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Constituency Question - Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery Staff Cuts

Dear Mr George

Thank you for your Constituency Question on 8 September 2026 regarding the Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery (TMAG).

The proposed changes within TMAG are intended to strengthen coordination across operational and visitor-facing functions, while supporting a more integrated organisational structure and enhancing the museum's ability to deliver on its objectives.

A formal consultation process is currently underway to provide staff and other stakeholders with the opportunity to give feedback on the proposed changes. All feedback received through this process will be carefully considered before any decisions are made.

Regardless of staff changes, the State Collection will continue to be managed and conserved in line with the institution's statutory obligation.

Thank you for taking the time to write to me and share your views on this matter. I appreciate your interest in the future of TMAG.

Yours sincerely

Hon Roger Jaensch MP
Minister for Arts