

Hon Felix Ellis MP**Minister for Business, Industry and Resources****Minister for Skills and Jobs****Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Management****Minister for Innovation, Science and the Digital Economy****ROUTINE DIARY DISCLOSURE - 1 August to 31 August 2026**

The disclosure provides information relating to Ministerial meetings with stakeholders, third parties, lobbyists and Government agencies, and includes the purpose of the meeting, attendees, and Ministerial attendance at functions or events, visits and media interviews. The information does not include internal meetings held with other Ministers and/or ministerial staff, or meetings that are strictly personal, electorate or party/political. Information will not be disclosed where there may be an overriding public interest against disclosure of the specific information, such as security, law enforcement, public safety or commercial-in-confidence.

Date	Meeting	Purpose	Attendees
3/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Acting Secretary Shane Gregory Deputy Secretary Michael Mogridge Director Alastair Morton Director Andrew Johnson Director Sarah Russell Executive Director Sarah Thomson
3/08/2026	MEETING Dept of Police, Fire and Emergency Services and State Fire Commission	Re: Regular meeting	Commissioner Jeremy Smith Chair Steve Whiteley
3/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Family Violence Register	Dr Roger Blackwell
3/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Housing and domestic violence matters	Confidential
3/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania, Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Member for Lyons and Independent Member for Braddon	Re: Briefing on stakeholder engagement portal	Policy Director Sarah Russell Craig Garland MP Carlo di Falco MP
3/08/2026	MEETING Halliwell Property Agents	Re: Planning	Property Representative Leigh Murphy
4/08/2026	ATTEND Spirit of Tasmania Tour of Berth 3	Re: Tour of new berth	
4/08/2026	VISIT GreenSTEM	Re: The Makers program	

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4/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Police matter	Stuart Smith
4/08/2026	MEETING The Hermal Group	Re: Eucalyptus hardwood industry	Group Managing Director Ron Goldschlager
4/08/2026	MEETING Hydro Tasmania	Re: Briefing on data centres	Chief Executive Officer Rachel Watson Executive General Manager Erin van Maanen
4/08/2026	VISIT East Ulverstone Primary School	Re: School outreach program	
4/08/2026	ATTEND Community Discussion with Senator the Hon. Richard Colbeck	Re Rushy Lagoon and Illicit Tobacco	
5/08/2026	VISIT Be Hers Hub	Re: Tour of hub	
5/08/2026	MEETING Independent Member for Franklin	Re: Electorate and Member interest matters	David O'Byrne MP
5/08/2026	ATTEND TasICT, Building Tasmania and Dept of Premier and Cabinet Roundtable	Re: AI discussion	
5/08/2026	MEETING Select Safety Tasmania	Re: Safety training	Owner Nick Emery
5/08/2026	ATTEND Tasmanian Minerals, Manufacturing and Energy Council Conference 2026 Speech	Re: Official role	
6/08/2026	MEETING Dept of Police, Fire and Emergency Services State Emergency Services	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Donna Adams Deputy Secretary Ross Hinkley Commissioner Jeremy Smith Executive Director Mick Lowe Deputy Chief Officer Matt Lowe Executive Director Simon Hiscock Director Mandy Denby Manager Mel Fitzpatrick
6/08/2026	ATTEND Employer of Choice Awards	Re: Opening address	
6/08/2026	VISIT Tasmanian Botanic	Re: Tour of facilities	
6/08/2026	VISIT INTUIT Technologies	Re: Introductory tour	
6/08/2026	MEETING University of Tasmania	Re: International Students	Pro Vice-Chancellor Angela Castles Executive Director Global Marketing Michelle Weir

