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Parliament of Western Australia Women Ministers, 1947 – 2021

Dame Annie Florence Gillies Cardell-Oliver, DBE (Nationalist) was Australia's first female Cabinet Minister, becoming a Minister without a portfolio on 1 April 1947. Following this appointment, she was an Honorary Minister for Supply and Shipping. On 7 October 1949, she became the Minister for Health, Supply and Shipping until 3 February 1953.

Carmen Lawrence (ALP) became Western Australia and Australia's first female Premier on 12 February 1990. In 1986, she was elected as the Member for Subiaco and in 1989 as the Member for Glendalough. She served as Premier until 1993 when the ALP was defeated in the state election.

Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (Lib) was the first female Attorney General in any Government in Australia.

Western Australian Female Government Ministers

Portrait	Portfolio	Dates Held
1. Hon. Annie Florence Gillies Cardell-Oliver, DBE (Nationalist/LIB/LCL)		
	• Minister without portfolio	1 Apr 1947 – 5 Jan 1948
	• Honorary Minister for Supply and Shipping	5 Jan 1948 – 7 Oct 1949
	• Minister for Health, Supply and Shipping	7 Oct 1949 – 3 Feb 1953

2. Hon. Margaret June Craig, MLA (LIB)



- Minister for lands and Forests
- Minister for Local Government and Urban Development and Town Planning

10 Mar 1977 – 25 Aug 1978
25 Aug 1978 – 25 Feb 1983

3. Hon. Pamela Anne Beggs, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Tourism; Racing and Gaming
- Minister for Housing; Tourism, Racing and Gaming
- Minister for Housing and Planning
- Minister for Transport, Racing and Gaming, and Tourism (resigned)

25 Feb 1986 – 25 Feb 1988
25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
19 Feb 1990 – 16 Feb 1993

4. Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth, the Aged, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs, & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues
- Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth, The Aged, and Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues and (from 4 August 1987) Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council
- Minister for Local Government, lands, The Family, The Aged, Minister Assisting the Minister for Women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council
- Minister for Planning, Lands, Heritage, Minister Assisting the Minister for women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council
- Minister for Planning, Lands, Heritage, The Arts, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council
- Minister for Education, Employment & Training, (Training from 7 September 1992), The Arts and Deputy Leader of Government in the Legislative Council

(from 12 May 1986)
25 Feb 1986 – 25 Jul 1989
25 Jul 1986 – 28 Feb 1989

28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
9 Feb 1990 – 30 Apr 1990
30 Apr 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
5 Feb 1991 – 16 Feb 1993

5. Hon. Yvonne Daphne Henderson, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Lands and the Arts
- Minister for Consumer Affairs, and Works and Services
- Minister for Housing and Consumer Affairs
- Minister for Productivity and Labour Relations and Consumer Affairs

25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
5 Feb 1991 – 16 Feb 1993

6. Hon. Carmen Mary Lawrence, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Education
- Minister for Education and Aboriginal Affairs
- Premier, Minister for Public Sector Management, The Family, Women's Interests, Education, and Aboriginal Affairs
- Premier, Minister for Public Sector Management, The Family, Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, and Women's Interests
- Premier, Treasurer & Minister The Family, and Women's Interests
- Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Employment, and Trade and Investment

25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
28 Feb 1989 – 12 Feb 1990
12 Feb 1990 – 19 Feb 1990
19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
5 Feb 1991 – 7 Dec 1992
7 Feb 1992 – 16 Feb 1993

7. Hon. Pamela Ann Buchanan, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Works, Services, Regional Development (until 20 December 1990) and Minister, Assisting Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

20 Dec 1990 – 5 Feb 1991

8. Hon. Judyth Watson, MLA (ALP)



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| • Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, and assisting the Minister for Women's Interests | 5 Feb 1991 - 27 Feb 1991 |
| • Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, Seniors and Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests | 27 Feb 1991 - 7 Sep 1992 |
| • Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, Seniors and Women's Interests | 7 Sept 1992 - 16 Feb 1993 |

9. Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes, MLA (LIB)



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| • Attorney General, Minister for Women's Interests, Parliamentary and Electoral Affairs and (from 8 March 1993 – 1 March 1994) Minister Assisting the Minister for Community Development with special responsibility for the Youth Justice Bureau | 16 Feb 1993 – 10 Feb 1995 |
| • Attorney General and Minister for Women's Interests | |
| • Minister for Family & Children Services, Youth, (until 3 April 1996), Seniors, Fair Trading & Women's Interests | 10 Feb 1995 – 21 Dec 1995 |
| • Minister for the Environment, and Employment and Training | 21 Dec 1995 – 9 Jan 1997 |
| • Minister for the Environment, and Labour Relations | 9 Jan 1997 – 28 Jul 1998 |
| | 28 Jul 1998 – 16 Feb 2001 |

10. Hon. Rhonda Kathleen Parker, MLA (LIB)



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|---|--------------------------|
| • Minister for Family and Children's Services, Seniors, and Women's Interests | 9 Jan 1997 – 22 Dec 1999 |
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11. Hon. June Dorothy van de Klashorst, MLA (LIB)



