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ENERGY ENTITIES INQUIRY - SPECIAL REPORT

A statement from Hon Ivan Dean MLC, Chair of the Public Accounts Committee.

The Public Accounts Committee has today resolved to prepare a Special Report in relation to the alleged disclosure of confidential (privileged) information associated with the current Energy Entities Inquiry to third parties. The Committee has made the unanimous decision given the seriousness of the issue. The Special Report will be tabled in both Houses of the Parliament of Tasmania during the next sitting week.

It will then be a matter for the respective Houses of Parliament to consider the Special Report.

The Members of the Committee are Hon Ivan Dean MLC (Chair), Ms Sarah Courtney MP (Deputy Chair), Mr Scott Bacon MP, Hon Ruth Forrrest MLC, Hon Mike Gaffney MLC and Mrs Joan Rylah MP.

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