AGENDA OUTLINED AS NEW MLAs SWORN IN

The Martin Labor Government’s second term agenda will be outlined and seven new Members sworn in for the first time when the Northern Territory 10th Legislative Assembly sits for the first time tomorrow.

Leader of Government Business Paul Henderson said the official proceedings will commence at 10am.

The Member for Arnhem, Ms Barbara McCarthy, will be danced in shortly before the official proceedings begin.

“The morning activities will include the swearing in of the new MLAs, and the Administrator’s Address which will outline the priorities for the Martin Government’s second term,” Mr Henderson said.

“The seven new Labor MLAs will deliver their first speeches in the afternoon, roughly between 2 and 5pm.

“As Leader of Government Business, I will move a procedural motion that evening for the establishment of the Estimates Committee which will sit next week from Monday to Thursday.

“Thursday this week will be a regular Sitting Day, with Ministerial Reports at 10am and Question Time at 2pm.

Business of the day will include the reintroduction of Bills that were before the Parliament when it was prorogued at the calling of the election.

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