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The Hon Catherine King MP

**Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government
Member for Ballarat**

Ref: MS25-002497

Senator the Hon Sue Lines
President of the Senate
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear President

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SENATE ORDER 15 – APPOINTMENTS AND VACANCIES

Pursuant to the Order of the Senate made on 24 June 2008, please find attached for tabling the Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications, Sport and the Arts portfolio report relating to appointments made by the Australian Government and existing portfolio vacancies.

This report covers the period from 8 March to 7 September 2025.

Yours sincerely

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Catherine King MP

30 / 9 /2025



Australian Government

Department of Infrastructure, Transport,
Regional Development, Communications, Sport and the Arts

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Senate Order 15: Appointments and vacancies

Government appointments for the period 8 March 2025 to 7 September 2025.

Appointee	Position	Start Date	End Date	Remuneration	State/Territory of residence
Airservices Australia					
Ms Anne Brown	Chair	25/07/2025	27/07/2028	\$188,350 per annum	NSW
Australia Council Board					
Professor Wesley Enoch AM	Chair	15/07/2025	14/07/2029	\$69,080 per annum	QLD
Ms Rosheen Garnon	Acting Deputy Chair	14/07/2025	14/10/2025	\$51,820 per annum	NSW
Ms Rosheen Garnon	Deputy Chair	1/09/2025	31/08/2029	\$51,820 per annum	NSW
Ms Caroline Wood AM	Member	1/09/2025	31/08/2029	\$38,010 per annum	WA
Ms Hannah Pelka-Caven	Member	30/07/2025	29/07/2029	\$38,010 per annum	VIC
Australian National Maritime Museum Council					
The Hon Hieu Van Le AC	Acting Chair	03/07/2025	23/07/2025	\$50,240 per annum	SA
The Hon Hieu Van Le AC	Chair	23/07/2025	22/07/2028	\$50,240 per annum	SA
Australian Sports Drug Medical Advisory Board					
Dr Larissa Trease	Member	22/08/2025	21/08/2029	\$29,030 per annum	ACT
Dr Carolyn Broderick	Member	22/08/2025	21/08/2029	\$29,030 per annum	NSW
Dr Laura Lallenc	Member	22/08/2025	21/08/2029	\$995 per diem	VIC
Brisbane Airport Community Airspace Advisory Board					
Ms Kim Jordan	Chair	26/08/2025	26/08/2027	\$20,000 per annum	VIC
Bundanon Trust					
Ms Elizabeth Pakchung	Member	1/04/2025	31/03/2028	\$24,540 per annum	NSW
Mr Philip Bacon AO	Member	8/04/2025	7/04/2028	\$24,540 per annum	QLD
Professor William Gammage AM FASSA	Member	14/03/2025	13/03/2028	\$24,540 per annum	ACT
Freight Industry Reference Panel					
Mr Michael Byrne	Member	10/07/2025	10/09/2025	\$712 per diem	NSW
Ms Sophie Finemore	Member	10/07/2025	10/09/2025	\$712 per diem	VIC
Mr Paul Ryan	Member	10/07/2025	10/09/2025	\$712 per diem	VIC
Ms Heather Bone	Chair	10/07/2025	10/09/2025	\$890 per diem	QLD
Music Australia Council					
Mr Josh Pyke	Member	24/08/2025	23/08/2027	\$25,130 per annum	NSW