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6/08/2026	MEETING Independent Member for Clark	Re: Electorate and Member interest matters	Helen Burnet MP
7/08/2026	MEETING Forest Practices Advisory Council	Re: Regular meeting	Chair Penny Wells
7/08/2026	MEETING Police Association of Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	President Shane Tilley Director John Arnold
7/08/2026	MEETING United Firefighters Union of Australia, Tasmania Branch	Re: Regular meeting	President Darren Guy Branch Secretary Leigh Hills Industrial Organiser Stephen McCallum
7/08/2026	MEETING ABx Group	Re: Briefing on ABx Group and ALCORE	Managing Director Mark Cooksey ABx Tasmanian Representative Michael Leonard
7/08/2026	MEDIA Macquarie Point Stadium	Re: High Vis Army	
7/08/2026	MEETING Farmers and Landowners Action Group and TasFarmers	Re: Feedback on Forest Practices Authority	President Nathan Cox Redbanks Property Lindsay White Farmer Melissa Fergusson Grindstone Bay Property William Fergusson Stewarton Property James Walch Farmer Andrew Dunbabin
8/08/2026	ATTEND 2026 CareSuper Business Excellence Awards	Re: Awards celebration	
8/08/2026	ATTEND Ulverstone Soccer Club	Re: Watch home game	
8/08/2026	MEDIA Forest Practices Regulations	Re: Online portal	
9/08/2026	ATTEND Latrobe WinterFest Chess Competition	Re: Local chess event	
10/08/2026	VISIT inGauge Energy drill site	Re: Tour of drill site	
11/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Executive Director Stuart Hollingsworth Director Libby Doughty General Manager Peta Sugden Manager Kristy Robinson Senior Executive Officer Peta Ambrogio
11/08/2026	MEETING Sustainable Timber Tasmania	Re: General matters	Chair Rob de Fegely

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11/08/2026	MEETING Tasmanian Forest Products Association	Re: Introductory meeting for new Chief Executive Officer	Chair Sarah Courtney Chief Executive Officer (outgoing) Nick Steel Chief Executive Officer (incoming) Drew Freeman
11/08/2026	MEETING Nyrstar	Re: Introduction to new CEO and briefing on pre-feasibility study	Chief Executive Officer Wendy McMillan General Manager Todd Milne Regional Head Corporate Affairs Bailey Cullen
11/08/2026	MEETING Women Speak Tasmania	Re: Conversion Practices Prohibition Bill 2026	President Dr Elizabeth Caballero Member Isla MacGregor
11/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Land Use Planning and Approvals Bill	Acting Deputy Secretary Anthony Reid Acting Director Sean McPhail Acting Assistant Director Nell Nettlefold
12/08/2026	MEETING Cement Concrete & Aggregates Australia	Re: Regular meeting	Chief Executive Officer Michael Kilgariff State Director Vic / Tas Tara McCormack
12/08/2026	MEETING Hobart City Council	Re: Tasmanian Small Business Applied Innovation Partnership	Alderman Louise Bloomfield
12/08/2026	ATTEND Parliamentary Spinal Screenings for Spinal Health Month	Re: Drop in sessions for Spinal Health	
13/08/2026	MEETING NSTA Tasmania	Re: Workforce capability and retention	General Manager Kevin Moffat
13/08/2026	ATTEND Beacon Foundation	Re: Speed career event	
13/08/2026	MEETING Forest Practices Authority	Re: Update on matters	Chief Forest Practices Officer Anne Chuter Director Pam Allan Director Sarah Munks Director Jodie Mason Director Kim Creak Director Phil Barker

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14/08/2026	MEETING Dept of Police, Fire and Emergency Services Tasmania Police	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Donna Adams Deputy Commissioner Jonathan Higgins Assistant Commissioner Robert Blackwood Assistant Commissioner Douglas Oosterloo Director Mandy Denby Director Elaina Deayton
14/08/2026	MEETING Tasmanian Forests and Forest Product Network	Re: Regular meeting	Director Andrew Wye
14/08/2026	ATTEND Tasmanian National Science Week	Re: Launch Event and STEM Excellence Awards	
14/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania and Independent Member for Elwick	Re: TasTAFE laboratory technology courses	Hon Bec Thomas MLC Chief Executive Officer Norman Baker Executive Director Colleen Sheehan General Manager Owen Cox
14/08/2026	VISIT Brighton Firearms	Re: Catch up with local business owner	
15/08/2026	ATTEND Dr Karl Live	Re: Science week event	
15/08/2026	ATTEND Surf Life Saving Tasmania Awards of Excellence	Re: Formal role	
18/08/2026	ATTEND Science Meets Parliament Event	Re: Science week event	
18/08/2026	MEETING Federal Minister for Skills and Training	Re: Free TAFE agreement	Hon Andrew Giles MP
18/08/2026	ATTEND Dementia Australia showcase	Re: Tech innovation	
18/08/2026	MEETING Skills Tasmania	Re: Free TAFE courses	Director Purchasing Owen Cox Director Strategy and Reform Libby Droughty
18/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Housing Land Supply (Misc Amendments) Bill	Chief Executive Officer Ben Wilson Acting Director State Planning Sean McPhail Planning Office Leigh Stevens

