

# ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CABINET COMMITTEE

## Terms of reference

September 2017

Membership	
Premier	Hon Jay Weatherill (Chair)
Deputy Premier Minister for Planning Minister for the Public Sector Minister for the City of Adelaide	Hon John Rau
Minister for Employment Minister for Manufacturing and Innovation Minister for Automotive Transformation Minister for Science and Information Economy	Hon Kyam Maher
Treasurer Minister for State Development Minister for Mineral Resources and Energy	Hon Tom Koutsantonis (Deputy Chair)
Minister for Agriculture, Food and Fisheries Minister for Tourism	Hon Leon Bignell
Minister for Investment and Trade Minister for Small Business Minister for Defence and Space Industries Minister for Health Industries	Hon Martin Hamilton-Smith
Minister for Education and Child Development	Hon Susan Close
Minister for Transport and Infrastructure Minister for House and Urban Development	Hon Stephen Mullighan

The Chair will have the discretion to invite any minister, departmental officer or external stakeholder to attend a meeting to assist the Committee to meet its objectives. This may occur on an ad hoc or regular basis.

The following will receive a standing invitation for them, or their proxy, to participate in ordinary meetings:

- The chair and deputy chair of the Economic Development Board
- The Chief Executives of the Department of the Premier and Cabinet (DPC) and Department of State Development

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- The Chief of Staff to the Premier
- The Under Treasurer.

## Objective

The Committee will drive the State's economic development strategies, including responses to structural change and initiatives to facilitate industry transformation in order to drive economic growth and enhance the state's prosperity.

The Committee is driven by the public value proposition that:

*If we transform, grow and diversify the South Australian economy, then all South Australians will benefit from the state's prosperity.*

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The Committee will meet its objective by:

- Coordinating, reviewing and advising Cabinet on strategies to promote the economic development of the State, including:
  - Strategies to achieve the government's economic plan, comprising the 10 economic priorities and their objectives including
    - 5 key sectors – unlocking our potential resources, premium food and wine, health and ageing, education and the knowledge state, the visitor economy
    - 5 enablers – innovation, small business, best place to do business, vibrant Adelaide, and international connections
- Monitoring progress with the economic plan and overseeing public reporting on outcomes
- Ensuring that the development and implementation of the government's economic development strategies are effectively coordinated across portfolios and agencies
- Coordinating the government's engagement with the business sector and the Commonwealth regarding its economic development strategies
- Calling accountable Ministers and Chief Executives to appear before the Committee to provide updates on the status and delivery of key commitments and projects, and performance of the economic priorities
- Consider and approve/not approve Cabinet submissions which relate to the implementation of the economic plan.
- Considering any other related matters referred to it by Cabinet
- The Committee may refer matters to the Economic Development Board for advice or for consultation with business and the community.

## Operational matters

### Meetings

The Committee will meet at least four times per annum, or more frequently at the discretion of the Chair.

### Secretariat support

Secretariat support will be provided by the Economic Priorities team of DPC.

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