- Minister for Family and Children's Services; Seniors; Women's Interests

22 Dec 1999 – 16 Feb 2001

12. Hon. Dr Judith Mary Edwards, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for the Environment and Heritage, Water Resources
- Minister for the Environment and Heritage
- Minister for the Environment; Science (from 10 March 2005)

16 Feb 2001 – 1 Jul 2001
1 Jul 2001 – 27 Jun 2003
27 Jun 2003 – 3 Feb 2006

13. Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Community Development, Disability Services, Culture and the Arts
- Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth, Disability Services, Culture and the Arts
- Minister for Community Development; Culture and the Arts; Women's Interests
- Minister for Indigenous Affairs; Tourism; Culture and the Arts
- Minister for Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection
- Minister for Disability Services; Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection

16 Feb 2001 – 6 Mar 2001
6 Mar 2001 – 10 Mar 2005
10 Mar 2005 – 3 Feb 2006
3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
2 Mar 2007 – 8 Sep 2008

14. Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts, MLA (ALP)



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| • Minister for Police, Emergency Services; Local Government, and (from 8 March 2001) Minister Assisting Minister for Planning and Infrastructure | 16 Feb 2001 – 1 Jul 2001 |
| • Minister for Police and Emergency Service and (until 1 July 2002) Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure - | 1 Jul 2002 – 27 Jun 2003 |
| • Minister for Police and Emergency Services; Community Services and Justice (until 10 March 2005) | 27 Jun 2003 – 3 Feb 2006 |
| • Minister for Housing and Works; Consumer Protection; Heritage and Land Information | 3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006 |
| • Minister for Housing and Works; Heritage; Indigenous Affairs; Land Information | 13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007 |
| • Minister for Employment Protection (until 25 February 2008); Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage; Land Information | 2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008 |
| • Minister for Police; Road Safety | 17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021 |

15. Hon. Alannah Joan Geraldine MacTiernan, MLA/MLC (ALP)



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|--|---------------------------|
| • Minister for Planning and Infrastructure (MLA) | 16 Feb 2001 – 23 Sep 2008 |
| • Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development, Jobs and Trade (MLC) | 17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021 |
| • Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Hydrogen Industry | 19 Mar 2021 – |

16. Hon. Ljiljanna Maria Ravlich, MLC (ALP)



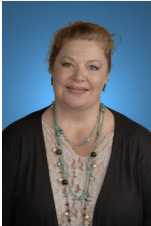
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|---|---------------------------|
| • Minister for Local Government and Regional Development, Heritage, the Kimberley, Pilbara, Gascoyne, and Goldfields-Esperance | 21 Sep 2004 – 10 Mar 2005 |
| • Minister for Education and Training | 10 Mar 2005 – 13 Dec 2006 |
| • Minister for Government Enterprises; Multicultural Interests and Citizenship, Youth and Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure: | 13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007 |
| • Minister for Local Government; Racing and Gaming; Multicultural Interests and Citizenship, Government Enterprises, Youth, Goldfields-Esperance, and Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure | 2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008 |

17. Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk, MLA (ALP)



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| • Minister for Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Seniors and Volunteering and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs | 25 Nov 2005 – 3 Feb 2006 |
| • Minister for Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs | 3 Feb 2006 – 8 May 2006 |
| • Minister for Justice; Women's Interests; Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs | 8 May 2006 – 9 May 2006 |
| • Minister for Justice; Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs | 9 May 2006 – 26 May 2006 |
| • Minister for Corrective Services; Women's Interests; Small Business (from 9 November 2006), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs | 26 May 2006 – 13 Dec 2006 |
| • Minister for Corrective Services; Small Business, Women's Interests (Until 2 March 2007), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs- Federal-State Relations | 13 Dec 2006 – 25 Feb 2008 |
| • Minister for Corrective Services; Small Business | 25 Feb 2008 - 23 Sep 2008 |

18. Suzanne (Sue) Mary Ellery, MLC (ALP)



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|--|---------------------------|
| • Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Women's Interests; and Seniors and Volunteering | 2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008 |
| • Minister for Education and Training | 17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021 |
| • Minister for Education and Training | 19 Mar 2021 – |

19. Hon. Dr Elizabeth Constable, MLA (Independent)



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|--|---------------------------|
| • Minister for Education; Tourism; Women's Interests | 23 Sep 2008 – 9 Feb 2009 |
| • Minister for Education; Tourism | 9 Feb 2009 – 14 Dec 2010 |
| • Minister for Education | 14 Dec 2010 – 29 Jun 2012 |

20. Hon. Donna Evelyn Mary Faragher, MLC (LIB)



- Minister for the Environment; Youth
- Minister for the Planning; Disability Services

23 Sep 2008 – 22 Nov 2010
31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017

21. Hon. Robyn Mary McSweeney, MLC (LIB)



- Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering
- Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering and Women's Interests
- Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests; Youth

23 Sep 2008 – 9 Feb 2009
9 Feb 2009 – 14 Dec 2010
14 Dec 2010 – 21 Mar 2013

22. Hon. Helen Margaret Morton, MLC (LIB)



- Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services:
- Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services; Child Protection

