 2025	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Cabinet Ministers; First Nations Mayors; First Nations Councils' CEOs; Matt Burnett, President, Local Government Association of Queensland; Michael Miller, Executive Officer – Torres Cape Indigenous Council Alliance; Directors-General; Ministerial staff	Community Cabinet Meeting
4 March 2025	Jess Caire, Queensland Executive Director – Property Council of Australia; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff; and invited guests	Property Council Breakfast
4 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
4 March 2025	The Hon Steven Minnikin MP – Minister for Customer Services and Open Data and Minister for Small and Family Business; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
4 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; and invited guests	Tourism Disaster Network: TC Alfred Meeting
4 March 2025	The Hon Tony Perrett MP – Minister for Primary Industries; DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
4 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Meeting
4 March 2025	John Fitzgerald, Chairman, Corey Richards, Board Member, and Karen Hannah Miller, Executive Officer – Dinosaur Experiences Australia	Portfolio Matters
4 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ollie Philpot, Acting CEO – Tourism and Events Queensland (TEQ); Ministerial staff; and invited guests	Portfolio Matters
4 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ollie Philpot, Acting CEO – TEQ; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
5 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
5 March 2025	Todd Pepper, Founder and Executive Director and Robert King-Smith, Director – Alceon; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
5 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
5 March 2025	Kurt Jones, CEO and Founder – Co-Exist Australia; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
5 March 2025	Dean Bauer and members of the Bauer family; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
6 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting

6 March 2025	Julian Leigh, Director – Brouhaha Brewery (phone call)	Portfolio Matters
7 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
7 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
10 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
10 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
10 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
10 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
10 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
10 March 2025	Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; and invited guests	Tourism Disaster Network – Ex-TC Alfred Meeting
11 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
11 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
11 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Richard Deery, President, and Bernie Hogan, CEO – Queensland Hotels Association Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
11 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Mr Adam Baillie MP – Member for Townsville; Cr Liz Schmdit, Mayor – Charters Towers; Cr Ramon Jayo, Mayor – Hinchinbrook Shire Council; Pierina Dalle Cort, Mayor – Burdekin Shire Council; Ann-Maree Greaney, Acting Mayor – Townsville; Kevin Gill, Chair, and Claudia Brumme-Smith, CEO – Townsville Enterprise Limited; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
11 March 2025	Mark Townend AM, President – National Trust of Australia (Queensland); Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 March 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
12 February 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
12 March 2025	Owen Menkens, Chair and Dan Galligan, CEO – Canegrowers; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters

12 March 2025	Ms Donna Kirkland MP – Member for Rockhampton; Matt Burnett, Mayor – Gladstone Regional Council; Tony Williams, Mayor, and Council staff – Rockhampton Regional Council; Sarah Vogler – Local Government Association of Queensland; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 March 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
13 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
13 March 2025	John Warn, CEO – Experience Gold Coast (phone call)	Portfolio Matters
13 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
13 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 March 2025	The Hon David Janetzki MP – Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership; The Hon Dale Last MP – Minister for Natural Resources and Mines, Minister for Manufacturing and Minister for Regional and Rural Development; The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Transport and Main Roads; The Hon Tim Mander MP – Minister for Racing and Sports and Minister for Olympic and Paralympic Games; Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Tourism Cabinet Committee Meeting
13 March 2025	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning; Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Wade Batty, Managing Director – Elanda Point; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 March 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
14 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
14 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
14 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 March 2025	Members of Parliament	Committee of the Legislative Assembly Meeting (as rep of Deputy Premier)
14 March 2025	Darren Stevenson, CEO, and staff – Senex Energy; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 March 2025	Johan Tijssen, Founder and Technical Director, Hempblock International	Portfolio Matters

