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**From:** Johannes, Greg (DPaC)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 20 December 2016 1:14 PM  
**To:** 'Yeaman, Luke'  
**Subject:** RE: JCTEC Follow up [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi Luke

Thanks for the email.

We've put together two-pagers on each of the areas where we believe there might be an opportunity for JCTEC to focus its attention, following a meeting across all relevant agencies to discuss. These two-pagers are really drafts for officials though – we haven't shared the documents with the Executive.

I'd be happy for my Deputy Secretary of Policy to join in a meeting with your team and the team from Treasury either by video-conference or in person to discuss the papers and your work on structure and governance, and I know having spoken to the lead DepSec in Treasury on this issue (which whom we work very closely) he'd also be keen to participate.

Cheers

Greg

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**From:** Yeaman, Luke [<mailto:Luke.Yeaman@pmc.gov.au>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 20 December 2016 11:31 AM  
**To:** Johannes, Greg (DPaC)  
**Cc:** (Treasury); (Treasury); 1@treasury.gov.au;  
**Subject:** JCTEC Follow up [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

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Hi Greg,

You may remember that we briefly discussed the future of JCTEC in the margins of a recent SOM meeting. At the time, I believe your team were working on fleshing out some of the policy ideas that could fall under the broad themes put forward by your Premier and I indicated we had been giving thought to the structure and governance of the forum.

I understand that our Treasury officials have been in conversation on this issue, but I am conscious that we need to be in a position to provide guidance to our Ministers and the business members reasonably early in the New Year. Therefore, I would be keen to arrange a meeting to discuss our respective thinking with the relevant people across both our Premiers and Treasury Departments (I have copied in \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ from our Treasury).

Can you please let me know whether you will be in a position to share/discuss some of your thinking around mid-January — we would be happy to come down to Tasmania if that's easier or we could arrange a video-conference.

Regards,  
Luke.

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**Subject:** RE: Possible JCTEC Next Steps [REDACTED]

FYI a copy of the signed letters to business members.

**From:** ( [redacted]@pm.gov.au)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 24 January 2017 3:39 PM  
**To:** [redacted] (DPaC)  
**Subject:** FW: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

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Hi

I have been speaking with her about the JCTEC event in March that we are trying to coordinate with your office – see trail below. We were actually wondering if it might suit your office, and the Premier, to do the Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March?!

Thanks

**From:** [redacted]  
**Sent:** Friday, 20 January 2017 4:20 PM  
**To:** [redacted] @dpac.tas.gov.au'  
**Subject:** RE: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

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Hi again

Thanks for your time on the phone earlier.

I was just wondering if perhaps we could explore the morning of the 6<sup>th</sup> around 11am?

? I think you said it started

Thanks

**From:** [redacted]  
**Sent:** Friday, 20 January 2017 12:02 PM  
**To:** [redacted] @dpac.tas.gov.au'  
**Subject:** JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

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I was just wondering if you are the best person to speak to about the pencilled in dates we had for the Joint Commonwealth and Tasmania Economic Council this year in March?

We had offered the 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of March, but were wondering if the Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> might suit you better as these are Parliament sitting dates? Or even Monday 6<sup>th</sup>?

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I (DPaC)  
From: DPaC  
Sent: Monday, 30 January 2017 9:20 AM  
To:  
Cc: (DPaC); (DPaC)  
Subject: RE: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi

Confirming the Premier is available 10.30am to 12.30am on Friday 10 March 2017 for JCTEC. I have updated the Premier's diary accordingly.

Kind regards

Office of the Premier, the Hon Will Hodgman MP

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From: (DPaC)  
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Cc: (DPaC); (DPaC)  
Subject: RE: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi,

As discussed, to enable preliminary planning to commence, I have added this as a placeholder in the Premier's diary for Friday 10 March 2017 from 11.30am to 1.00pm.

I look forward to receiving your final confirmation that this timing is suitable.

Kind regards

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From: (DPaC)  
Sent: Tuesday, 31 January 2017 3:09 PM  
To:  
Subject: RE: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi

I just wanted to touch base and confirm this meeting is in the Premier's diary for Friday 10 March 10:30am-12:30pm. I look forward to receiving confirmation on venue and a copy of the proposed agenda etc. when available.

Kind regards

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From: (DPaC)  
Sent: Tuesday, 21 February 2017 5:08 PM  
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Subject: RE: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi

Thanks for the update. That works for the Premier, I'll move this to Thur. 20 April and await final confirmation/venue etc.

Kind regards

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Sent: Tuesday, 21 February 2017 4:57 PM  
To: (DPaC)  
Subject: RE: JCTEC Dates [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

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Hi

Just confirming following discussions between [redacted] and [redacted] that we would like to move JCTEC to Launceston on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April. We propose that we do this from 9.30am-11.30am if that works in with the Premier's schedule.

Thank you

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From:  
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Important JCTEC work to continue



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Will Hodgman, Premier

## Important JCTEC work to continue

To paraphrase Mark Twain: reports of JCTEC's demise are greatly exaggerated.

I look forward to attending the next meeting of JCTEC on the 20<sup>th</sup> of April this year, a meeting which has been scheduled for quite some time.

Since its inception, JCTEC has been an important forum for the Tasmanian and Federal Governments to meet with leaders of the Tasmanian business community and discuss the Tasmanian economy.

JCTEC has contributed to a number of significant policy outcomes that will help power Tasmania's economy for years to come, creating jobs and supporting businesses right around the State.

Key projects advanced through JCTEC so far include:

- \$203 million to extend the Tasmanian Freight Equalisation Scheme;
- \$120 million for the second tranche of irrigation projects; and
- \$300 million for the development of new UTas facilities in Burnie and Launceston.

These are significant achievements. Each of these projects will provide huge benefits for Tasmania.

The Government is committed to working with business and with the Federal Government to continue delivering for Tasmania.

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