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Chair's foreword

This report details the activities of the Community Support and Services Committee from 13 February 2024 to 30 June 2024.

In accordance with section 108 of the *Parliament of Queensland Act 2001*, this report includes a summary of issues considered by the committee, a brief description of government responses to committee recommendations, a statement of revenue and spending for the reporting period, and a list of committee meetings and names of members attending or absent from each meeting.

On behalf of the committee, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who have contributed to the work of the committee during this reporting period.

I am especially thankful for the contributions from stakeholders to the committee's Inquiry into the provision and regulation of supported accommodation in Queensland, especially the residents in supported accommodation and the advocates who assisted them during the course of the Inquiry.

I also thank my fellow committee members for their ongoing dedication and collaborative approach and the committee's secretariat and parliamentary staff for their professional support throughout the year.



Adrian Tantari MP

Chair

Report summary

The Community Support and Services Committee was established by the Queensland Legislative Assembly on 13 February 2024 as a portfolio committee with responsibility for:

- Treaty, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships, Communities and the Arts
- Child Safety, Seniors and Disability Services, and Multicultural Affairs
- Tourism and Sport.¹

This report covers the period from 13 February 2024 to 30 June 2024.

In the reporting period, the committee:					
	examined		held		held
	7		8		5
	bills		public hearings		public briefings
					held
					2
					issues-based inquiries

In the reporting period, the committee’s examination of referred bills included proposals to:

- reform and recognise Queensland’s emergency services entities²
- amend gendered language to achieve operational improvements in criminal justice legislation to better recognise the rights of trans and gender diverse Queenslanders.³

Following its consideration, the committee recommended in all instances that the relevant bills be passed.

In addition to scrutinising legislation, the committee completed one issue-based Inquiry, into the provision and regulation of supported accommodation in Queensland, referred by the Legislative Assembly. The committee commenced another issue-based Inquiry, into prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism in outback Queensland.

For the reporting period, the committee’s total expenditure was \$168,914.

¹ From 13 February 2024, responsibility for the portfolio of Housing was transferred to another portfolio committee as a result of machinery of government changes.

² Emergency Services Reform Amendment Bill 2023; State Emergency Service Bill 2023; Marine Rescue Queensland Bill 2023.

³ Police Powers and Responsibilities and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024.

1 Functions of the committee

The Community Support and Services Committee is a portfolio committee responsible for:

- Treaty, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships, Communities and the Arts
- Child Safety, Seniors and Disability Services, and Multicultural Affairs
- Tourism and Sport.

The committee has a broad range of responsibilities within its portfolio area, as detailed in Figure 1, below. These responsibilities are set out in the *Parliament of Queensland Act 2001 (PoQA)*.⁴ The committee is also responsible for oversight of the *Family Responsibilities Commission (FRC)*, as detailed in Schedule 6 of the *Standing Rules and Orders of the Legislative Assembly*.

Figure 1: Committees are responsible for oversight of many matters within their portfolio areas



2 Overview of committee activities

During the reporting period, the committee undertook considerable engagement with stakeholders who made submissions to its inquiries. As detailed in Table 1, which summarises the activities of the committee for the period 13 February 2024 to 30 June 2024, the committee heard from 98 witnesses across 5 public briefings and 8 public hearings. The evidence gained during these activities greatly assisted the committee to be fully informed of the issues under inquiry.

The committee considered a series of bills, subordinate legislation and two referred inquiries during the period.

Members' attendance at committee meetings, hearings, briefings and forums is set out in **Appendix A** at the back of this report.

The committee's reports during the reporting period are available from the committee's webpage: www.parliament.qld.gov.au/CSSC.

⁴ *PoQA*, ss 92-94.

