

Public Accounts Committee

Inquiry into accountability measures for decision-making for the delivery of major infrastructure, contracting of public services and/or the privatisation of public assets in NSW

Terms of Reference

That the Public Accounts Committee inquire into and report on the accountability measures in place for decision-making in respect of the delivery of major infrastructure, contracting of public services and/or the privatisation of public assets by the NSW Government, including:

- a) processes and governance to support the justification of decisions;
- b) business and investment cases, analysis, risk appraisals and other information considered by decision makers;
- c) the effectiveness of systems, processes and metrics for measuring, evaluating and reporting:
 - i. the effectiveness of privatisation or contracting arrangements including financial management, risk management, procurement, contract management and stakeholder engagement;
 - ii. time and cost variations and their evaluation, management and reporting;
 - iii. whether the proposed costs, benefits and/or performance improvements of a decision were realised; and
- d) any other related matters.

