



PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA
Public Accounts and Estimates Committee

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Report presented on the State Government's response to COVID-19

The Public Accounts and Estimates Committee has today presented the [second report](#) for its inquiry considering the Victorian Government's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Committee held three rounds of public hearings over 20 days last year.

Evidence was received from a range of witnesses including the Premier and Ministers of the COVID-19 Crisis Cabinet, peak industry groups, community organisations, unions, the education sector, local government and health experts.

"We are grateful to the many people who shared information with the Committee during the course of the inquiry," Committee Chair Lizzie Blandthorn MP said.

"The inquiry we conducted has enabled us to present an analysis of the response and to make a series of recommendations on a range of matters," she said.

"This report examines the response that has been made to an unprecedented emergency that has tested all of us," Lizzie Blandthorn MP said.

"Our Committee recognises the considerable effort that people across our state have made in responding to the pandemic," Lizzie Blandthorn MP said.

The report is available from the Committee's [website](#).

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