

Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Ministerial Appointment 2026 (No 1)

Notifiable instrument NI2026-320

made under the

Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Act 1988, s 41 (Ministers for the Territory) and s 44 (Deputy Chief Minister for the Territory)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Ministerial Appointment 2026 (No 1)*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 24 July 2026 at 5pm.

3 Appointment

- (1) I appoint each member of the Legislative Assembly named in schedule 1 to be a Minister.
- (2) I also appoint Rachel Stephen-Smith to be Deputy Chief Minister.

4 Titles of Ministers

The titles of Ministers are as mentioned in schedule 1.

5 Revocation

The *Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Ministerial Appointment 2025 (No 1)* (NI2025-351) is repealed.

Andrew Barr
Chief Minister

24 July 2026

Schedule 1

Ministers and Ministerial titles

(see s 3 and s 4)

Name of Minister	Ministerial title
Andrew Barr Chief Minister	Minister for Economic Development Minister for Tourism and Trade
Rachel Stephen-Smith Deputy Chief Minister	Minister for Education and Early Childhood Minister for Health Minister for Mental Health Minister for Finance Minister for the Public Service
Chris Steel	Treasurer Minister for Planning and Sustainable Development Minister for Heritage Minister for Transport Minister for Sport and Recreation
Tara Cheyne	Manager of Government Business Attorney-General Minister for Human Rights Minister for City and Government Services Minister for the Night-Time Economy
Suzanne Orr	Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs Minister for Climate Change, Environment, Energy and Water Minister for Disability, Carers and Community Services Minister for Homes, Homelessness and New Suburbs Minister for Seniors and Veterans
Michael Pettersson	Minister for Business, Arts and Creative Industries Minister for Children, Youth and Families Minister for Multicultural Affairs Minister for Skills, Training and Industrial Relations
Marisa Paterson	Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services Minister for Women Minister for the Prevention of Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence Minister for Corrections Minister for Gaming Reform