



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Committee on Environment and Planning

Notice of public hearing

Inquiry into the electricity outages affecting Far West NSW in October 2024

Monday, 17 March 2025

Preston Stanley room, NSW Parliament

The webcast is available on the Parliament's [website](#).

Time	Organisation	Witness(es)	Submission
11.45am		Mr Roy Butler MP Member for Barwon	15
12.15pm	NSW Police Force, Western Region Office	Assistant Commissioner Andrew Holland APM	40
		Inspector David Botha	
	NSW Rural Fire Service	Deputy Commissioner Peter McKechnie Deputy Commissioner, Strategic Capability	
1.00pm	Lunch		
1.45pm	NSW Telco Authority	Ms Rania Wannous Chief Customer Officer	35
		Mr Josh Weston Manager Telecommunications Emergency Management Unit	
	Service NSW	Mr Greg Wells Managing Director	
		Mr Jim Henry Executive Director, Disaster Preparation and Recovery	
2.30pm	NSW Health	Dr Sarah Wenham Executive Director Medical Services, Far West Local Health District	
	Aboriginal Affairs NSW	Mr Shane Hamilton Deputy Secretary	



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3.15pm	<i>Afternoon tea</i>		
3.30pm	Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal NSW	Mr Jonathan Coppel Tribunal Member	24
		Mr Andrew Nicholls PSM Chief Executive Officer	
		Ms Kelly Kwan Executive Director, Regulation and Compliance	
	Australian Energy Regulator	Mr Justin Oliver Deputy Chair	43
4.15pm	Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Mr Liam Ryan Advising Executive Director, Energy, Climate Change and Sustainability	35
		Mr Jamie Caldwell Director, Energy Operations, Energy & Utility Services Functional Area Coordinator (EUSFAC) Energy & Utility Services Functional Area (EUSFA), Energy, Climate Change and Sustainability	
5.00pm	<i>End</i>		

