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Parliamentary inquiry into the appointment of Mr John Barilaro as Senior Trade and Investment Commissioner to the Americas holds further hearing on 19 July

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The Upper House committee conducting an inquiry into the appointment of Mr John Barilaro as Senior Trade and Investment Commissioner to the Americas is holding its third hearing on Tuesday 19 July.

Chair of the committee, Ms Cate Faehrmann MLC, stated, "The committee has invited the General Counsel for Investment NSW, the most senior legal officer in the agency, to give evidence about his understanding of the processes and circumstances that led up to Mr Barilaro's appointment."

Hearing details

The hearing will be held on Tuesday 19 July 2022 from 10.00 am to 12.00 pm.

The hearing will be live streamed on the NSW Parliament's website via bit.ly/webcastnsw.

For further information about the inquiry, including the committee membership, terms of reference, and hearing schedule, please visit the committee's <u>website</u>.

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