14 Dec 2010 – 21 Mar 2013
21 Mar 2013 – 31 Mar 2016

23. Hon. Liza Mary Harvey, MLA (LIB)



- Minister for Police; Road Safety
- Minister for Police; Road Safety; Small Business; Women's Interests
- Minister for Police; Tourism; Road Safety; Women's Interests
- Minister for Police; Road Safety; Women's Interests; Training and Workforce Development
- Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests

29 Jun 2012 - 21 Mar 2013
21 Mar 2013 – 5 Aug 2013
5 Aug 2013 – 8 Dec 2014
8 Dec 2014 – 16 Feb 2016
16 Feb 2016 – 17 Mar 2017

24. Hon. Mia Jane Davies, MLA (NAT)



- Minister for Water, Forestry
- Minister for Water; Forestry; Sport and Recreation
- Minister for Water; Forestry; Sport and Recreation; Deputy Leader of National Party of Australia (WA)

11 Dec 2013 – 8 Dec 2014
8 Dec 2014 – 31 Mar 2016
31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017

25. Hon. Andrea Ruth Mitchell, MLA (LIB)



- Minister for Mental Health; Child Protection

31 Mar 2016 - 17 Mar 2017

26. Hon. Rita Saffioti, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands
- Minister for Transport; Planning
- Minister for Transport, Planning; Ports

17 Mar 2017 – 13 Dec 2018
13 Dec 2018 – 19 Mar 2021
19 Mar 2021 –

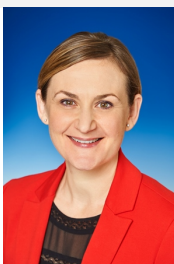
27. Hon. Simone Frances McGurk, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services
- Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services

17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021
19 Mar 2021 –

28. Hon. Amber-Jade Sanderson, MLA (ALP)



- Minister for Environment, Climate Action; Commerce

19 Mar 2021 –

Female Ministers by Ministry

Premier		
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Premier	13 Feb 1990 – 23 Feb 1993
Aboriginal Affairs		
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Minister for Education & Aboriginal Affairs	28 Feb 1989 – 12 Feb 1990
	Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Public Sector Management, The Family, Aboriginal Affairs , Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs and Women's Interests	12 Feb 1990 – 20 Dec 1990
Hon. Pamela Ann Buchanan (ALP)	Minister for Works, Services, Regional development & Minister assisting Minister for Aboriginal Affairs	19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Judyth Watson (ALP)	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs , Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs & assisting the Minister for Women's Interests	5 Feb 1991 – 7 Sep 1992
	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs , Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, Seniors and Women's Interests	7 Sep 1992 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Indigenous Affairs ; Tourism; Culture and the Arts	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Housing and Works; Heritage; Indigenous Affairs and Land Information	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Employment Protection; Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs ; Heritage and Land Information	2 Mar 2007 – 25 Feb 2008
	Minister for Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs , Heritage and Land Information	25 Feb 2008 – 23 Sep 2008
Agriculture		
Hon. Alannah Joan Geraldine MacTiernan (ALP)	Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture and Food; Hydrogen Industry	19 Mar 2021 –
Arts		
Hon. Yvonne Daphne Henderson (ALP)	Minister for Lands & the Arts	25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989

Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Planning, Lands, Heritage, the Arts , & Deputy Leader of the Government in Legislative Council	30 Apr 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
	Minister for Education, Employment & Training, (Training from 7 September 1992), The Arts and Deputy Leader of Government in the Legislative Council	5 Feb 1991 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Community Development, Disability Services, Culture and the Arts	16 Feb 2001 – 6 Mar 2001
	Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth, Disability Services and Culture and the Arts	6 Mar 2001 – 20 Mar 2005
	Minister for Community Development; Culture and the Arts ; Women's Interests	10 Mar 2005 – 3 Feb 2006
	Minister for Indigenous Affairs; Tourism; Culture and the Arts	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Tourism, Culture and the Arts , Consumer Protection	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Disability Services; Tourism; Culture and the Arts ; Consumer Protection	2 Mar 2007 – 8 Sep 2008
Attorney General		
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (LIB)	Attorney General , Minister for Women's Interests, Parliamentary and Electoral Affairs and (from 8 March 1993 - 1 March 1994) Minister Assisting the Minister for Community Development with special responsibility for the Youth Justice Bureau	16 Feb 1993 – 10 Feb 1995
	Attorney General and Minister for Women's Interests	10 Feb 1995 – 21 Dec 1995
Child and Community Services; Child Protection		
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Community Services , the Family, Youth, the Aged (from 26 February 1986), Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs, & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues	26 Feb 1986 – 28 Feb 1989
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children Services , Youth (until 3 April 1996), Seniors, Fair Trading & Women's Interests	21 Dec 1995 – 9 Jan 1997
Hon. Rhonda Kathleen Parker (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children's Services , Seniors and Women's Interests	9 Jan 1997 – 22 Dec 1999

Hon. June Dorothy van de Klashorst (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children's Services , Seniors, & Women's Interests	22 Dec 1999 – 16 Feb 2001
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Community Development ; Disability Services; Culture & the Arts	16 Feb 2001 – 6 Mar 2001
	Minister for Community Development , Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth, Disability Services, Culture and the Arts	6 Mar 2001 – 20 Mar 2005
	Minister for Community Development , Culture and the Arts, Women's Interests	10 Mar 2005 – 3 Feb 2006
Hon. Suzanne (Sue) Mary Ellery (ALP)	Minister for Child Protection, Communities , Women's Interests, Seniors and Volunteering	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sept 2008
Hon. Robyn Mary McSweeney (LIB)	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services ; Seniors & Volunteering	23 Sep 2008 – 9 Feb 2009
	Minister for Child Protection, Community Services , Seniors and Volunteering and Women's Interests	9 Feb 2009 – 14 Dec 2010
	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services , Seniors and Volunteering, Women's Interests, Youth	14 Dec 2010 – 21 Mar 2013
Hon. Helen Margaret Morton (LIB)	Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services; Child Protection	21 Mar 2013 – 31 Mar 2016
Hon. Andrea Ruth Mitchell (LIB)	Minister for Mental Health; Child Protection	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Hon. Simone Frances McGurk (ALP)	Minister for Child Protection ; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services	17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021
	Minister for Child Protection ; Women's Interests; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services	19 Mar 2021 –
Consumer Affairs		
Hon. Yvonne Daphne Henderson (ALP)	Minister for Consumer Affairs , and Works and Services	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
	Minister for Housing and Consumer Affairs	19 Feb 1990 - 5 Feb 1991
	Minister for Productivity and Labour Relations and Consumer Affairs	5 Feb 1991 - 16 Feb 1993

Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwards (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children Services, Youth, Seniors, Fair Trading & Women's Interests	21 Dec 1995 – 9 Jan 1997
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Housing & Works; Consumer Protection ; Heritage; Land Information	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Disability Services; Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008
Disability Services		
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Community Development; Disability Services ; Culture & the Arts	16 Feb 2001 – 10 Mar 2005
	Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth, Disability Services , Culture and the Arts	6 Mar 2001 – 20 Mar 2005
Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Disability Services ; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Seniors & Volunteering; Minister assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	25 Nov 2005 – 3 Feb 2006
	Minister for Disability Services ; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	3 Feb 2006 – 8 May 2006
	Minister for Justice; Disability Services ; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	9 May 2006 – 26 May 2006
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Disability Services ; Tourism; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sept 2008
Hon. Helen Margaret Morton, (Lib)	Minister for Mental Health; Disability Services	14 Dec 2010 – 31 Mar 2016
Hon. Donna Evelyn Mary Faragher (Lib)	Minister for Planning; Disability Services	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Education		
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Minister for Education	25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
	Minister for Education and Aboriginal Affairs	28 Feb 1989 – 12 Feb 1990
	Premier, Minister for Public Sector Management, Women's Interests, Education and Aboriginal Affairs	12 Feb 1990 – 19 Feb 1990

Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Education, Employment & Training , (Training from 7 September 1992), The Arts and Deputy Leader of Government in the Legislative Council	5 Feb 1991 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Ljiljanna Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for Education & Training	10 Mar 2005 – 13 Dec 2006
Hon. Dr Elizabeth Constable (IND)	Minister for Education ; Tourism; Women's Interests	23 Sep 2008 - 9 Feb 2009
	Minister for Education and Tourism	9 Feb 2009 - 14 Dec 2010
	Minister for Education	14 Dec 2010 – 29 Jun 2012
Hon Suzanne Mary Ellery (Lib)	Minister for Education and Training	17 Mar 2017 - 19 Mar 2021
	Minister for Education and Training	19 Mar 2021 –

Emergency Services

Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Police, Emergency Services ; Local Government, and (from 8 March 2001) Minister Assisting Minister for Planning and Infrastructure	16 Feb 2001 – 1 July 2001
	Minister for Police and Emergency Service and (until 1 July 2002) Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure	1 Jul 2002 – 27 Jun 2003
	Minister for Police and Emergency Services ; Community Services and Justice (until 10 March 2005)	27 Jun 2003 – 3 Feb 2006

Employment

Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Education, Employment & Training , (Training from 7 September 1992), The Arts and Deputy Leader of Government in the Legislative Council	5 Feb 1991 – 7 Sep 1992
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Employment , and Trade and Investment.	7 Feb 1992 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwards (LIB)	Minister for the Environment & Employment & Training	9 Jan 1997 – 28 Jul 1998
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Employment Protection ; Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage; Land Information.	2 Mar 2007 – 25 Feb 2008

Environment

Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (LIB)	Minister for the Environment , & Employment & Training	9 Jan 1997 – 28 Jul 1998
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	Minister for the Environment , and Labour Relations	28 Jul 1998 – 16 Feb 2001
Hon. Dr Judith Mary Edwards (ALP)	Minister for the Environment , & Heritage & Water Resources.	16 Feb 2001 – 1 Jul 200
	Minister for the Environment and Heritage	1 Jul 2001 – 27 June 2003
	Minister for the Environment ; Science (from 10 March 2005)	27 Jun 2003 – 3 Feb 2006
Hon. Donna Evelyn Mary Faragher (LIB)	Minister for the Environment ; Youth	23 Sep 2008 – 22 Nov 2010
Hon Amber-Jane Sanderson (ALP)	Minister for Environment, Climate Action ; Commerce	19 Mar 2021 –
Forestry		
Hon. Mia Jane Davies (Nat)	Minister for Water; Forestry	11 Dec 2013 – 31 Mar 2016
	Minister for Water; Sport and Recreation; Forestry	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Health		
Hon. Annie Florence Gillies Cardell-Oliver, DBE (Nationalist)	Minister for Health , Supply and Shipping	7 Oct 1949 – 3 Feb 1953
Heritage		
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Planning, Lands, Heritage , Minister assisting the Minister for women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council.	19 Feb 1990 – 30 April 1990
	Minister for Planning, Lands, Heritage , The Arts, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	30 Apr 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Dr Judith Mary Edwards (ALP)	Minister for the Environment and Heritage ; Water Resources	16 Feb 2001 – 1 July 2001
	Minister for the Environment and Heritage	1 Jul 2001 – 27 Jun 2003
Hon. Ljiljana Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for local Government and Regional Development; Heritage ; the Kimberley, Pilbara and Gascoyne; Goldfields-Esperance	21 Sep 2004 – 10 Mar 2005
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Housing and Works; Consumer Protection; Heritage ; Land Information	3 Feb 2006 - 13 Dec 2006

Minister for Housing and Works; Heritage ; Indigenous Affairs; Land Information	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
Minister for Employment Protection (until 25 February 2008); Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage ; Land Information	2 Mar 2007 - 23 Sep 2008

Housing

Hon. Pamela Anne Beggs (ALP)	Minister for Housing , Tourism, & Racing & Gaming	25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
	Minister for Housing and Planning	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
Hon. Yvonne Daphne Henderson (ALP)	Minister for Housing & Consumer Affairs	19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Housing & Works; Consumer Protection; Heritage; Land Information	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Housing and Works; Heritage; Indigenous Affairs; Land Information	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Employment Protection (until 25 February 2008); Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage; Land Information	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008

Justice

Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Police and Emergency Services; Community Services and Justice (until 10 March 2005)	27 Jun 2003 – 10 Mar 2005
Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Justice ; Women's Interests; Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	8 May 2006 – 9 May 2006
	Minister for Justice ; Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	9 May 2006 – 26 May 2006

Labour - Name change to Employment Protection, 1 July 2001

Hon. Yvonne Daphne Henderson (ALP)	Minister for Productivity and Labour Relations and Consumer Affairs	5 Feb 1991 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwards (LIB)	Minister for Environment and Labour Relations	28 Jul 1998 – 22 Dec 1999
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Employment Protection ; Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage; Land Information	2 Mar 2007 – 25 Feb 2008

Hon. Liza Harvey, MLA (LIB)	Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development ; Women's Interests	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Lands		
Hon. Margaret June Craig (LIB)	Minister for Lands and Forests	10 Mar 1977 – 25 Aug 1978
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Local Government, Lands , The Family, The Aged, Minister Assisting the Minister for Women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
	Minister for Planning, Lands , Heritage, Minister Assisting the Minister for women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	19 Feb 1990 – 30 April 1990
	Minister for Planning, Lands , Heritage, The Arts, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	30 Apr 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Housing & Works; Consumer Protection; Heritage; Land Information	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Housing and Works; Heritage; Indigenous Affairs; Land Information	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Employment Protection (until 25 February 2008); Housing and Works; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage; Land Information	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008
Hon. Rita Saffioti (ALP)	Minister for Transport; Planning; Lands	17 Mar 2017 – 13 Dec 2018
Local Government		
Hon. Margaret June Craig (LIB)	Minister for Local Government & Urban Development & Town Planning	25 Aug 1978 – 25 Feb 1983
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Local Government , Lands, The Family, The Aged, Minister Assisting the Minister for Women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Police; Emergency Services; & Local Government	16 Feb 2001 – 1 July 2001
Hon. Ljiljanna Maria Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for Local Government and Regional Development	21 Sep 2004 – 10 Mar 2005

	Minister for Local Government ; Racing & Gaming; Minister Assisting the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance; Youth	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008
Mental Health		
Hon. Helen Margaret Morton (LIB)	Minister for Mental Health ; Disability Services; Child Protection	21 Mar 2013 – 31 Mar 2016
Hon. Andrea Ruth Mitchell (LIB)	Minister for Mental Health ; Child Protection	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs		
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Community Services, The Aged, The Family, Youth, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests	26 Feb 1986 – 12 May 1986
	Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests	12 May 1986 – 25 July 1986
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Premier, Treasurer, Minister for Public Sector Management, The Family, Aboriginal Affairs, and Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs and Women's Interests	19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Judyth Watson (ALP)	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests	5 Feb 1991 – 27 Feb 1993
	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs , Seniors and Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests	27 Feb 1993 – 7 Sept 1992
	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs , Seniors and Women's Interests	7 Sept 1992 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests ; Seniors & Volunteering; Minister assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	25 Jan 2006 – 3 Feb 2006
	Minister for Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests ; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	3 Feb 2006 – 8 May 2006
	Minister for Justice; Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests ; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	9 May 2006 – 26 May 2006
Hon. Ljiljanna Maria Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for Government Enterprises; Multicultural Interests & Citizenship ; Youth, Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning & Infrastructure	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007

Minister for Local Government; Racing and Gaming; Multicultural Interests & Citizenship ; Government Enterprises; Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning & Infrastructure; Goldfields-Esperance and Youth	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sept 2008
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Planning

Hon. Margaret June Craig (LIB)	Minister for Local Government, and Urban Development and Town Planning	25 Aug 1978 – 25 Feb 1983
Hon. Pamela Anne Beggs (ALP)	Minister for Housing and Planning	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Planning , Lands, Heritage, Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Interests & Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	19 Feb 1990 – 30 Apr 1990
	Minister for Planning , Lands, Heritage, The Arts; Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	30 Apr 1990 - 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Alannah Joan Geraldine MacTiernan (ALP)	Minister for Planning & Infrastructure	16 Feb 2001 - 23 Sept 2008
Hon. Donna Evelyn Mary Faragher (LIB)	Minister for Planning ; Disability Services	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Hon. Rita Saffioti (ALP)	Minister for Transport; Planning ; Lands	17 Mar 2017 – 13 Dec 2018
	Minister for Transport; Planning	13 Dec 2018 – 19 Mar 2021

Police

Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Police & Emergency Services; Local Government	16 Feb 2001 – 8 Mar 2001
	Minister for Police & Emergency Services; Local Government and Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure	8 Mar 2001 – 1 July 2001
	Minister for Police & Emergency Services, Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure	1 July 2001 – 1 July 2002
	Minister for Police & Emergency Services	1 Jul 2002 – 27 Jun 2003
	Minister for Police & Emergency Services, Justice, Community Safety	27 Jun 2003 – 10 Mar 2005

Hon. Liza Mary Harvey, MLA (LIB)	Minister for Police & Emergency Services, Community Safety	10 Mar 2005 – 3 Feb 2006
	Minister for Police ; Road Safety	17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021
	Minister for Police & Road Safety	29 June 2012 – 21 Mar 2013
	Minister for Police ; Road Safety; Small Business; Women's Interests	21 Mar 2013 – 31 Mar 2016
	Deputy Premier; Minister for Police ; Road Safety, Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests	31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017
Prisons / Corrective Services		
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (LIB)	Attorney General, Minister for Justice (included Prisons) & Women's Interests	10 Feb 1995 – 21 Dec 1995
Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Justice ; Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	9 May 2006 – 26 May 2006
	Minister for Corrective Services ; Women's Interests; Small Business (from 9 November 2006), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	26 May 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Corrective Services ; Small Business, Women's Interests (Until 2 March 2007), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs- Federal-State Relations	13 Dec 2006 – 25 Feb 2008
	Minister for Corrective Services ; Small Business	25 Feb 2008 – 23 Sept 2008
Racing and Gaming		
Hon. Pamela Anne Beggs (ALP)	Minister for Tourism, & Racing & Gaming	26 Feb 1986 – 25 Feb 1988
	Minister for Housing; Tourism, Racing and Gaming	25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
	Minister for Transport, Racing and Gaming , and Tourism (resigned)	19 Feb 1990 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Ljiljanna Maria Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for Local Government; Racing & Gaming ; Multicultural Interests and Citizenship, Government Enterprises, Minister Assisting the Minister for Goldfields-Esperance; Youth	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008

Regional Development

Hon. Pamela Ann Buchanan (ALP)	Minister for Works, Services, Regional Development & the Minister assisting the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs	19 Feb 1990 – 20 Dec 1990
Hon. Ljiljanna Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for Local Government & Regional Development ; Heritage; the Kimberley, Pilbara & Gascoyne; Goldfields-Esperance	21 Sep 2004 – 10 Mar 2005
Hon. Alannah Joan Geraldine MacTiernan (ALP)	Minister for Regional Development ; Agriculture and Food; Hydrogen Industry	17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021
	Minister for Regional Development ; Agriculture and Food; Hydrogen Industry	19 Mar 2021 –

Seniors

Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth, the Aged , (from 12 May 1986) Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs, & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues	25 Feb 1986 – 25 Jul 1989
	Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth, The Aged , and Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues and (from 4 August 1987) Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	25 Jul 1986 – 28 Feb 1989
	Minister for Local Government, Lands, The Family, The Aged , Minister Assisting the Minister for Women's Interests, and Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
Hon. Judyth Watson (ALP)	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, Seniors (from 27 February 1991) and Minister Assisting the Minister for Women's Interests	27 Feb 1991 – 7 Sep 1992
	Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, Seniors and Women's Interests	7 Sep 1992 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children Services, Youth, (until 3 April 1996), Seniors , Fair Trading & Women's Interests	21 Dec 1995 – 9 Jan 1997
Hon. Rhonda Kathleen Parker (LIB)	Minister for Family and Children's Services, Seniors , and Women's Interests	9 Jan 1997 – 22 Dec 1999
Hon. June Dorothy van de Klashorst (LIB)	Minister for Family and Children's Services; Seniors ; Women's Interests	22 Dec 1999 – 16 Feb 2001
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth, Disability Services, Culture and the Arts	6 Mar 2001 – 20 Mar 2005

Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Seniors and Volunteering and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	25 Nov 2005 – 3 Feb 2006
Hon. Suzanne (Sue) Mary Ellery (ALP)	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Women's Interests; and Seniors and Volunteering	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sept 2008
Hon. Robyn Mary McSweeney (LIB)	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering	23 Sep 2008 – 9 Feb 2009
	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering and Women's Interests	9 Feb 2009 – 14 Dec 2010
	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests; Youth	14 Dec 2010 – 21 Mar 2013

Small Business

Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Corrective Services; Women's Interests; Small Business ; Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	9 Nov 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Corrective Services; Small Business , Women's Interests (Until 2 March 2007), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs- Federal-State Relations	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Corrective Services; Small Business	25 Feb 2008 – 23 Sep 2008
Hon. Liza Mary Harvey (LIB)	Minister for Police; Road Safety; Small Business ; Women's Interests	21 Mar 2013 – 16 Feb 2016

Sport and Recreation

Hon. Mia Davies (NAT)	Minister for Water; Sport and Recreation ; Forestry	8 Dec 2014 – 17 Mar 2017
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Supply

Hon. Dame Annie Florence Gillies Cardell-Oliver, DBE (NAT/LIB)	Honorary Minister for Supply & Shipping	5 Jan 1948 – 7 Oct 1949
	Minister for Health, Supply and Shipping	7 Oct 1949 – 3 Feb 1953

Tourism

Hon. Pamela Anne Beggs (ALP)	Minister for Tourism , Racing & Gaming	25 Feb 1986 – 25 Feb 1988
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	Minister for Housing, Tourism and Racing & Gaming	25 Feb 1988 – 28 Feb 1989
	Minister for Transport, Racing and Gaming, and Tourism	19 Feb 1990 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Indigenous Affairs; Tourism ; Culture and the Arts	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Tourism ; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Disability Services; Tourism ; Culture and the Arts; Consumer Protection	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008
Hon. Dr Elizabeth Constable (IND)	Minister for Education; Tourism ; Women's Interests	23 Sep 2008 – 14 Dec 2010
	Minister for Education; Tourism ; Women's Interests	23 Sep 2008 – 9 Feb 2009
	Minister for Education; Tourism .	9 Feb 2009 – 14 Dec 2010
Hon. Liza Mary Harvey (LIB)	Minister for Police; Tourism ; Road Safety; Women's Interests	8 Dec 2014 – 17 Mar 2017
Transport		
Hon. Pamela Anne Beggs (ALP)	Minister for Transport , Racing & Gaming & Tourism	19 Feb 1990 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Alannah Joan Geraldine MacTiernan (ALP)	Minister for Planning & Infrastructure - Includes Transport	16 Feb 2001 – 23 Sept 2008
Hon. Rita Saffioti (ALP)	Minister for Transport ; Planning; Lands	17 Mar 2017 – 13 Dec 2018
	Minister for Transport ; Planning	13 Dec 2018 – 19 Mar 2021
	Minister for Transport ; Planning; Ports	19 Mar 2021 –
Treasurer		
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Premier, Treasurer & Minister for Public Sector Management, the Family, Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs & Women's Interests	19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
	Premier, Treasurer & Minister for The Family Aboriginal Affairs and Women's Interests	5 Feb 1991 – 7 Sep 1992
	Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Employment, Trade and Investment	7 Sep 1992 – 16 Feb 1993

Water		
Hon. Dr Judith Mary Edwards (ALP)	Minister for the Environment & Heritage & Water Resources	16 Feb 2001 – 10 Mar 2005
Hon. Mia Jane Davies (NAT)	Minister for Water ; Forestry	11 Dec 2013 – 8 Dec 2014
	Minister for Water ; Sport and Recreation; Forestry	8 Dec 2014 – 17 March 2017
Women's Interests		
Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Local Government, Lands, the Family, the Aged, Women's Interests & Deputy Leader Government LC	28 Feb 1988 – 12 Feb 1990
Hon. Dr Carmen Mary Lawrence (ALP)	Premier, Minister for Public Sector Management, The Family, Women's Interests , Education & Aboriginal Affairs.	12 Feb 1990 – 19 Feb 1990
	Premier, Minister for Public Sector Management, The Family, Aboriginal Affairs, Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs, and Women's Interests	19 Feb 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
	Premier, Treasurer & Minister The Family, and Women's Interests	5 Feb 1991 – 7 Sep 1992
Hon. Judyth Watson (ALP)	Minister for Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs, Seniors & Women's Interests	7 Sep 1992 – 16 Feb 1993
Hon. Cheryl Lynn Edwardes (LIB)	Attorney General, Minister for Women's Interests , & Parliamentary & Electoral Affairs	16 Feb 1993 – 8 Mar 1993
	Attorney General, Minister for Women's Interests , & Parliamentary & Electoral Affairs, Minister assisting the minister for Community Development with special responsibility for the Youth Justice Bureau	8 Mar 1993 – 1 Mar 1994
	Attorney General, Minister for Women's Interests , & Parliamentary & Electoral Affairs	1 Mar 1994 – 10 Feb 1995
	Attorney General, Minister for Women's Interests	10 Feb 1995 – 21 Dec 1995
	Minister for Family and Children's Services, Youth, Seniors, Fair Trading and Women's Interests	21 Dec 1995 – 3 Apr 1996
	Minister for Family and Children's Services, Seniors, Fair Trading and Women's Interests	3 Apr 1996 – 9 Jan 1997

