

Ministers of State (Notification of Appointment and Direction) Instrument 2024

I, Gerard Martin PSM, Official Secretary to the Governor‑General, make the following instrument.

Dated 12/08/2024

[SIGNED]  
Gerard Martin PSM

Official Secretary to the Governor‑General

1  Name

This instrument is the *Ministers of State (Notification of Appointment and Direction) Instrument 2024*.

2  Commencement

(1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

| Commencement information | | |
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| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 |
| Provisions | Commencement | Date/Details |
| 1.  The whole of this instrument | The day after this instrument is registered. |  |

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

(2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3  Authority

This instrument is made under sections 6 and 6A of the *Ministers of State Act 1952*.

4  Definitions

In this instrument:

***Department*** means a department of State of the Commonwealth.

5 Notification of revocation of appointment made on 29 July 2024

On 29 July 2024, the Governor‑General, under sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, revoked the appointment of the person mentioned in column 1 of a row of the following table:

(a) to hold the office or offices mentioned in column 2 of the row; and

(b) to administer the Department or Departments mentioned in column 3 of the row.

Note: Parliamentary Secretaries are also known as Assistant Ministers.

| Revocation of appointment | |  | |
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| Column 1  Name | Column 2  Office(s) | | Column 3  **Department(s)** |
| Linda Jean Burney | Minister for Indigenous Australians | | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet |
| Julie Maree Collins | Minister for Housing  Minister for Homelessness  Minister for Small Business | | Department of Social Services  Department of the Treasury |
| Anthony Stephen Burke | Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations  Minister for the Arts | | Department of Employment and Workplace Relations  Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts |
| Brendan Patrick O’Connor | Minister for Skills and Training | | Department of Employment and Workplace Relations |
| Murray Patrick Watt | Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry  Minister of Emergency Management | | Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry  Department of Home Affairs |
| Clare Ellen O’Neil | Minister for Home Affairs  Minister for Cyber Security | | Department of Home Affairs  Department of Defence |
| Patrick Martin Conroy | Minister for Defence Industry  Minister for International Development and the Pacific | | Department of Defence  Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade |
| Andrew James Giles | Minister for Immigration, Citizenship and Multicultural Affairs | | Department of Home Affairs |
| Patrick Possum Gorman | Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for the Public Service | | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet |
| Malarndirri Barbara Anne McCarthy | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Indigenous Australian  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Aged Care | | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet  Department of Health and Aged Care |
| Timothy Ayres | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Trade and Tourism  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry and Science | | Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade  Department of Industry, Science and Research |
| Matthew James Thistlethwaite | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Defence  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Veterans’ Affairs  Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney-General | | Department of Defence  Department of Veterans’ Affairs  Attorney-General’s Department |
| Anthony David Chisholm | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Education  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government | | Department of Education  Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts |
| Gerardine Mary Kearney | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Aged Care | | Department of Health and Aged Care |
| Jennifer Ryll McAllister | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Climate Change and Energy | | Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water |
| Carol Louise Brown | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government | | Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts |

6 Other action taken on 29 July 2024

(1) On 29 July 2024, the Governor‑General chose, summoned and swore, under section 62 of the Constitution, each of the following as a member of the Federal Executive Council:

(a) the Honourable Joshua Hamilton Wilson MP;

(b) the Honourable Kate Lynne Thwaites MP;

(c) the Honourable Julian Christopher Hill MP.

Note: The other persons mentioned in column 1 of a row of the table in subsection (2) have previously been chosen, summoned and sworn as members of the Federal Executive Council.

(2) On 29 July 2024, the Governor‑General:

(a) directed, under section 65 of the Constitution, that the person mentioned in column 1 of a row of the following table holds the office or offices mentioned in column 2 of the row; and

(b) appointed, under section 64 of the Constitution, that person to administer the Department or Departments mentioned in column 3 of the row.

Note: Parliamentary Secretaries are also known as Assistant Ministers.

| Directions and appointments | | |
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| Column 1  Name | Column 2  Office(s) | Column 3  Department(s) |
| Anthony Stephen Burke | Minister for Home Affairs  Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs  Minister for Cyber Security  Minister for the Arts | Department of Home Affairs  Department of Defence  Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts |
| Julie Maree Collins | Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry  Minister for Small Business | Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry  Department of the Treasury |
| Murray Patrick Watt | Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations | Department of Employment and Workplace Relations |
| Clare Ellen O’Neil | Minister for Housing  Minister for Homelessness | Department of Social Services  Department of the Treasury |
| Malarndirri Barbara Anne McCarthy | Minister for Indigenous Australians | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet |
| Patrick Martin Conroy | Minister for Defence Industry and Capability Delivery  Minister for International Development and the Pacific | Department of Defence  Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade |
| Andrew James Giles | Minister for Skills and Training | Department of Employment and Workplace Relations |
| Jennifer Ryll McAllister | Minister for Cities  Minister for Emergency Management | Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts  Department of Home Affairs |
| Matthew James Thistlethwaite | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs | Department of Home Affairs |
| Patrick Possum Gorman | Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for the Public Service  Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney-General | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet  Attorney-General’s Department |
| Gerardine Mary Kearney | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Aged Care | Department of Health and Aged Care |
| Timothy Ayres | Parliamentary Minister to the Prime Minister  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Trade and Tourism | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade |
| Anthony David Chisholm | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Education  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry | Department of Education  Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts  Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry |
| Kate Lynne Thwaites | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Social Services  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Aged Care  Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Women | Department of Social Services  Department of Health and Aged Care  Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet |
| Joshua Hamilton Wilson | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Climate Change and Energy | Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water |
| Julian Christopher Hill | Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Immigration and Multicultural Affairs | Department of Home Affairs |

7 Copies of instruments made on 29 July 2024

This section sets out copies of the instruments made by the Governor‑General on 29 July 2024.

