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TENTH GENERAL MEETING WITH THE VALUER GENERAL

The Joint Standing Committee on the Office of the Valuer General will conduct its Tenth General Meeting with the NSW Valuer General on Friday 13 May 2016. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss issues arising from the Committee's review of the 2013-14 and 2014-15 Annual Reports of the Office of the Valuer General.

The Chair of the Committee, Ms Melanie Gibbons MP, said that "The role of the Committee is to monitor and review the exercise of the Valuer General's functions in providing land valuations. As part of its oversight role, the Committee holds regular meetings with the Valuer General and the hearing continues the process of regular scrutiny by the Committee of the Office of the Valuer General".

Following the meeting, the Committee will prepare a report to Parliament as required by its statutory functions.

The Tenth General Meeting follows the appointment of Mr Simon Gilkes as Valuer General.

Further information about the General Meeting can be obtained on the Committee's website at: <u>www.valuergeneral.nsw.gov.au</u>

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