



**Select Committee on the Provision of Information to the Commission of Inquiry Scrutiny
Committee**

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PROGRESS OF INQUIRY

The Select Committee on the Provision of Information to the Commission of Inquiry Scrutiny Committee ('the Provision of Information Committee') was appointed in December 2023 to inquire into whether the Premier and the Secretary of the Department of Premier and Cabinet, Ms Jenny Gale, provided all relevant information to the Commission of Inquiry Scrutiny Committee at its hearing on 5 December 2023 in relation to the issuing of section 18 notices by the Commission of Inquiry and other matters. The Provision of Information Committee is also inquiring into whether information was withheld from the Committee or whether the Committee was misled.

The Provision of Information Committee has resolved to call the Premier and Ms Gale to appear as witnesses at a hearing.

The Provision of Information Committee has made several attempts to hold a hearing to hear from relevant witnesses, however progress has been delayed due to witness availability issues in January.

The Provision of Information Committee intends to hold a hearing with relevant witnesses in February, noting it is due to report back to the House of Assembly by 5 March 2024.

Simon Wood MP
Committee Chair

For further information, please contact the Chair of the Committee, Mr Simon Wood MP, on (03) 6777 1007.