

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## Operation Lyrebird: ACT Integrity Commission Special Report presented to Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

The Commission today gave the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly the first part of a Special Report dealing with a corruption report made by the Parliamentary Accounts Committee following consideration of a Report of the Auditor-General that examined certain acquisitions undertaken by the former Land Development Agency between 2014 and 2016 as part of the ACT Government's "City to the Lake" Project.

This Special Report deals with the acquisition of the lease for land adjacent to Glebe Park in Canberra City. A subsequent report will cover the acquisitions of boat and bicycle hire businesses on the Lake Burley Griffin foreshore.

The Special Report concludes that, following detailed examination by the Commission of all available material, there is no reasonable suspicion that the transaction involved corrupt conduct either by the Chief Minister or any other official.

The full report is available on the Commission's website: **integrity.act.gov.au**.

Link to report: https://www.integrity.act.gov.au/publications/commission-reports

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