



SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE PROPOSAL TO DEVELOP ROSEHILL RACECOURSE

- (1) That a select committee be established to inquire into and report on the proposal to develop Rosehill Racecourse, and in particular:
 - (a) the unsolicited proposal process including associated probity measures,
 - (b) the involvement of the Government prior to the unsolicited proposal being made,
 - (c) the role of the proposal in meeting housing targets,
 - (d) impacts on the cost and delivery of the Sydney Metro,
 - (e) potential impacts on parkland in Western Sydney,
 - (f) impacts on the racing industry in New South Wales,
 - (g) the impact on animal welfare and any integrity concerns associated with the proposal which relate to animal welfare, and
 - (h) any other related matters.
- (2) That, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the standing orders, the committee consist of nine members comprising:
 - (a) three government members,
 - (b) three opposition members, with one being Mr Farlow, and
 - (c) three crossbench members, being Ms Hurst, Ms Faehrmann and Mr Martin.
- (3) That the Chair of the committee be Mr Farlow and the Deputy Chair be Ms Hurst.
- (4) That, unless the committee decides otherwise:
 - (a) all inquiries are to be advertised via social media, stakeholder emails and a media release distributed to all media outlets in New South Wales,
 - (b) submissions to inquiries are to be published, subject to the Committee Clerk checking for confidentiality and adverse mention and, where those issues arise, bringing them to the attention of the committee for consideration,
 - (c) attachments to submissions are to remain confidential,

- (d) the Chair's proposed witness list is to be circulated to provide members with an opportunity to amend the list, with the witness list agreed to by email, unless a member requests the Chair to convene a meeting to resolve any disagreement,
 - (e) the sequence of questions to be asked at hearings alternate between Opposition, crossbench and Government members, in that order, with equal time allocated to each,
 - (f) transcripts of evidence taken at public hearings are to be published,
 - (g) supplementary questions are to be lodged with the Committee Clerk within two business days following the receipt of the hearing transcript, with witnesses requested to return answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions within 21 calendar days of the date on which questions are forwarded to the witness,
 - (h) answers to questions on notice and supplementary questions are to be published, subject to the Committee Clerk checking for confidentiality and adverse mention and, where those issues arise, bringing them to the attention of the committee for consideration, and
 - (i) media statements on behalf of the committee are to be made only by the Chair.
- (5) That the committee report by 30 November 2024.

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