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Ms Danielle Caruana	Member	24/08/2025	23/08/2027	\$25,130 per annum	WA
Ms Leah Flanagan	Member	24/08/2025	23/08/2027	\$25,130 per annum	NT
Dr Sophie Payten	Member	24/08/2025	23/08/2027	\$25,130 per annum	VIC
National Archives of Australia Advisory Council					
Ms Amanda Heyworth	Chair	1/08/2025	31/07/2028	\$883 per diem	SA
Mr Gary Quinlan AO FAIA	Member	28/08/2025	27/08/2028	\$795 per diem	ACT
Ms Rachel Connors	Member	5/05/2025	4/05/2028	\$795 per diem	QLD
Dr Wendy Southern PSM	Member	28/03/2025	27/03/2028	\$795 per diem	ACT
National Broadband Network Company Limited					
Mr Kevin Russell	Chair	1/04/2025	31/03/2028	\$251,000 per annum	NSW
Ms Jules Scarlett	Non-Executive Director	19/03/2025	18/03/2028	\$125,570 per annum	TAS
Mr Chum Darvall AM	Non-Executive Director	19/03/2025	18/03/2028	\$125,570 per annum	NSW
National Capital Authority					
Mr Terry Weber	Chair	13/06/2025	12/06/2026	\$69,080 per annum	ACT
National Gallery of Australia Council					
Mr Matt Heine	Member	23/07/2025	22/07/2025	\$29,150 per annum	VIC
National Museum of Australia Council					
Mr Amit Singh	Member	24/07/2025	23/07/2028	\$25,130 per annum	VIC
National Portrait Gallery of Australia Board					
Ms Marikit Santiago	Member	08/07/2025	07/07/2028	\$24,540 per annum	NSW
National Library of Australia Council					
Ms Tanya Hosch	Member	07/08/2025	06/08/2028	\$25,130 per annum	SA
Regional Development Australia Adelaide Hills, Fleurieu and Kangaroo Island					
Ms Victoria MacKirdy	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Mr Peter Buik	Deputy Chair	30/07/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Regional Development Australia Adelaide Metropolitan					
Ms Jan Turbill	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Regional Development Australia Barossa Gawler Light Adelaide Plains					
Mr Rolf Binder	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Regional Development Australia Barwon South West					
Mr Alistair McCosh	Deputy Chair	5/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Regional Development Australia Central and Western Queensland					
Mr John Anderson	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Brisbane					
Mr Kieren Dell	Chair	1/07/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Central Coast					
Mrs Gail Cottrill	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Central West					
Mrs Ruth Fagan	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Darling Downs and South West					
Mr Rouz Fard	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD

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Regional Development Australia Eyre Peninsula					
Mrs Susan Chase	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Mr Travis Barber	Deputy Chair	5/08/2025	31/12/2028	Nil	SA
Regional Development Australia Far West					
Mr Byron Hooker	Chair	7/07/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Gippsland					
Mr Alex Aeschlimann	Deputy Chair	5/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Regional Development Australia Gold Coast					
Mr Nicholas Scott	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Goldfields Esperance					
Mr David (Ross) MacCulloch	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Grampians					
Mr Michael Tudball	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Ms Jessica Kelly	Deputy Chair	5/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Regional Development Australia Great Southern					
Mr Alex Ogg	Deputy Chair	5/08/2025	31/12/2026	Nil	WA
Ms Liz Guidera	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Hume					
Mr Brett Luxford	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Ms Linda Nieuwenhuizen	Deputy Chair	5/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Regional Development Australia Hunter					
Mr Ian Pedersen	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Illawarra Shoalhaven					
Mr Adam Zarth	Chair	8/07/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Ipswich and West Moreton					
Cr Nicole Jonic	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Ms Katey Banks	Deputy Chair	11/08/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Kimberley					
Mr Garry Waldron	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Limestone Coast					
Ms Robyn Verrall	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Regional Development Australia Loddon Mallee					
Mrs Leonie Burrows OAM	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Ms Margaret O'Rourke	Deputy Chair	5/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Regional Development Australia Logan and Redlands					
Mr Miguel Diaz	Chair	8/07/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Melbourne					

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Mr Stephen Kozlowski	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Ms Tess Barling	Deputy Chair	5/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	VIC
Regional Development Australia Mid North Coast					
Mrs Louise McMeeking	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Mr James McTavish	Deputy Chair	1/07/2025	30/06/2030	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Mid West and Gascoyne					
Mr Michael May	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Murray					
Mrs Kylie King	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Murraylands and Riverland					
Ms Jodie Hawkes	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Regional Development Australia Northern Inland					
Mr Russell Stewart	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Mr James Pryor	Deputy Chair	1/09/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Northern Rivers					
Dr Susan Vinnicombe	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Ms Carolyn Parker	Deputy Chair	1/07/2025	30/06/2028	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Northern Territory					
The Hon Konstantine Vatskalis JP	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NT
Regional Development Australia Orana					
Mr Bradley Cam	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Peel					
Mr John Erren	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Perth					
Mr Travis Burrows	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Pilbara					
Mrs Nerida Kickett	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Mr Ryley Heap	Deputy Chair	1/07/2025	30/06/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Riverina					
Ms Dianna Somerville	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia South West					
Mr Scott Robinson	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Ms Catrin Allsop	Deputy Chair	1/07/2025	30/06/2028	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Sydney					
Ms Anna Guillan AM	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	NSW
Regional Development Australia Tasmania					
Prof Susan Kilpatrick	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	TAS

