

Health, Communities, Disability Services and Domestic and Family Violence Committee

# Public & Private Hearings Torres Strait Islander Traditional Child Rearing Practices

# What's it about?

The Queensland Government has proposed laws that will, if passed by Parliament, provide legal recognition to child rearing practices that occur in the Torres Strait Islander culture.

This aims to resolve the issues faced by Torres Strait Islander people whose legal identity does not reflect their cultural identity and lived experience.

Location: The Ville Resort-Casino, Sir Leslie Thiess Drive, Townsville Date: Monday, 3 August 2020 Public Hearing: 4.30pm – 7.00pm

Private Hearings: 7.00pm – 8.00pm

For further information, queries or to subscribe to the committee email update list, contact the committee secretariat via the details opposite.

Please feel free to share this information with any interested stakeholders in the community.

Come along to speak publicly or privately with the Queensland Parliament's Health committee.

The committee will hear from invited witnesses and interested members of the public.

### Be heard.

Share your views on traditional Island child rearing practice.

# Get involved.

All members of the community are welcome to attend.

Register to speak or attend as an audience member online **here**. Alternatively, call or email our office.

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