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19/08/2026	MEETING Bell Bay Response Team - Bell Bay Advanced Manufacturing Zone, Tas Minerals, Manufacturing and Energy Council, Regional Development Tas, Northern Tas Development Corp, Labor Member for Bass, Building Tasmania	Re: Update	Chief Executive Office Susie Bower Chief Operating Officer Luke Moore Chief Executive Office Ray Mostogl Chief Executive Officer James McKee Jess Teesdale MP Chief Executive Office Michael Bailey Deputy Secretary Michael Mogridge Acting Coordinator General Dennis Henriks Executive Director Sarah Thomson Director Megan Geason Acting Director Chris Cooper Senior Director Katherine Booth Project Manager Scott Smith
19/08/2026	MEETING Crime Stoppers Tasmania	Re: Funding	Chair David Daniels Deputy Chair Katherine Halliday
19/08/2026	MEETING Alannah and Madeline Foundation and Medics for Gun Control	Re: Proposed changes to gun laws in Tasmania	Advocacy Adviser Stephen Bendle Dr Phill Pullinger
20/08/2026	ATTEND TasICT - AISA Cyber Conference 2026	Re: Official role	
20/08/2026	ATTEND Parliamentary Friends of Eye Health & Vision Care Event	Re: Drop in sessions for eye health	
20/08/2026	MEETING Ambassador of the European Union to Australia	Re: Portfolio matters	Ambassador Gabriele Visentin
20/08/2026	ATTEND United Kingdom Trade Envoy Lunch	Re: Official visit	
20/08/2026	MEDIA Firearms Bill	Re: Introduction to Parliament	
21/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Acting Secretary Shane Gregory Deputy Secretary Michael Mogridge Acting Deputy Secretary Anthony Reid Acting Deputy Secretary Brett Stewart Director Alastair Morton Director Andrew Johnson Director Sarah Russel

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21/08/2026	MEETING Private Forests Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Chair Jim Wilson Chief Executive Officer Elizabeth Pietrzykowski
21/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Conversion Practices Prohibition Bill	Keith Nicholls
21/08/2026	MEETING McKinnon Institute	Re: APL impact and scholar resources	Senior Relationships Manager Chantelle Renn Program Coordinator Will McIlroy
21/08/2026	MEETING Independent Members for Clark and Shooters, Farmers and Fishers Member for Lyons and Building Tasmania	Re: Briefing on Industry Assistance	Kristie Johnston MP Helen Burnet MP Carlo di Falco MP Acting Secretary Shane Gregory Deputy Secretary Michael Mogridge Acting Coordinator General Dennis Hendriks
22/08/2026	ATTEND Recreational Hunting Information Day	Re: Conservation wild deer management, browsing animal control and habitat protection	
24/08/2026	MEETING Tasmanian Volunteer Fire Brigades Association and Tasmanian Retained Volunteer Firefighters Association	Re: Regular meeting	State President Raoul Stow State President Andrew Taylor
24/08/2026	MEETING Forest Practices Authority	Re: Regular update	Chair Pam Allan Chief Forest Practices Officer Anne Chuter Chair Penny Wells Acting Director Sarah Russell
25/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Acting Coordinator General Dennis Hendriks Executive Director David Bennett Executive Director Sarah Thomson
25/08/2026	ATTEND Skills Tasmania Industry / RTO conference and National Skills Week 2026	Re: Official role	