Hon. Rhonda Kathleen Parker (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children's Services, Seniors, Fair Trading & Women's Interests	9 Jan 1997 – 22 Dec 1999
Hon. June Dorothy van de Klashorst (LIB)	Minister for Family & Children's Services, Seniors, Fair Trading & Women's Interests	22 Dec 1999 – 10 Feb 2001
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests , Seniors and Youth; Disability Services; Culture & the Arts	6 Mar 2001 – 25 Jan 2006
Hon. Margaret Mary Quirk (ALP)	Minister for Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	3 Feb 2006 – 8 May 2006
	Minister for Justice; Women's Interests ; Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	8 May 2006 – 9 May 2006
	Minister for Justice; Disability Services; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests; Women's Interests and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	9 May 2006 – 26 May 2006
	Minister for Corrective Services; Women's Interests ; Small Business (from 9 November 2006), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs	26 May 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Corrective Services; Small Business, Women's Interests (Until 2 March 2007), and Minister Assisting the Minister for Federal Affairs- Federal-State Relations	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
Hon. Suzanne (Sue) Mary Ellery (ALP)	Minister for Child Protection; Communities; Women's Interests ; Seniors and Volunteering	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sept 2008
Hon. Dr Elizabeth Constable (IND)	Minister for Education; Tourism; Women's Interests	23 Sep 2008 – 9 Feb 2009
Hon. Robyn Mary McSweeney (LIB)	Minister Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors; Volunteering; Women's Interests	9 Feb 2009 – 14 Dec 2010
	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests ; Youth	14 Dec 2010 – 21 Mar 2013
Hon. Liza Mary Harvey (LIB)	Minister for Police; Road Safety; Small Business; Women's Interests	21 Mar 2013 – 31 Mar 2016
		31 Mar 2016 – 17 Mar 2017

Minister for Police Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development and
Women's Interests

Hon. Simone Frances McGurk (ALP)	Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests ; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services	17 Mar 2017 – 19 Mar 2021
	Minister for Child Protection; Women's Interests ; Prevention of Family and Domestic Violence; Community Services	19 Mar 2021 –

Works

Hon. Yvonne Daphne Henderson (ALP)	Minister for Works , Services and Consumer Affairs	28 Feb 1989 – 19 Feb 1990
Hon. Pamela Ann Buchanan (ALP)	Minister for Works , Services, Regional Development and the Minister assisting the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs	19 Feb 1990 – 20 Dec 1990
	Minister for Works , Services and the Minister assisting the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs	20 Dec 1990 – 5 Feb 1991
Hon. Michelle Hopkins Roberts (ALP)	Minister for Housing & Works ; Consumer Protection; Heritage; Land Information	3 Feb 2006 – 13 Dec 2006
	Minister for Housing & Works ; Heritage; Indigenous Affairs; Land Information	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Employment Protection; Housing and Works ; Indigenous Affairs; Heritage and Land Information	2 Mar 2007 – 25 Feb 2008
	Minister for Housing and Works ; Indigenous Affairs, Heritage and Land Information	25 Feb 2008 – 23 Sep 2008

Youth

Hon. Elsie Kay Hallahan (ALP)	Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth , the Aged, (from 12 May 1986) Multicultural & Ethnic Affairs, & Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues	25 Feb 1986 – 25 Jul 1989
	Minister for Community Services, the Family, Youth , The Aged, and Minister assisting the Minister for Women's Issues and (from 4 August 1987) Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council	25 Jul 1986 – 28 Feb 1989
Hon. Sheila Margaret McHale (ALP)	Minister for Community Development, Women's Interests, Seniors and Youth , Disability Services, Culture and the Arts	6 Mar 2001 – 20 Mar 2005

Hon. Ljiljanna Ravlich (ALP)	Minister for Government Enterprises; Multicultural Interests and Citizenship, Youth and Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure	13 Dec 2006 – 2 Mar 2007
	Minister for Local Government; Racing and Gaming; Multicultural Interests and Citizenship, Government Enterprises, Youth , Goldfields-Esperance, and Minister Assisting the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure	2 Mar 2007 – 23 Sep 2008
Hon. Robyn Mary McSweeney (LIB)	Minister for Child Protection; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Women's Interests; Youth	14 Dec 2010 – 21 Mar 2013

Abbreviations

ALP	Australian Labor Party
Govt	Government
IND	Independent
LA	Legislative Assembly
LC	Legislative Council
LIB	Liberal
MLA	Member of the Legislative Assembly
MLC	Member of the Legislative Council
NAT	National Party

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