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Next hearing for the inquiry into the appointment of Mr John Barilaro as Senior Trade and Investment Commissioner to the Americas on 18 August 2022

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The Upper House committee conducting the inquiry into the appointment of Mr John Barilaro as Senior Trade and Investment Commissioner to the Americas will hold its next hearing on Thursday 18 August.

Mr Barilaro will not be appearing next week but may attend later in the inquiry. Further details regarding Thursday's witnesses will be provided in due course.

Chair of the committee, Cate Faehrmann MLC said "The committee will continue inquiring into the circumstances surrounding John Barilaro's appointment to the Senior Trade and Investment Commissioner to the Americas Role with another hearing scheduled next week.

"The committee will also be investigating the circumstances surrounding the recruitment of the other Senior Trade and Investment Commissioners and the UK Agent-General under its expanded Terms of Reference."

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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