

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE
Question Taken on Notice

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From: Ms Selena Uibo

To: Hon Lia Finocchiaro

Portfolio: Chief Minister

Agency: Chief Minister and Cabinet

Subject: Review of the death of Kumanjayi Little Baby

QUESTION

When was the decision made for the review of the Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet into the tragic death of Kumanjayi Little Baby to be overseen by the Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet as opposed to the Department of Children and Families.

ANSWER

On 11 May 2026 the Honourable Robyn Cahill OAM MLA, Minister for Children and Families wrote to the CEO of the Department of Chief Minister and Cabinet requesting the commissioning of an independent review into the conduct of the Department of Children and Families in relation to the case of Kumanjayi Little Baby.