

Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Ministerial Appointment 2026 (No 2)

Notifiable instrument NI2026–364

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 2)*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 30 July 2026.

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The *Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Ministerial Appointment 2026 (No 1)* (NI2026-320) is repealed.

Andrew Barr
Chief Minister

29 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 Trade, Investment and the Knowledge Economy Minister for Tourism and Events Minister for Major Projects
Rachel Stephen-Smith Deputy Chief Minister	Minister for Education Minister for Child Development and Wellbeing Minister for Finance Minister for the Public Service Minister for Health Infrastructure
Chris Steel	Treasurer Minister for Planning and Sustainable Development Minister for Heritage Minister for Sport and Recreation
Tara Cheyne	Manager of Government Business Attorney-General Minister for City and Government Services Minister for Transport
Suzanne Orr	Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs Minister for Climate Change, Environment, Energy and Water Minister for Disability, Autism and Neurodiversity Minister for Housing and Homelessness Minister for Equality
Michael Pettersson	Minister for Business and Industry Minister for Arts, Creative Industries and the Night-Time Economy Minister for Children, Youth and Families Minister for Multicultural Affairs Minister for Skills, Training and Industrial Relations
Marisa Paterson	Minister for Health Minister for Mental Health Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services Minister for Gaming Reform
Caitlin Tough	Minister for Human Rights Minister for Community Services Minister for Corrections Minister for Women, Seniors and Veterans Minister for the Prevention of Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence