Communique

Partnership Priorities Committee

Date: 30 October 2025

The Partnership Priorities Committee (Committee) met for the fourth time in 2025 to discuss the following matters.

National Agreement on Closing the Gap – Priority Reforms Roadmap & Immediate Actions, and Strategy development next steps

The Committee endorsed the draft Closing the Gap Priority Reform Roadmap (the Roadmap) and the immediate actions scheduled for release in early 2026 as part of the Commonwealth's commitment to a broader Priority Reform Strategy. The discussion focused on practical steps in the Roadmap that can be implemented soon, especially those aimed at eliminating systemic racism across the Australian Public Service to improve outcomes for First Nations peoples and communities.