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Mr James Riggall	Deputy Chair	1/07/2025	30/06/2028	Nil	TAS
Regional Development Australia Townsville and North-West Queensland					
Mrs Debra Burden	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Tropical North					
Prof Hurriyet Babacan AM	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Wheatbelt					
Ms Karen Oborn	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	WA
Regional Development Australia Wide Bay Burnett					
Cr William Trevor OAM	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	QLD
Regional Development Australia Yorke and Mid North					
Mr William Vandeppeer	Chair	1/04/2025	31/12/2027	Nil	SA
Regional Precincts and Partnerships Program					
Cr Darriea Turley AM	Co-Chair	28/08/2025	30/06/2027	\$616 per diem	NSW
Professor Fiona Haslam McKenzie	Member	28/08/2025	30/06/2027	\$464 per diem	WA
Cr Kylie King	Member	28/08/2025	30/06/2027	\$464 per diem	NSW
Mr James McKee	Member	28/08/2025	30/06/2027	\$464 per diem	TAS
Professor Barbara Norman	Co-Chair	28/08/2025	30/06/2027	\$616 per diem	ACT
Mr Rouz Fard	Member	28/08/2025	30/06/2027	\$464 per diem	QLD
Writing Australia Council					
Ms Rachel Bin Salleh	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2029	\$25,130 per annum	WA
Dr Tim Jarvis	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2029	\$25,130 per annum	TAS
Mr Thomas Murphy	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2027	\$25,130 per annum	NSW
Ms Julie Pinkham	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2029	\$25,130 per annum	VIC
Ms Claire Pullen	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2027	\$25,130 per annum	NSW
Ms Sally Rippin	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2027	\$25,130 per annum	VIC
Professor Sarah Holland-Batt	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2027	\$25,130 per annum	QLD
Mr Christos Tsiolkas	Member	1/07/2025	30/06/2027	\$25,130 per annum	VIC
WSA Co Limited					
Mr Paul O'Sullivan	Chair	7/08/2025	6/08/2027	\$188,350 per annum	NSW

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Vacancies remaining to be filled in the Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications, Sport and the Arts portfolio at 7 September 2025.

Board	Position name
Airservices Australia	Deputy Chair x1; Member x1
Australia Post	Non-Executive Director x1
Australian Broadcasting Corporation	Deputy Chair x1; Non-Executive Director x1
Australian Maritime Safety Authority	Member x1
Australian National Maritime Museum Council	Member x2
Canberra National Memorials Committee	Member x1
Classification	Member x2
Classification Review	Member x2
First Nations Digital Inclusion Advisory Group	Member x4
Freight Industry Reference Panel	Member x2
International Air Services Commission	Member x1
National Archives of Australia Advisory Council	Deputy Chair x1
National Broadband Network Company Limited	Non-Executive Director x1
National Capital Authority	Member x2
National Cultural Heritage Committee	Member x1
National Film and Sound Archive of Australia	Member x1
National Intermodal Corporation Limited	Non-Executive Director x2
National Library of Australia Council	Member (Senate) x1; Member x3
National Museum of Australia Council	Member x1
National Portrait Gallery of Australia	Member x1
National Transport Commission	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Brisbane	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Central Coast	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Far West	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Gold Coast	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Goldfields Esperance	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Kimberley	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Logan and Redlands	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Mid-West and Gascoyne	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Northern Territory	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Peel	Deputy Chair x1
Regional Development Australia Perth	Deputy Chair x1
Special Broadcasting Service	Chair x1
Sport Integrity Australia Advisory Council	Chair x1; Member x3
Urban Precincts and Partnerships Program	Chair x1; Member x3

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