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25/08/2026	MEETING Forest Practices Authority TasFarmers, King Island Beef Group, Farmers and Landowners Action Group and Building Tasmania	Re: Farmer concerns	Chief Executive Officer Nathan Calman Chair Nathan Cox Committee Member Rob O'Conner Members Tas Loane and Nick Lyttle Chief Forest Practices Officer Anne Chuter Chair Pam Allan Group Member Lindsay White Members Melissa & William Ferguson Director Sarah Russell
25/08/2026	MEETING Greens Member for Lyons, Independent Members for Clark, Independent Member for Braddon, Independent Members for Franklin, Independent Member for Bass and Shooters, Farmers and Fishers Member for Lyons	Re: Briefing on Firearms Amendment Bill	Tabatha Badger MP Helen Burnet MP Kristie Johnston MP Craig Garland MP David O'Byrne MP Peter George MP George Razay MP Carlo di Falco MP
26/08/2026	MEETING Sustainable Timber Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Chair Rob de Fegely Chief Executive Officer Dean Kearney General Manager Commercial Greg Hickey
26/08/2026	MEETING TasTAFE	Re: Regular meeting	Chief Executive Officer Norman Baker Executive Director Colleen Sheehan Acting Board Chair Lee Whiteley
26/08/2026	ATTEND Australian Computer Society Tasmania Branch Speech	Re: Formal role	
26/08/2026	ATTEND Marine BioConnect 2026: From Opportunity to Impact	Re: Official role	

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26/08/2026	MEETING Orygen Ltd and Jobs Tasmania	Re: AI pilot study	Director of Policy Vivienne Browne Director of Business Development Gina Chinnery Education Sector Lead Kirra Greaves Acting Professor Dom Dwyer Executive Director Stuart Hollingsworth
26/08/2026	MEETING Telstra	Re West Coast	General Manager Michael Patterson
26/08/2026	MEETING Labor Member for Lyons and Dept of Police, Fire and Emergency Management	Re: Briefing on re Firearms Amendment Bill	Jen Butler MP Assistant Commissioner Douglas Oosterloo Inspector Jim Semmens
27/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania	Re: Regular meeting	Executive Director Stuart Hollingsworth Acting Director Owen Cox Director Libby Doughty Manager Kristy Robinson Senior Executive Officer Peta Ambrogio
27/08/2026	MEETING Dept of Police, Fire and Emergency Services	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Donna Adams Deputy Commissioner Jonathan Higgins Deputy Secretary Ross Hinkley Assistant Commissioner Robert Blackwood Assistant Commissioner Douglas Oosterloo Assistant Commissioner Adrian Bodnar Acting Assistant Specialist Support Jason Elmer Director Mandy Denby
27/08/2026	ATTEND State of the City Breakfast, Devonport	Re: Council highlights and achievements	
27/08/2026	ATTEND Tasmanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry - Cabinet Cocktail Event	Re: Networking event	
27/08/2026	ATTEND Kentish Men's Shed BBQ	Re: Support local community organisation	
27/08/2026	MEETING Kentish Council	Re: Introductory meeting	Mayor Kate Haberle

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27/08/2026	MEETING Building Tasmania, Labor Member for Braddon and Labor Member for Bass	Re: Briefing on Forest Practices Authority	Janie Finlay MP Shane Broad MP Chief Forest Practices Officer Anne Chuter Director Sarah Russell
28/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Traffic matters	Stephen Applebee
28/08/2026	MEETING FOLLO - Find Our Lost Loved Ones	Re: Volunteer search and rescue	Director Jarrod Boys Acting Commander Nikala Parsons
28/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Police matters	Guy Thompson
28/08/2026	MEETING Vinindex	Re: Operational matters	Chief Executive Officer Marc Blampied Production Manager Richard Parker
28/08/2026	MEETING Ulverstone Soccer Club	Re: Development of club facilities	President Elise Mee Vice President Sam Kingshott
28/08/2026	MEETING Waratah Wheels Committee	Re: Waratah Wheels event	Chair Ian More
28/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizens	Re: University subject selection	Olivia Moore Sharon Moore
28/08/2026	VISIT Camp Clayton	Re: Tour of camp facilities	
28/08/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re Firearms registration forms	Peter Ross
29/08/2026	ATTEND Boy & Bear	Re: Live music event	

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