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CLP BAD FOR TERRITORY BUSINESS AND INVESTMENT

A dramatic slump in business confidence to the second lowest level of any Government is Australia highlights the struggles many Territory businesses are having under a divided and chaotic CLP Government, Shadow Minister for Public Housing and Affordable Housing Nicole Manison said today.

“Today’s survey results* from the Property Council-ANZ highlights what many Territory businesses already know. The CLP Government is bad for Territory business and more interested in fighting amongst themselves than they are in governing for Territorians.

“The Government has failed to deliver on the many promises they made to Territorians during the election and have clearly demonstrated they were not ready to govern when they came to office.

“So many promises have been broken and plans scrapped or delayed. Territory business recognises chaos and division when they see it. This is a government that’s all about reviews, committees and inaction and business is hurting as a result.

“On top of the infighting, the giant vacuum created by the scrapping of previously introduced Home buying schemes which focused on helping get Territorians off the rental round-about in greater numbers than ever before has also clearly had a very negative effect on the industry’s confidence” Ms Manison said.

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- Property Industry Confidence Survey, Property Council of Australia - ANZ