

Barton Deakin Brief: New Morrison Government Ministry

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Overview

Today, the Prime Minister announced changes to the Ministry and the Cabinet due to the resignation of Christian Porter MP from the role of Minister for Industry, Science and Technology.

Cabinet Changes

- Angus Taylor MP will be taking over the role of Minister for Industry. This is in addition to his existing role as Minister Energy and Emissions Reduction.
- Melissa Price MP will take on the portfolios of Science and Technology and retain her role as Minister for Defence Industry.
- Alex Hawke MP will be promoted to Cabinet and continue in his role as Minister for Immigration, Citizenship, Migrant Services and Multicultural Affairs.

Ministry Changes

- Ben Morton MP will be promoted to the Ministry. He will become the Special Minister of State, Minister for Public Service, Minister Assisting the Prime Minister and Cabinet.
- Tim Wilson will be promoted from the backbench and become the Assistant Minister for Industry, Energy and Emissions Reduction.

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For more information

To read the Prime Minister's Media Release, [click here](#).

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