

MINUTES

Thursday, 23 September 2021 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM Cisco Webex

Minutes - Community Clubs Ministerial Advisory Council Meeting

ATTENDEES

Position-based appointments

Chair, Minister for Gaming, Mr Shane Rattenbury MLA

Deputy Chair, Minister for Business and Better Regulation, Ms Tara Cheyne MLA

Senior executive from the Justice and Community Safety Directorate (JACS), Executive Branch Manager (EBM) (A/g), Civil and Regulatory Law Branch, Legislation, Policy and Programs Division, JACS, Ms Zoe Hutchinson

Senior executive or Board member representing the ACT Gambling and Racing Commission, CEO, ACT Gambling and Racing Commission, Ms Yu-Lan Chan

Chief Executive Officer or Board member representing Canberra Community Clubs, Chair, Canberra Community Clubs, Mr Athol Chalmers

Chief Executive Officer or Board member representing ClubsACT, President, ClubsACT, Ms Kim Marshall

Secretary or nominated representative from the United Workers Union, Secretary, United Workers Union, Ms Lyndal Ryan

Stakeholder representatives

Representatives of gambling harm reduction organisations or experts, Financial Counsellor, Care Inc. Financial Counselling Service and Consumer Law Centre of the ACT, Ms Wendy Sandeman

Representatives of gambling harm reduction organisations or experts, Founder and Co-chair, Canberra Gambling Reform Alliance, Mr Jeremy Halcrow

Representative of clubs, or club members, President, Canberra Bowling Club, Mr Geoff McKay

Representative of clubs, or club members, President of Canberra Labor Club, Mr Brian Weir

Representatives of gambling harm reduction organisations or experts, Founder, the Hope Project and person with lived experience of gambling harm, Ms Kate Seselja

Representative of young people, Director, Design & Communications, Youth Coalition of the ACT, Mr Thomas Stevens

Guests

EBM, Better Regulation Taskforce, Economic and Regional Policy Branch, Policy & Cabinet Division, Chief Minister, Treasury & Economic Development Directorate (CMTEDD), Mr David Clapham Coordinator General, Climate Action, Policy & Cabinet Division, CMTEDD, Mr Sam Engele

Ministers' staff

Adviser to Minister Rattenbury, Ms Anna McGuire

Council Secretariat

Senior Director (A/g), Liquor, Racing and Gaming Policy, Civil and Regulatory Law Branch, Legislation, Policy and Programs (LPP), Justice and Community Safety Directorate (JACS), Ms Megan Sparke

Senior Policy Officer (A/g), Liquor, Racing and Gaming Policy, Civil and Regulatory Law Branch, LPP, JACS, Ms Natasha Del Piero

APOLOGIES

Stakeholder representatives

Representative of clubs, or club members, President, Canberra Irish Club, Ms Mary Collier

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ITEM	
1.	WELCOME
	The Chair, Minister for Gaming, Mr Shane Rattenbury MLA, and the Deputy Chair, Minister for Business and Better Regulation, Ms Tara Cheyne MLA, welcomed members to the meeting.
2.	APOLOGIES
	The Chair noted the apologies.
3.	ACT BETTER REGULATION TASKFORCE
	The Council noted the presentation by the ACT Better Regulation Taskforce and asked the Chief Minister, Treasury & Economic Development Directorate (CMTEDD) questions in relation to the work of the ACT Better Regulation Taskforce.
4.	STANDING ITEMS
4.1	The Council noted the progress on the commitments in the Parliamentary and Governing Agreement.
4.2	The Council noted the progress on the ACT Gambling Exclusion Regime Working Group (Working Group) and noted and discussed the proposed membership of the Working Group.
4.3	The Council discussed the minutes of the previous meeting that were circulated out of session for agreement.
4.4	The Council did not discuss the actions arising from the minutes or the schedule of future meetings and proposed agenda items due to time constraints.
5.	OTHER BUSINESS
	The Council discussed the impacts of the COVID-19 public health orders on the club industry.
6.	CLOSE/NEXT MEETING
	The Council noted that the next Council meeting will be held on Thursday, 14 October 2021, 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM, via Cisco Webex.