Note: The original instruments can be viewed on the website of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (https://www.pmc.gov.au).

**REVOCATION OF APPOINTMENTS OF MINISTERS OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby revoke the appointments of:

1. LINDA JEAN BURNEY to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET and to hold the office of MINISTER FOR INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIANS
2. JULIE MAREE COLLINS to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES and THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY and to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR HOUSING and MINISTER FOR HOMELESSNESS and MINISTER FOR SMALL BUSINESS
3. ANTHONY STEPHEN BURKE to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS and THE DEPARTMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS and THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS and to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS and MINISTER FOR THE ARTS
4. BRENDAN PATRICK O’CONNOR to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS and to hold the office of MINISTER FOR SKILLS AND TRAINING
5. MURRAY PATRICK WATT to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY and THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS and to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY and MINISTER FOR EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
6. CLARE ELLEN O’NEIL to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS and THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE and to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS and MINISTER FOR CYBER SECURITY
7. PATRICK MARTIN CONROY to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE and THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE and to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR DEFENCE INDUSTRY and MINISTER FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE PACIFIC
8. ANDREW JAMES GILES to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS and to hold the office of MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION, CITIZENSHIP AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS
9. PATRICK POSSUM GORMAN to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET and to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE PRIME MINISTER and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE
10. MALARNDIRRI BARBARA ANNE MCCARTHY to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET and THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGED CARE and to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIANS and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AGED CARE
11. TIMOTHY AYRES to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS and THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND RESEARCH and to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR TRADE AND TOURISM and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND SCIENCE
12. MATTHEW JAMES THISTLETHWAITE to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE and THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS’ AFFAIRS and THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL’S DEPARTMENT and to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR VETERANS’ AFFAIRS and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL
13. ANTHONY DAVID CHISHOLM to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION and THE DEPARTMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS and to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
14. GERARDINE MARY KEARNEY to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGED CARE and to hold the office of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AGED CARE
15. JENNIFER RYLL MCALLISTER to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE, ENERGY, THE ENVIRONMENT AND WATER and to hold the office of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENERGY
16. CAROL LOUISE BROWN to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS and to hold the office of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Given under my hand on 29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**Executive Council Member**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 62 of the Constitution, hereby notify that I have chosen, summoned and sworn THE HON KATE LYNNE THWAITES MP as a member of the Federal Executive Council.

DATED 29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

**Executive Council Member**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 62 of the Constitution, hereby notify that I have chosen, summoned and sworn THE HON JOSHUA HAMILTON WILSON MP as a member of the Federal Executive Council.

DATED 29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

**Executive Council Member**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 62 of the Constitution, hereby notify that I have chosen, summoned and sworn THE HON JULIAN CHRISTOPHER HILL MP as a member of the Federal Executive Council.

DATED 29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint ANTHONY STEPHEN BURKE, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS and MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS and MINISTER FOR CYBER SECURITY and MINISTER FOR THE ARTS and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS and THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE and THE DEPARTMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint JULIE MAREE COLLINS, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY and MINISTER FOR SMALL BUSINESS and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY and THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint MURRAY PATRICK WATT, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the office of MINISTER FOR EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint CLARE ELLEN O'NEIL, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR HOUSING and MINISTER FOR HOMELESSNESS and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES and the DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint MALARNDIRRI BARBARA ANNE MCCARTHY, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the office of MINISTER FOR INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIANS and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint PATRICK MARTIN CONROY, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR DEFENCE INDUSTRY AND CAPABILITY DELIVERY and MINISTER FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND THE PACIFIC and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE and THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint ANDREW JAMES GILES, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the office of MINISTER FOR SKILLS AND TRAINING and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER OF STATE**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to sections 64 and 65 of the Constitution, hereby direct and appoint JENNIFER RYLL MCALLISTER, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to hold the offices of MINISTER FOR CITIES and MINISTER FOR EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT and to administer THE DEPARTMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS and THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.

Signed and sealed with the   
Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint MATTHEW JAMES THISTLETHWAITE, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct MATTHEW JAMES THISTLETHWAITE to hold the office of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on 29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint PATRICK POSSUM GORMAN, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET and THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct PATRICK POSSUM GORMAN to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE PRIME MINISTER and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint GERARDINE MARY KEARNEY, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGED CARE.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct GERARDINE MARY KEARNEY to hold the office of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AGED CARE.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint TIMOTHY AYRES, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET and THE DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct TIMOTHY AYRES to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE PRIME MINISTER and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR TRADE AND TOURISM.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint ANTHONY DAVID CHISHOLM, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION and THE DEPARTMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE ARTS and THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct ANTHONY DAVID CHISHOLM to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR INFRASTRUCTURE, TRANSPORT, REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FORESTRY.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint KATE LYNNE THWAITES, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES and THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND AGED CARE and THE DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct KATE LYNNE THWAITES to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR SOCIAL SERVICES and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AGED CARE and PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR WOMEN.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint JOSHUA HAMILTON WILSON, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE, ENERGY, THE ENVIRONMENT AND WATER.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct JOSHUA HAMILTON WILSON to hold the office of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENERGY.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister

**APPOINTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY**

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I, SAM MOSTYN AC, Governor‑General of the Commonwealth of Australia, pursuant to section 64 of the Constitution, hereby appoint JULIAN CHRISTOPHER HILL, a member of the Federal Executive Council, to THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.

Pursuant to section 65 of the Constitution, I direct JULIAN CHRISTOPHER HILL to hold the offices of PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS.

Signed and sealed with the Great Seal of Australia on   
29 July 2024

[SIGNED]

Governor-General

By Her Excellency's Command

[SIGNED]

Anthony Albanese

Prime Minister