



Select Committee on the 2026 Commonwealth Games Bid

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Questions taken on notice

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Additional questions

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Question Asked to Tim Ada:

David DAVIS: Jeroen Weimar – is he one of the ones who is still employed, or what is his role now?

Tim ADA: Mr Weimar no longer works for the organising committee.

David DAVIS: Is he in the department?

Tim ADA: No, he is not. He is not working in the public sector, as I understand it.

David DAVIS: Was there a payout?

Tim ADA: I assume that he, like other members of the organising committee who terminated their employment with the organising committee, would have had a payment in line with the contractual obligations.

David DAVIS: How much was that?

Tim ADA: I do not have that information, Mr Davis.

David DAVIS: You probably do, though.

Tim ADA: Not with me – I do not have that information.

David DAVIS: You can find it though, thank you.

Response:

Mr Weimar was employed by the then Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions (DJPR) under the VPS Standard Executive Employment Contract on 1 July 2022 and formally transferred to Victoria 2026 Pty Ltd (Victoria 2026) on 3 December 2022. On transfer to Victoria 2026, the department understands this executive contract was replaced by a Victorian Public Entity Executive Employment Contract.

The VPS Standard Executive Employment Contract and Victorian Public Entity Executive Employment Contract contain standard termination clauses.

Following the cancellation of the Games, the department understands that Victoria 2026 paid Mr Weimar the termination entitlement provided under his executive employment contract with Victoria 2026.

Mr Weimar ceased his employment with Victoria 2026 on 31 October 2023.