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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 12 August 2022

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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 seventh hearing on Friday 12 August.

Mr John Barilaro, former Deputy Premier of NSW will return and give further evidence to the inquiry. The hearing will commence at 10.00 am in the Macquarie Room, NSW Parliament House.

Chair of the committee, Cate Faehrmann MLC, said "The committee has asked Mr Barilaro to return and give further evidence. There are still questions that need to be answered about the transparency of the process of his appointment as well as that of the other Senior Trade and Investment Commissioners."

The terms of reference of the inquiry was also recently amended, expanding the committee's investigation into the appointment of all Senior Trade and Investment Commissioners, including of the former Deputy Premier Mr John Barilaro.

Hearing details

The hearing will be held on **Friday, 12 August 2022** commencing at **10.00 am**.

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 [website](#).

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