Table 1: Committee activities, by type, 13 February 2024 – 30 June 2024

Activity	Number
Committee meetings	15
Public briefings	5
Private briefings	1
Public hearings – Brisbane	5
Public hearings – regional Queensland	3
Private hearings	0
Witnesses questioned at private and public briefings and hearings	98
Site visits	9
Inquiry submissions received	17
Interactions with Schedule 6 oversight bodies ⁵	1
Bill inquiries	7 ⁶
Pieces of subordinate legislation examined	2
Forms authorised by legislation considered	1
Public account inquiries (including examination of portfolio budget estimates)	1
Annual reports of portfolio entities examined ⁷	1
Auditor-General reports examined	1
Inquiries referred by the Legislative Assembly	2 ⁸
Inquiries into other matters (self-referred)	0
Reports tabled	5

⁵ The Community Support and Services Committee has oversight of the Family Responsibilities Commission (FRC).

⁶ The committee completed 4 bill inquiries during the reporting period and commenced 3 bill inquiries. Refer to section 3 of this report.

⁷ FRC Annual Report 2022-2023, <https://www.frcq.org.au/resources/publications/annual-report-2022-23/>.

⁸ One on-going and one inquiry referred on 13 February 2024. Refer to section 4 of this report.

3 Bill inquiries

When it examines legislation, the committee is responsible for considering:

- the policy to which it gives effect
- whether it complies with basic standards for laws, known as fundamental legislative principles
- whether it is compatible with the human rights of people in Queensland
- whether subordinate legislation is lawful.

The committee completed 4 bill inquiries during the reporting period and commenced a further 3 bill inquiries. As shown in Table 2, the committee made a number of recommendations in relation to the bills it considered.

Table 2: Bills examined by the committee, 13 February 2024 – 30 June 2024

Bill	Report no.	Recommendations
Emergency Services Reform Amendment Bill 2023	40	1
State Emergency Service Bill 2023	41	1
Marine Rescue Queensland Bill 2023	42	2
Police Powers and Responsibilities and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024	43	3
Criminal Justice Legislation (Sexual Violence and Other Matters) Amendment Bill 2024	Inquiry ongoing as at 30 June 2024	
Child Safe Organisations Bill 2024	Inquiry ongoing as at 30 June 2024	
Disability Services (Restrictive Practices) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024	Inquiry ongoing as at 30 June 2024	

3.1 Emergency Services Reform Amendment Bill 2023 (Report 40)

On 28 November 2023, Hon Mark Ryan MP, Minister for Police and Corrective Services and Minister for Fire and Emergency Services introduced the Emergency Services Reform Amendment Bill 2023. At the same time, the Minister introduced the Marine Rescue Queensland Bill 2023 and the State Emergency Service Bill 2023 (the three Bills), as part of a suite of legislative reform (see below). All three Bills were referred to the committee for reporting by 15 March 2024.

The objectives of the Bill were to contribute to the reform of Queensland's emergency services and disaster management arrangements, by:

- establishing Marine Rescue Queensland (MRQ) as a state-wide marine rescue service (through the Marine Rescue Queensland Bill 2023)
- establishing the State Emergency Service (SES) (through the State Emergency Service Bill 2023)
- aligning MRQ and SES under the control of the Queensland Police Service (QPS) through the Bill, which will make the necessary administrative and consequential amendments for this to occur
- formally establishing the State Disaster Management Group (SDM group) within the Disaster Management Act.

The committee received a written briefing on the three Bills from Queensland Police Service. The committee held a public briefing for the three Bills with representatives of the QPS, the SES and MRQ on 12 February 2024. The committee received and accepted 20 submissions on the three Bills. The committee held a public hearing to hear from stakeholders in Brisbane on 4 March 2024.

The committee tabled its report on 15 March 2024 with one recommendation, that the Bill be passed.

This Bill was passed without amendment on 2 May 2024.

3.2 State Emergency Service Bill 2023 (Report 41)

As stated above, Hon Mark Ryan MP, Minister for Police and Corrective Services and Minister for Fire and Emergency Services introduced the State Emergency Service Bill 2023 as part of a suite of legislative reform.

The main objectives of the Bill were to:

- establish the SES
- acknowledge the importance of SES volunteers to the success and effectiveness of the SES by establishing a standalone Act to emphasise the value of the organisation
- promote volunteer engagement and provide a framework that outlines the purpose, functions and command structures of the organisation and the roles of its members.

