



Assistant Minister Diary¹

Assistant Minister for Multicultural Affairs and International Student Attraction

Hermann Vorster MP

1 May 2025 – 31 May 2025

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
2 May 2025	Dr Asha Sadasivan, Shakti Global	Meeting
2 May 2025	Abhishek Sharma President of Bhartiya Samaj, Other Invited Guests	Teleconference
5 May 2025	Pasifika Families Inc., Other Invited Guests	10 Years of Pasifika Vibes Festival
7 May 2025	Government Assistant Ministers	Teleconference Meeting
7 May 2025	Queensland Combined Emergency Services Academy, Other Invited Guests	Graduation Ceremony (Representing Minister Ann Leahy MP)
9 May 2025	Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Teleconference Meeting
13 May 2025	James Cook University Cairns, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Cairns
13 May 2025	Cairns College of English and Business, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Cairns
13 May 2025	Cairns Student Hub, Suha McCartney, Executive Officer, Study Cairns, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Cairns
13 May	Study Cairns board members, Cairns Regional Council, Study Cairns, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff and Other Invited Guests	Working Lunch and Meeting
13 May 2025	St Augustine's College, Glen Seivers, Principal, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Cairns

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13 May 2025	CQUniversity Aviation, Jodie Duigan-George, Deputy Vice Chancellor, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Cairns
14 May 2025	Government Assistant Ministers	Teleconference Meeting
14 May 2025	The Hon. Fiona Simpson MP, Minister for Women and Women's Economic Security, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Minister for Multiculturalism	Teleconference Meeting
14 May 2025	Danelle Rosario, Executive Officer, Study Townsville, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff and Other Invited Guests	Meeting, Townsville
14 May 2025	Townsville Grammar School, Julie Plath, Director of Marketing, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Townsville
14 May 2025	Townsville International English School, Kit Perry, Executive Director, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site Visit, Townsville
14 May 2025	Cathedral School, Jane Neame, Registrar, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff	Site tour and Meeting, Townsville
14 May 2025	James Cook University, Vice Chancellor, Professor Simon Biggs, Toni Brownie, Trade and Investment Queensland, Ministerial Staff and Other Invited Guests	Site tour and Meeting, Townsville
15 May 2025	Experience Gold Coast Gold Coast, Other Invited Guests	Gold Coast Careers Festival (representing Minister Bates)
16 May 2025	Alexander Semchenko, Chairman, Cultural Charity Association SVETOCH	Meeting
17 May 2025	Varnam Cultural Society, Other Invited Guests	Greater Springfield Community Festival (representing Premier and Minister Simpson)
19 May 2025	Superyacht Australia, Other Invited Guests	Australian Superyacht Conference (representing Deputy Premier)
19 May 2025	Brisbane City Council, Other Invited Guests	Lord Mayor Citizenship Ceremony (Representing Premier)
20 May	The Hon. Ros Bates, Minister for Finance, Trade, Employment and Training, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 May 2025	Government Assistant Ministers	Teleconference Meeting
21 May 2025	Yasmin Khan, The Bangle Foundation	Meeting

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21 May 2025	Aleem Ali, CEO Welcoming Australia, Ministerial Staff	Meeting
21 May 2025	Preethi Suraj PhD Federation of India Communities of Queensland Inc.(FICQ), Other Invited Guests	Meeting
24 May 2025	Filipino Australian Creative Arts Ensemble (FACAE), Inc., trading as Gold Coast Filipino Australian Performing Arts Ensemble (GCFAPAE), Other Invited Guests	Australia Friendship Day 2025 (representing Premier)
25 May 2025	Brisbane City Council, Other Invited Guests	Lord Mayor Citizenship Ceremony (Representing Premier)
25 May 2025	St Philip Syriac Association (QLD) Inc, Other Invited Guests	Feast Day Celebration for St Philip Syriac Event (Representing Premier and Minister Simpson)
29 May 2025	The Hon. Fiona Simpson MP, Minister for Women and Women's Economic Security, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Minister for Multiculturalism	Teleconference Meeting
30 May 2025	Study Queensland, Ministerial Staff, Other Invited Guests	Gold Coast Student Hub and roundtable meeting with Experience Gold Coast (Representing Minister Bates)

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