



Speech by

Hon. PETER BEATTIE

MEMBER FOR BRISBANE CENTRAL

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MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Changes in Ministry

Hon. PD BEATTIE (Brisbane Central—ALP) (Premier) (9.59 am): I table for the House the *Queensland Government Gazette* setting out changes in ministry, appointments of parliamentary secretaries and administrative arrangements. I seek to incorporate the details in *Hansard*.

Leave granted.

I wish to inform the House that, on 2 February 2006, Her Excellency the Governor—

- (a) Accepted the resignations of—
The Honourable PETER DOUGLAS BEATTIE, as Premier and Treasurer;
The Honourable ANNA MARIA BLIGH, as Deputy Premier and Minister for Finance, Minister for State Development, Trade and Innovation;
The Honourable THOMAS ALFRED BARTON, as Minister for Employment, Training and Industrial Relations;
and
The Honourable HENRY PALASZCZUK, as Minister for Natural Resources and Mines.

and

- (b) Appointed—
The Honourable PETER DOUGLAS BEATTIE, to be Premier;
The Honourable ANNA MARIA BLIGH, to be Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for State Development, Trade and Innovation;
The Honourable THOMAS ALFRED BARTON, to be Minister for Employment, Training and Industrial Relations and Minister for Sport; and
The Honourable HENRY PALASZCZUK, to be Minister for Natural Resources, Mines and Water.

I also inform the House that in accordance with the Constitution of Queensland 2001, Her Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council, appointed—

- Karen Lee Struthers MP to be Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Employment, Training and Industrial Relations and Minister for Sport;
Lindy Helena Nelson-Carr MP to be Parliamentary Secretary to the Premier in North Queensland and to the Minister for Transport and Main Roads;
Neil Stuart Roberts MP to be Parliamentary Secretary to the Deputy Premier, Treasurer and Minister for State Development, Trade and Innovation; and
Andrew Peter Fraser MP to be Parliamentary Secretary to the Premier and to the Minister for Health.

Finally, I wish to inform the House that, in accordance with the Constitution of Queensland 2001, Her Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council, approved Administrative Arrangements Order (No. 1) 2006.