The committee received a written briefing on the three Bills from Queensland Police Service. The committee held a public briefing for the three Bills with officers of the QPS, the SES and MRQ on 12 February 2024. The committee received and accepted 20 submissions on the three Bills. The committee held a public hearing to hear from stakeholders in Brisbane on 4 March 2024.

The committee tabled its report on 15 March 2024 with one recommendation, that the Bill be passed.

This Bill was passed without amendment on 2 May 2024.

3.3 Marine Rescue Queensland Bill 2023 (Report 42)

As stated above, Hon Mark Ryan MP, Minister for Police and Corrective Services and Minister for Fire and Emergency Services introduced the Marine Rescue Queensland Bill 2023 as part of a suite of legislative reform.

The main objectives of the Bill were to:

- establish MRQ
- acknowledge the importance of MRQ volunteers to the success and effectiveness of MRQ by establishing a standalone Act to emphasise the value of the organisation
- promote volunteer engagement and provide a framework that outlines the purpose, functions and command structures of the organisation and the roles of its members.

The committee received a written briefing on the three Bills from Queensland Police Service. The committee held a public briefing for the three Bills with representatives of the QPS, the SES and MRQ on 12 February 2024. The committee received and accepted 20 submissions on the three Bills. The committee held a public hearing to hear from stakeholders in Brisbane on 4 March 2024.

The committee tabled its report on the Bill on 15 March 2024, recommending that the Bill be passed. The committee made one other recommendation: that the QPS Reform Implementation Taskforce undertake public education to effectively engage and inform SES and MRQ volunteers about the reforms.

The Queensland Government supported this recommendation. The Bill was passed without amendment on 3 May 2024.

3.4 Police Powers and Responsibilities and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024 (Report 43)

On 21 March 2024 Hon Nikki Boyd MP, Minister for Fire and Disaster Recovery and Minister for Corrective Services introduced the Police Powers and Responsibilities and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024. The Bill was referred to the committee for examination and report.

The main objective of the Bill was to make the necessary amendments to a range of legislation to ensure that trans and gender diverse people receive the same protections as other Queenslanders in legislation without making specific reference to gendered language, unless absolutely necessary. The Bill, in making the necessary amendments, aimed to achieve operational improvements in legislation administered by the QPS, the Department of Justice and Attorney-General, and Queensland Health.

The Bill also sought to amend the *Corrective Services Act 2006*, in relation to prisoners reapplying for parole after being refused, and expanding the range of professionals who can make prisoner safety order decisions.

The committee received a written briefing on the Bill from the QPS on 5 April 2024. The committee received and accepted 13 submissions on the Bill. On 15 April 2024, the committee held a public briefing with the QPS, Queensland Corrective Services (QCS) and Queensland Health; and a public hearing on 29 April 2024 to hear from stakeholders.

The committee tabled its report on the Bill on 21 May 2024, recommending that the Bill be passed. The committee made 3 other recommendations including that the QPS conduct appropriate training of their officers and support staff as part of the implementation of the Bill, and that the Minister for Police and Community Safety provide further clarification of the circumstances in which it is not 'reasonably practicable' to accommodate a gender preference. The committee also encouraged QCS to address the current difficulties to recruit qualified psychologists with a proactive recruitment campaign.

The Queensland Government response supported the first two recommendations and provided support in-principle for the committee's recommendation in relation to QCS undertaking a recruitment campaign to employ more qualified psychologists.

The Bill was passed with amendment on 21 May 2024.

3.5 Criminal Justice Legislation (Sexual Violence and Other Matters) Amendment Bill 2024

On 21 May 2024, Hon Yvette D'Ath MP, Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence, introduced the Criminal Justice Legislation (Sexual Violence and Other Matters) Amendment Bill 2024 into the Queensland Parliament. The Bill was referred to the Community Support and Services Committee for detailed consideration.

