



Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for Women and Women's Economic Security, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Minister for Multiculturalism

The Hon. Fiona Simpson MP

1 May 2025 – 31 May 2025

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
1 May 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting Week
1 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Meeting
1 May 2025	University of Queensland, Members of Parliament, Other Invited Guests	Rural and Remote Health Solutions Showcase, Parliament House
2 May 2025	Mr Michael Dykes, Community Enterprise Queensland (CEQ) CEO, Ms Joann Schmider, CEQ Chairperson, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
2 May 2025	QIMR Berghofer, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	QIMR Berghofer International Women's Day Event
4 May 2025	Bangladesh Association in Brisbane (BAB) Inc, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Bengali New Year and Multicultural Festival
5 May 2025	Australian Pakistani National Association (APNA), Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	APNA Premier League (APL) 2025 Event
5 May 2025	Pasifika Families Inc., Mr Hermann Vorster MP, Assistant Minister for Multicultural Affairs, and International Student Attraction, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Pasifika Vibes Festival
6 May 2025	Australian Chin Community Council, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2025	Queensland African Community Council (QACC), Ministerial Staff	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).

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6 May 2025	Queensland Gives, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Departmental Staff, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2025	Mr Hermann Vorster MP, Assistant Minister for Multicultural Affairs, and International Student Attraction	Teleconference Meeting
6 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Briefing
6 May 2025	Government Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
6 May 2025	The Hon. David Crisafulli, Premier and Minister for Veterans, The Hon. Ros Bates, Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training, The Hon. Amanda Camm, Minister for Families, Seniors and Disability Services and Minister for Child Safety and the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence, Helen McCabe, Founder and Managing Director, Future Women, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2025	The Hon. David Janetzki, Treasurer, Minister for Energy and Minister for Home Ownership, The Hon. Ros Bates, Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Economic Security Team Meeting
6 May 2025	Future Women, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Guest Speaker
7 May 2025	Commissioner C'Zarke Maza (Meriba Omasker Kaziw Kazipa), Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters, Cairns
7 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Departmental Staff, Ministerial Staff	Departmental Staff Meeting, Cairns
8 May 2025	AFL Cape York House, Ms Bree James MP, State Member for Barron River, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	AFL Cape York House Visit, Cairns

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8 May 2025	Ngoonbi Community Services Indigenous Corporation, Ms Bree James MP, Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
8 May 2025	Illuminate FNQ, Ms Bree James MP, Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland, Sharon Cavanagh-Luskin, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
8 May 2025	Sharon Cavanagh-Luskin, Ms Bree James MP, Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Other Invited Guests	Event
11 May 2025	Serbian Australian Centre in Brisbane, Other Invited Guests, Cr Steven Huang, MacGregor Ward, Brisbane City Council, Ministerial Staff	St George Festival Event
12 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Briefing
12 May 2025	Government Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
12 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2025	Ms Janet Mhindurwa, President, African Professionals of Australia (APA) Ltd, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
13 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
13 May 2025	The Centre for Women & Co, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters (via Videoconference)
13 May 2025	Sunshine Coast Business Women's Network, Other Invited Guests	Event

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14 May 2025	Mr Hermann Vorster MP, Assistant Minister for Multicultural Affairs, and International Student Attraction	Teleconference Meeting
14 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
15 May 2025	Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council, Mr Terry James MP, Member for Mulgrave, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters, Yarrabah
15 May 2025	Gurriny Yealamucka Health Service Aboriginal Corporation, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
16 May 2025	Volunteering Queensland, Other Invited Guests	Queensland Volunteering Awards 2025 (representing Minister Leahy)
16 May 2025	Senator The Hon. Malarndirri McCarthy, Minister for Indigenous Australians	Portfolio Matters (via Teleconference)
17 May 2025	Rwandan Community of Queensland, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	31st Commemoration of the 1994 Genocide
17 May 2025	Share the Dignity, Other Invited Guests	Share the Dignity's "DigniTea" Event
18 May 2025	Greek Orthodox Community of Saint George, Brisbane, Other Invited Guests	Paniyiri Greek Festival
19 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Briefing
19 May 2025	Government Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
19 May 2025	Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise, Other Invited Guests	14th Annual Parliament House Enterprise Evening
20 May 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting
20 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Meeting
20 May 2025	Cancer Council Queensland, Members of Parliament, Other Invited Guests	Australia's Biggest Morning Tea, Parliament House
20 May 2025	Queensland Resources Council, The Hon. Dale Last, Minister for Natural Resources and Mines, Minister for Manufacturing and Minister for Regional and Rural Development, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
20 May 2025	His Excellency Mr Antonio Morales, Ambassador of Philippines to Australia Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
20 May 2025	MITEZ (Mount Isa to Townsville Economic Development Zone Inc), Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters

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20 May 2025	Queensland Beekeepers Association, Members of Parliament, Other Invited Guests	World Bee Day Event, Parliament House
21 May 2025	Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Departmental Staff, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 May 2025	Children's Hospital Foundation, Members of Parliament, Ministerial Staff	Annual Parliament House Event
21 May 2025	Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 May 2025	Parliamentary Friends of Surf Life Saving Queensland, Members of Parliament, Other Invited Guests	Surf Life Saving Queensland Parliamentary Friends Function
21 May 2025	Members of Parliament, Ministerial Staff, Other Invited Guests	2032 Government Reception, Parliament House
22 May 2025	The Hon. Sam O'Connor, Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
22 May 2025	Palliative Care Queensland, Members of Parliament, Other Invited Guests	National Palliative Care Week Event
22 May 2025	Reconciliation Queensland, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Reconciliation Queensland 25th Anniversary Dinner
23 May 2025	Government Ministers, McKinnon Institute	McKinnon Institute Seminar
23 May 2025	Aspect Architects, Global Sisters, Other Invited Guests	Event
23 May 2025	First Nations Advocates against Family Violence, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
25 May 2025	Kirwan State High School, Members of Parliament, Other Invited Guests	Afternoon Tea Reception
25 May 2025	The Women Society Limited, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Deputation, Community Cabinet, Townsville
25 May 2025	India Fest Townsville, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Deputation, Community Cabinet, Townsville
25 May 2025	Gudjuda Reference Group Aboriginal Corp, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Deputation, Community Cabinet, Townsville
25 May 2025	Townsville First Nations Community Council, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait	Deputation, Community Cabinet, Townsville

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	Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	
25 May 2025	Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Deputation, Community Cabinet, Townsville
25 May 2025	Townsville NAIDOC, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Deputation, Community Cabinet, Townsville
26 May 2025	Cowboys Community Foundation, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	National Sorry Day Breakfast, Townsville
26 May 2025	North Queensland Regional Organisation of Councils (NQROC), Members of Parliament, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters, Townsville
26 May 2025	Government Ministers	Community Cabinet Meeting, Townsville
26 May 2025	Yumba-Meta, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters, Townsville
26 May 2025	Townsville Multicultural Support Group Inc, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff, Departmental Staff	Portfolio Matters, Townsville
26 May 2025	Tyrelle Smith, Golalbi-gan Pty Ltd, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff, Departmental Staff	Portfolio Matters, Townsville
27 May 2025	Cr Terence Munns, Mayor, Woorabinda Aboriginal Shire Council	Teleconference Meeting
27 May 2025	The Hon. Sam O'Connor, Minister for Housing and Public Works and Minister for Youth, Natalie Marr, Member for Thuringowa, Departmental Staff, Ministerial Staff	Yumba Meta, Community Housing Development
27 May 2025	Marcus Illin, Director General, Department of Women, Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Multiculturalism, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
27 May 2025	North Brisbane District Queensland Police Service, Consulate General of India Brisbane, Other Invited Guests	"Break the Silence, End the Violence" Event, Parliament House

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28 May 2025	Large Format Retail Association, Other Invited Guests	Large Format Retail Association Transact Capital QLD 2025 Forum, Guest Speaker, Sunshine Coast
28 May 2025	Dr Zakaria Amin, Other Invited Guests	Multicultural Job Fair & Business Expo, Sunshine Coast
28 May 2025	HERpreneurs, Other Invited Guests	HERpreneurs Graduation Ceremony for CALD Women, Sunshine Coast
29 May 2025	Mr Hermann Vorster MP, Assistant Minister for Multicultural Affairs, and International Student Attraction	Teleconference Meeting
29 May 2025	Cr Mersane Oui, Deputy Mayor, Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council, Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Matters
29 May 2025	Her Excellency the Honourable Dr Jeannette Young AC PSM, Governor of Queensland, Executive Council Members	Executive Council
29 May 2025	Glen Elmes (Registered Lobbyist) Australian Strategic Advisory, Ministerial Staff	Lobbyist introductory meeting
29 May 2025	Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council, Ministerial Staff, Departmental Staff	Videoconference Meeting
29 May 2025	MultiLink Community Services Inc., Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Official Opening of MultiLink Community Hub
30 May 2025	Women & Leadership Australia, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Australian Women's Leadership Symposium
30 May 2025	Murri Gummaz NRL Team, Members of the Public, Ministerial Staff	Murri Gummaz Touch Game, Raymond Park
31 May 2025	United Nations Association of Australia Queensland Division (UNAAQ), Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	UN Peacekeepers Day Ceremony
31 May 2025	St George Indian Orthodox Church, Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Swaad Indian Food and Multicultural Festival
31 May 2025	The Daraja Impact Hub Inc., Other Invited Guests, Ministerial Staff	Daraja Impact Hub Launch and Networking Lunch

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