

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## Inquiry into the procurement of government infrastructure

The Legislative Assembly Committee on Transport and Infrastructure has commenced an inquiry into the procurement of government infrastructure, Mr Alister Henskens SC MP, Chair of the Committee, announced today.

"The Committee will examine the world's best practice for the procurement of large government infrastructure projects both locally and in international jurisdictions. By doing so we aim to gain ideas that are valuable to New South Wales." Mr Henskens said.

"New South Wales is currently leading infrastructure expenditure in Australia. It's important for our State that we ensure that the best processes and methods are in place for the delivery of major infrastructure projects", Mr Henskens said.

The Committee is currently seeking written submissions, with a closing date of Friday, 12 February 2016.

The first of the Committee hearings are likely to begin in March 2016, with a Report expected to be handed down later in 2016.

For further information about the inquiry, including its terms of reference, or for information on how to make a submission, please visit the Committee's website at:

http://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/transportandinfrastructure or contact the Committee secretariat on (02) 9230 3382.

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