The main objectives of the Bill were to:

- implement the Queensland Government's response to recommendations made by the Women's Safety and Justice Taskforce (Taskforce) relating to sexual violence and women and girls as accused persons and offenders
- establish a statutory review of amendments from the Taskforce's reports (*Hear her voice – Report One – Addressing coercive control and domestic and family violence in Queensland and Hear her voice – Report Two – Women and girls' experiences across the criminal justice system*) to consider whether the amendments are operating as intended and the impacts and outcomes achieved for women and girls
- clarify the law as it relates to the admissibility of recorded statements in particular committal proceedings relating to domestic violence offences.

The committee received a written briefing on the Bill from the Department of Justice and Attorney-General on 6 June 2024. The committee held a public briefing with department officials on 10 June 2024.

As at 30 June, the committee's examination of the Bill was on-going.

3.6 Child Safe Organisations Bill 2024

On 12 June 2024, Hon Charis Mullen MP, Minister for Child Safety, Minister for Seniors and Disability Services and Minister for Multicultural Affairs introduced the Child Safe Organisations Bill 2024 into the Queensland Parliament. The Bill was referred to the Community Support and Services Committee for detailed consideration.

The main objective of the Bill was to improve the safety and wellbeing of children in Queensland organisations and ensure children who are at risk of experiencing abuse or who have experienced abuse in institutional settings are supported early, in a trauma-informed, appropriate way.

As at 30 June, the committee's examination of the Bill was on-going.

3.7 Disability Services (Restrictive Practices) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

On 14 June 2024, Hon Charis Mullen MP, Minister for Child Safety, Minister for Seniors and Disability Services and Minister for Multicultural Affairs introduced the Disability Services (Restrictive Practices) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024 into the Queensland Parliament. The Bill was referred to the Community Support and Services Committee for detailed consideration.

The main policy objectives of the Bill were to:

- promote the reduction and elimination of the use of restrictive practices in relation to people with disability receiving National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) supports or services, or state disability services under the *Disability Services Act 2006*
- move toward greater national consistency in authorisation processes based on nationally consistent restrictive practices authorisation processes
- align Queensland's restrictive practices authorisation framework with the national NDIS (Restrictive Practices and Behaviour Support) Rules 2018
- expand the reportable deaths in care framework to reinstate coverage for persons who receive disability supports under the Commonwealth Government's Disability Support for Older Australians program.

As at 30 June, the committee's examination of the Bill was on-going.

4 Other inquiries

4.1 Referred inquiries

Section 92 of the PoQA provides that, in addition to performing a legislative scrutiny and general oversight role in relation to its primary areas of responsibility, a portfolio committee is responsible for dealing with any issue referred to it by the Legislative Assembly or under another Act.

During the reporting period, two issue-based inquiries were considered by the committee.

4.1.1 Inquiry into the provision and regulation of supported accommodation in Queensland

On 26 October 2023 the Legislative Assembly agreed to a motion that the Community Support and Services Committee inquire into and report on the provision and regulation of supported accommodation in Queensland.

The terms of reference called upon the Committee to consider:

1. residential services as defined under the *Residential Services (Accreditation) Act 2002* and other shared living arrangements, including but not limited to:
 - a. appropriateness of standards and their enforcement
 - b. provision of support services funded by the NDIS
 - c. provision of accommodation and support services to Queenslanders in this variety of settings, including if the current service delivery model by which level 3 residential services are provided is appropriate or alternative model/s that should be adopted and what role the NDIS should play in supporting these models
 - d. sustainability of proposed model/s, market constraints and potential impact on other government systems
 - e. resident wellbeing, including the differing needs of vulnerable population groups, and adequacy of current service delivery, quality and safeguards and oversight arrangements in place across all levels of government
 - f. the complex state and federal regulatory arrangements that apply
2. the Public Advocate's report '*Safe, secure and affordable*?: the need for an Inquiry into supported accommodation in Queensland, its two overarching and 29 detailed questions
3. the views of residents and former residents, with a formal role for two independent non-government organisations to support residents to contribute their views on their services and support
4. the Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability and the Independent Review of the NDIS reports as appropriate.

