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# **INQUIRY INTO THE SYDNEY STADIUMS STRATEGY and INQUIRY INTO THE SCRUTINY OF PUBLIC WORKS IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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The newly established Upper House Public Works Committee has commenced two inquiries into the Sydney stadiums strategy and the scrutiny of public works in New South Wales. The committee is chaired by the Hon Robert Brown MLC of the Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party and includes representatives of the Liberal and National parties, the Australian Labor Party and the Greens.

Mr Brown said, ‘The Sydney stadiums strategy has attracted extensive attention in the media and community. These stadiums are important sporting and cultural landmarks in Sydney and the committee will closely examine the strategy in order increase transparency for the community and lovers of sport.’

Mr Brown continued, ‘The committee will also examine the process by which the strategy was developed, the modelling and other justifications on which the strategy was based, the development and planning assessment process for the stadiums, projected costs and other related issues.’

The committee is currently accepting submissions and the closing date is 25 May 2018. Submissions should be lodged online on the committee’s website at: [www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/sydneystadiums](http://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/sydneystadiums).

The newly established committee will also inquire into future arrangements for the ongoing scrutiny by the Legislative Council of public works, and other related matters under the purview of the committee. Submissions are currently being accepted online and the closing date is 31 July 2018.

For further information about the inquiry, including the terms of reference, please visit the committee’s website at: [www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/PWCscrutiny](http://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/PWCscrutiny).

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