

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

GENERAL PURPOSE STANDING COMMITTEE NO. 3

MEDIA RELEASE

INQUIRY INTO REPARATIONS FOR THE STOLEN GENERATIONS IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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The Upper House committee currently conducting an inquiry into reparations for the Stolen Generations in New South Wales will be visiting Kempsey and Grafton on Monday 7 and Tuesday 8 December 2015.

The committee will hold a public hearing in Kempsey in the afternoon of Monday 7 December at Kempsey-Macleay RSL Club. Members of the public are welcome to attend to watch proceedings. The details of the hearing are as follows:

Kempsey Monday 7 December 2015, 2.00 pm - 4.45 pm Function Room 1, Kempsey-Macleay RSL Club 1 York Lane, Kempsey

The committee will also hold a hearing in Grafton on Tuesday 8 December at the Clarence Valley Healing Centre. Members of the public are welcome to attend to watch proceedings. The details of the hearing are as follows:

Grafton Tuesday 8 December 2015, 9.00 am – 3.00 pm Clarence Valley Healing Centre 18-26 Victoria Street, Grafton

The Committee Chair, Ms Jan Barham MLC said, 'the committee is keen to engage with as many people as possible, especially in regional areas, to examine what progress has been made in making reparations to address the intergenerational harm that has been caused to members of the Stolen Generations and their families and communities'.

For further information about the inquiry, including the hearing schedules, the terms of reference for the inquiry, or for information on how to make a submission, please go to the committee's website: www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/gpsc3, or call the committee secretariat on (02) 9230 3081.

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