As part of the inquiry process the committee engaged with residents and other stakeholders across Queensland; conducted 14 site visits to residential services with the assistance of two independent advocacy groups; and held 2 public briefings and 4 public hearings (2 in Brisbane, one in Cairns and one in Townsville). The committee received 201 submissions, including 68 written by residents and 79 as audio submissions from residents, made with the assistance of the advocates.

The committee tabled its report on 7 June 2024.

The committee made 12 recommendations in relation to service delivery arrangements, standards of accommodation and care, improving transparency, and strengthening compliance.

As at 30 June 2024 the Queensland Government had not provided a response to the committee's recommendations.

4.1.2 Inquiry into prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism in Outback Queensland

On 13 February 2024, as a result of the Legislative Assembly amending Schedule 6 of the *Standing Rules and Orders of the Legislative Assembly*, the Inquiry into prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism in Outback Queensland was transferred from the former Economics and Governance Committee to the Community Support and Services Committee for detailed consideration.

The terms of reference for the Inquiry were that the committee inquire into and report to the Legislative Assembly on:

- recent developments and initiatives to build prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism in Queensland
- the value of prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism to the Outback Queensland economy
- challenges and opportunities for the further development of the industry into the future.

The committee held a public hearing in Quilpie on 27 May 2024 and conducted a site visit to the Eromanga Natural History Museum on 28 May 2024.

As at 30 June 2024, the Inquiry was on-going.

4.2 Auditor-General reports

The committee's role includes consideration of reports of the Auditor-General that fall within its portfolio.⁹ The Auditor-General leads the Queensland Audit Office (QAO), which is the independent auditor of the public sector. It reports to parliament on the results of its audit work, providing insights and advice, and recommendations for improvement.

4.2.1 Auditor-General's Report 12: 2022-23 – Growing Ecotourism in Queensland

In the reporting period, the committee considered one report from the Auditor-General, *Report 12: 2022-23 – Growing Ecotourism in Queensland* (the Report). The Report was transferred from the former Economics and Governance Committee as a result of the Legislative Assembly amending Schedule 6 of the *Standing Rules and Orders of the Legislative Assembly* on 13 February 2024.

The committee wrote to the Department of Environment, Science and Innovation, the Department of Premier and Cabinet and Tourism and Events Queensland on 21 March 2024, seeking an update on the progress of implementation of relevant recommendations made in the Report.

The committee held a public briefing on 15 April 2024 with the Auditor-General Brendan Worrall and staff from the Queensland Audit Office.

As at 30 June 2024, the Inquiry was on-going.

5 Monitoring and Oversight

The committee has responsibility under Standing Order 194A for oversight of the Family Responsibilities Commission (FRC)

The FRC is a statutory body conceived by Aboriginal Australians and driven by community members, whose purpose is to support community members to restore socially responsible standards of behaviour, local authority, and wellbeing.¹⁰

The committee's role is to:

- monitor and review the performance by the FRC of the FRC's functions
- report to the Legislative Assembly on any matter concerning the FRC, the FRC's functions or the performance of the FRC's functions that the committee considers should be drawn to the Legislative Assembly's attention
- examine the annual report of the FRC tabled in the Legislative Assembly and, if appropriate, to comment on any aspect of the report
- report to the Legislative Assembly any changes to the functions, structures and procedures of the FRC that the committee considers desirable for the more effective operation of the FRC or the *Family Responsibilities Commission Act 2008* (FRC Act).¹¹

⁹ PoQA, s 94(1).

¹⁰ Family Responsibilities Commission, <https://www.frc.org.au/>.

¹¹ Standing Order 194A.

