STANDING COMMITTEE ON STATE DEVELOPMENT

MEDIA RELEASE

INQUIRY INTO ALLEGATIONS OF IMPROPRIETY AGAINST AGENTS OF CITY OF CANTERBURY BANKSTOWN COUNCIL

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The Hon Wendy Tuckerman MP, Minister for Local Government, has referred to the Standing Committee on State Development an inquiry into allegations of impropriety against agents of City of Canterbury Bankstown Council.

The committee has been tasked with inquiring into and reporting on "matters in regards to the City of Canterbury Bankstown and the previous City of Bankstown Council including:

- (a) any matters relating to integrity, processes of Council, employees and elected officials of Council, and
- (b) any other related matter."

The committee must report by the end of the 57th Parliament.

Public hearings will be held in the week of 12 December 2022. Once available, hearing schedules will be published on the inquiry's <u>webpage</u> and all hearings will be streamed live via the Parliament's <u>website</u>.

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