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INQUIRY INTO THE APPOINTMENTS OF JOSH MURRAY TO THE POSITION OF SECRETARY OF TRANSPORT FOR NSW AND EMMA WATTS AS NSW CROSS-BORDER ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

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A new parliamentary inquiry has been established to inquire into and report on the recent appointments of Josh Murray to the position of Secretary of Transport for NSW and Emma Watts as NSW Cross-Border Assistant Commissioner.

Ms Abigail Boyd said: "It is important that the NSW public have full confidence that appointments to senior positions in the NSW Government are undertaken with fairness, integrity and transparency. This inquiry will investigate the circumstances and processes leading up to these appointments, and the probity and integrity measures in place for appointments generally."

Submissions to the inquiry may be lodged via the committee's website until Wednesday 30 August 2023.

Details of the inquiry, including the terms of reference, may be found on the committee's website at https://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/committees/inquiries/Pages/inquiry-details.aspx?pk=2986

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