15 March 2025	Steve Lines, CEO – Golf Coast Turf Club; invited guests	Jewel Race Day Carbine Club Gold Coast Stakes Raceday
15 March 2025	Denise and Bruce Morcombe OAM; invited guests	Dance for Daniel
17 March 2025	Ms Ariana Doolan – Member for Pumicestone; Chris Paterson, Founder and Director, and staff – Bamboo Projects; Electorate staff	Portfolio Matters
17 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
17 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
17 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Meeting
17 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
17 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
18 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
18 March 2025	Natassia Wheeler, CEO – Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC); Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; stakeholders	TC Alfred – Environment Recovery Meeting
18 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
18 March 2025	Simon Miller, Great Barrier Reef Fisheries Manager and Lissa Schindler, Great Barrier Reef Campaign Manager – Australian Marine Conservation Society; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	Claire Smith; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	John Watson, Director of Environment and Community, and staff – Glencore; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	James Purtill – Queensland Mine Rehabilitation Commissioner; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	The Hon Tim Mander MP – Minister for Sport and Racing and Minister for Olympic and Paralympic Games; Toby Hutcheon, Manager – Boomerang Alliance; DG – Department of Sport, Racing and Olympic and Paralympic Games; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 March 2025	Cabinet Budget Review Committee (CBRC) Members	CBRC Meeting

18 March 2025	Shane Goodwin, Sustainability Manager – PacGold; invited guests; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
19 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
19 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
20 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
20 March 2025	The Hon John-Paul Langbroek MP – Minister for Education and the Arts; Dr Jim Thompson, CEO and Director – Queensland Museum Network; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Opening – World Science Festival Brisbane 2025
21 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
21 March 2025	Senator The Hon Don Farrell MP – Special Minister of State and Minister for Trade and Tourism; Cabinet Ministers	Tourism Ministers' Meeting
21 March 2025	Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; DG – DETSI; and invited guests	Australian Tourism Awards – Queensland Reception
21 March 2025	Elsa D'Alessio, Chair, and Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; DG – DETSI; and invited guests	Australian Tourism Awards
24 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
24 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
24 March 2025	Celia Merzbacher, Quantum Economic Development Consortium Executive Director, and delegation – SRI International; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
24 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
24 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
24 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
25 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
25 March 2025	The Hon Dale Last MP – Minister for Natural Resources and Mines, Minister for Manufacturing and Minister for Regional and Rural Development; Pat Cufari, Owner – Donnybrook Berries; Adrian Raedel, Owner and Director – ARC Planning; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 March 2025	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
25 March 2025	Petra Andren, CEO – Quantum Australia; invited guests; Ministerial staff	Official Launch of the Quantum Australia Conference

25 March 2025	Dr Richard Kirkman, CEO and Managing Director, and staff – Veolia; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 March 2025	Roy Wilson, Managing Director and Peter Thompson, Chief Strategy Officer – Nugrow; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Dr Carolyn Brumley– Senversa Pty Ltd; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 March 2025	DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 March 2025	Janette Hewson, CEO, and staff – Queensland Resources Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
26 March 2025	Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Ministerial staff; and invited guests	QTIC Inaugural Tourism Breakfast
26 March 2025	Dr Christian Rowan MP – Assistant Minister to the Premier on Matters of State and New Citizens and Leader of the House; Ministerial staff	Meeting
26 March 2025	Rachel Lowry, CEO, and staff – Bush Heritage Australia; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 March 2025	Peter McDougall, CEO – Australian Camps Association; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 March 2025	Mr ISHIKAWA Katsutoshi, Consul-General of Japan; Ministerial staff; and invited guests	Reception to Celebrate Expo 2025 – Osaka, Kansai, Japan
26 March 2025	Association of Mining and Exploration Companies (AMEC) invited guests Ministerial staff	Dinner
27 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
27 March 2025	Mr Nigel Dalton MP – Member for Mackay; General Manager – Harrup Park; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
27 March 2025	Mr Nigel Dalton MP – Member for Mackay; Melanie Yasserie – South Sea Islander Hut; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
27 March 2025	Mr Nigel Dalton MP – Member for Mackay; Ross Robotham – Tiger Moth Museum; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
27 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans	Portfolio Matters
27 March 2025	Grant Hunt, Chairman – Tourism and Events Queensland	Portfolio Matters
27 March 2025	John Cotter, Managing Director and Executive Chairman – North West Phosphate	Portfolio Matters
28 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
31 March 2025	Senior Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
31 March 2025	Regis Gervier, Global Head of mRNA Centre of Excellence, and delegation –	Portfolio Matters

	Sanofi; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	
31 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
31 March 2025	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Transport and Main Roads; Ms Bree James MP – Member for Barron River; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
31 March 2025	Nigel Burnett, Chair, and Directors – Cotton Australia Board; Adam Kay, CEO, and staff – Cotton Australia; Jo Sheppard, CEO – Queensland Farmers Federation; Cabinet Ministers; State Members; Ministerial staff	Annual Cotton Australia Dinner

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