5.1 Oversight Activities

During the reporting period, the committee considered the FRC's 2022-23 annual report, which was tabled on 1 March 2024. Following its consideration of that report, and to assist the committee with its oversight of the functions of the FRC, the committee held a public briefing with the Family Responsibilities Commissioner, Tammy Williams and other FRC staff, on 18 April 2024. Topics covered during the briefing included: the FRC's annual report, the appointment of local commissioners, youth justice court notices, school attendance, volunteer referrals to services providers, and the *Thriving Communities* program.¹²

6 Consideration of matters within the portfolio

In relation to the committee's portfolio area, the committee may consider a matter, report on the matter, and make recommendations to the Legislative Assembly.¹³

In the reporting period, the committee did not consider any matters within the portfolio that were not referred to the committee by the Legislative Assembly.

7 Scrutiny of subordinate legislation

Subordinate legislation is legislation made by a department or other entity under powers given to them by an act of parliament. All subordinate legislation must be tabled in the Legislative Assembly, which can disallow it by resolution.¹⁴ To help it decide whether or not to do so, the Legislative Assembly refers each item of subordinate legislation to the relevant portfolio committee for consideration.

When examining subordinate legislation, each committee considers a range of matters, including:

- whether it has sufficient regard for basic standards for legislation, known as 'fundamental legislative principles'
- whether it is consistent with the human rights of people in Queensland
- whether the explanatory notes provide an adequate explanation of why the subordinate legislation is needed and what it does.

During the reporting period, the committee examined 2 pieces of subordinate legislation in accordance with its responsibility under section 93(1) of the PoQA.

As at 30 June 2024, the committee's examination of this subordinate legislation was on-going.

¹² Community Support and Services Committee, Oversight of the Family Responsibilities Commission, public briefing transcript, Brisbane, 18 April 2024.

¹³ PoQA, s 92.

¹⁴ *Statutory Instruments Act 1992*, ss 49 & 50.

8 Consideration of forms authorised by legislation

The committee’s responsibilities include monitoring the operation of s 48 of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1954* in relation to legislation within its portfolio area. That section sets out a number of requirements for forms, including how forms must be notified and made available to the public.

During the reporting period, the committee considered one form within its portfolio area and notified in the *Queensland Government Gazette*. The form is listed in Table 5 below. The committee did not identify any issues of concern regarding this form.

Table 5: Forms authorised by legislation examined, 13 February 2024 – 30 June 2024.

Form No.	Version	Form heading	Authorising law
31	1	Application for adoption information: Adult relative of a birth parent who is deceased or does not have capacity. Adopted person is currently a child.	<i>Adoption Act 2009</i>

9 Committee expenditure

Committees are funded from the appropriation made to the Legislative Assembly and rarely generate revenue. After funding is allocated for the committee office as a whole, expenditure by individual committees is determined by their specific requirements and volume of work. Travel expenditure is subject to an additional approval process.

In the reporting period, the committee’s total expenditure was \$168,914. The committee did not receive any revenue.

Figure 2 below shows the three main areas of expenditure. As that figure illustrates, salaries for the secretariat staff that support the committee comprised the vast majority (just over 90 per cent) of the committee’s expenditure. The committee’s secretariat is a three-person team, supplemented with additional resources from across the Committee Office as needed throughout the year. After staffing expenses, committee travel was the most notable area of expenditure for the committee.

