

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY**

**WRITTEN QUESTION**

Mrs Lambley to the Chief Minister:

**Election Expenditure**

- 1. As the Territory's new Chief Minister, what steps have you taken, or propose to take, to ensure that taxpayers' money will not be spent on the Labor Party's campaign for this year's election as it was during the Northern Territory 2020 general election?**

As the Territory's Chief Minister, I expect the guidelines and use of publicly funded resources by Ministers, Opposition Leaders and MLAs to be clear and adhered to by all.

The guidelines have been updated and all Ministers and Ministerial staff are aware of the guidelines and processes and my expectations of adherence. They are available on OCM Portal [OCM Document Centre](#) – Under headers 'Governance / Conduct and Corruption'.

The Commissioner for Public Employment has communicated updated guidelines and procedures to all public sector employees. The [Guidelines and procedures for public sector employees during election times](#) have been updated, and are now available on the [OCPE website](#).

- 2. Will you disclose the relevant preventative measures in the public interest?**

Refer to the answer above.