Figure 2: Main areas of committee expenditure, February to June 2024

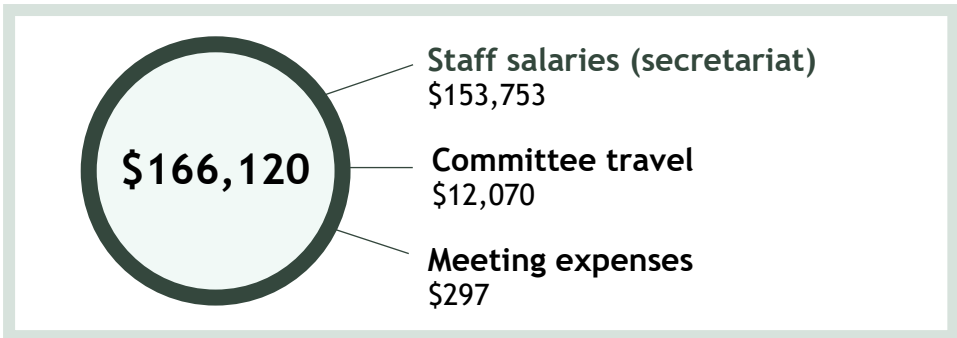


Table 6: Expenditure of the committee, 13 February – 30 June 2024

Item	\$
Employee expenses	153,753
Meeting expenses (broadcast support & catering)	297
Technology (software licences, telephones, teleconferencing & videoconferencing)	2,154
Legal advice	0
Printing and supplies	640
Committee travel (including business travel)	12,070
Total expenditure	168,914

Table 7: Travel budget expenditure, 13 February 2024 – 30 June 2024

The committee undertook travel in respect to the Inquiry into prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism in Outback Queensland. This travel comprised the majority of committee travel expenditure for the period.¹⁵

Inquiry into prehistoric, dinosaur and paleo tourism in Outback Queensland

Destination	Date/s of travel	Type of visit	# of MPs travelling	Approval expenditure	Actual expenditure
Quilpie	27 May 2024	Public hearing	4	\$13,773	\$9,663
Eromanga	28 May 2024	Site visit			

¹⁵ Committee travel expenditure for the Inquiry into the provision and regulation of supported accommodation in Queensland was accounted for prior to 13 February 2024.

Appendix A: Meeting attendance record

Table 7 below shows the attendance of committee members at private committee meetings (PrM), public briefings (PB), private briefings (PrB), public hearings (PH) and private hearings (PrH) during the reporting period.

Standing Order 202(1) provides that in the case of a committee members' illness or inability to attend, another member may be appointed to attend that meeting or stand in for a particular inquiry. The details of these appointments are included in the footnotes.

Table 7: Meeting attendance record, 13 February 2024 – 30 June 2024.

Meeting Date	Activity	Adrian Tantari MP Chair	Stephen Bennett MP Deputy Chair	Michael Berkman MP	Cynthia Lui MP	Robert Skelton MP	Dr Mark Robinson MP
15-Feb-24 ¹⁶	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
19-Feb-24	PH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
20-Feb-24	PH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
23-Feb-24	PH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
29-Feb-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4-Mar-24 ¹⁷	PrM	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4-Mar-24	PH	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4-Mar-24	PH	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4-Mar-24	PH	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
11-Mar-24 ¹⁸	PrM	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓
18-Mar-24 ¹⁹	PrM	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
26-Mar-24 ²⁰	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓
15-Apr-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

¹⁶ Mr Michael Crandon MP substituted for Dr Mark Robinson MP.

¹⁷ Hon Stirling Hinchliffe MP substituted for Mr Adrian Tantari MP for all committee activities on 4 March 2024.

¹⁸ Mr Linus Power MP substituted for Mr Adrian Tantari MP.

¹⁹ Hon Stirling Hinchliffe MP substituted for Mr Adrian Tantari MP.

²⁰ Hon Craig Crawford MP substituted for Ms Cynthia Lui MP.

Meeting Date	Activity	Adrian Tantari MP Chair	Stephen Bennett MP Deputy Chair	Michael Berkman MP	Cynthia Lui MP	Robert Skelton MP	Dr Mark Robinson MP
15-Apr-24	PB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
15-Apr-24	PB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
18-Apr-24	PB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
23-Apr-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
29-Apr-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
29-Apr-24	PH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
29-Apr-24	PB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
29-Apr-24	PrB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
7-May-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
20-May-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
27-May-24 ²¹	PH	✓	✓	✗	✗	✓	✗
30-May-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓
4-Jun-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10-Jun-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10-Jun-24	PB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
18-Jun-24	PrM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Legend: PrM private meeting
PB public briefing
PrB private briefing
PH public hearing
PrH private hearing

²¹ Subcommittee for committee travel and public hearing 27-28 May 2024 – Mr Adrian Tantari MP, Mr Stephen Bennett MP, Mr Robert Skelton MP, Mr Michael Crandon MP (apology – not in attendance).