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THE HON JOE SZAKACS MP
Minister for Infrastructure and Transport



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CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION

TUESDAY 30 JUNE 2026

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9.00AM OPENING PLENARY SESSION 'SOUTH AUSTRALIA THE RE SUPERPOWER'
CHAIR: STEVE BLUME, DIRECTOR, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

WELCOME TO COUNTRY – CLIFFY 'TANGKU MUNAITYA' WILSON Cultural Educator, Kuma Kaaru Cultural Services

WELCOME FROM SMART ENERGY COUNCIL CEO – DAVID McELREA

PAUL MARTYN Chief Executive, Department for Energy and Mining

SIMON EMMS Chief Executive, ElectraNet

MERRILY HUNTER Chief Executive Officer, MAC Trade Services

NICK HARFORD Managing Director, Harford Consulting

10.05AM SOUTH AUSTRALIA – 100% RENEWABLES BY 2027
CHAIR: DAVID McELREA, CEO SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

SAM CRAFT Customer Innovation Manager, SA Power Networks

RAEGAN HANKS Business Development and Strategy Planning, GoodWe

PHIL SALONIKLIS Manufacturing Head APAC, Electrolux

10.35AM MORNING TEA BREAK

11.00AM KEYNOTE

THE HON JOE SZAKACS MP Minister for Infrastructure and Transport

11.20AM FUTURE MADE IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA
CHAIR: ROB POTTER, HEAD OF POLICY AND ADVOCACY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

JO HUGMAN General Manager Production, Tindo Solar

ROB LAW Senior Manager/Representative, WWF (World Wide Fund for Nature)

MARC SHELDON Chief Executive Officer, Red Earth (RedEarth Energy Storage)

LEON CERMAK Business Development, Partnerships and Policy - APAC, Tesla

DEIDRE WILLMOTT AM Strategic Advisor, Global Sustainability & External Affairs, Fortescue

Q&A

12.30PM LUNCH BREAK

1.30PM CONSUMER SOLAR & STORAGE – PANEL
CHAIR: NIGEL MORRIS, CHIEF STRATEGY OFFICER, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

OLIVIA JONG Senior Product Manager, OSW

JESSICA MACPHERSON Solar and Battery Storage Design Consultant, NRG

LEO YE Head of Product, Fox ESS Australia

JAMES BELL Business Development Manager, EcoFlow

ANTHONY BUCKWELL Product and Solutions Engineer, FranklinWH

JEREMY DENG Australian Technical Manager, Pylontech

2.35PM COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL SCALE UP
CHAIR: ROB POTTER, HEAD OF POLICY AND ADVOCACY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

ROBERT POTTER Head of Policy and Advocacy, Smart Energy Council

SHAMS SHAHER Product Manager, Clenergy

JAWAD SAYED General Manager, Oceania, MeteoControl

ADRIAN LEHMAN Business Development, Australia and New Zealand, S-5!

EDISON NIE Solutions Manager, Raystech

3.35PM AFTERNOON TEA BREAK

4.05PM STEWARDSHIP, RECYCLING AND CIRCULAR ECONOMY
CHAIR: DARREN JOHANNESSEN, EXECUTIVE GENERAL MANAGER - SUSTAINABILITY, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

DARREN JOHANNESSEN Executive General Manager - Sustainability, Smart Energy Council

JEROME KOH Manager, Circular Economy Policy Branch; Strategy and Policy, NSW EPA

JAMES PETESIC Co-Founder PV Industries + Mitcham Council SA

DR MARINA LUNARDI Technical Lead - Stewardship Program, Smart Energy Council

Q&A

4.50PM CLOSING KEYNOTE

STEVE BLUME Director, Smart Energy Council

5.00PM NETWORKING DRINKS

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TREVOR GLEN
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PORTIA ROONEY
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10.00AM INSTALLER COMPLIANCE & INDUSTRY UPDATE
CHAIR: NIGEL MORRIS, CHIEF STRATEGY OFFICER, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

JEROME KOH Manager, Circular Economy Policy Branch: Strategy and Policy, NSW EPA

KATHRYN NEALE Customer Success Manager - Team Lead, GreenSketch

MARA DESTRO Connection Services Coordinator, SA Power Networks

TREVOR GLEN General Manager, SolarQuotes

GAYNOR MAREE Mentor Lead, Big Sister

10.50AM MORNING TEA BREAK

11.15AM CPD & TRAINING
CHAIR: GEOFF BRAGG, TRAINING & STANDARDS COORDINATOR, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

TIM LAMACRAFT General Manager - Media & Communications, Smart Energy Council

CODY HANCOCK Training Technical Lead, GSES Global Sustainable Energy Solutions

MARK ETTRIDGE Sales Manager, SA, SolaX Power

12.30PM LUNCH BREAK

1.30PM THE NEXT BIG REVOLUTION OF EVs
CHAIR: ANDREW DICKSON, SENIOR ADVISOR - SOUTH AUSTRALIA, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

SIMON DRUMM Director of Relationships, Judo Bank

TRENT KONTOPOULOS National Fleet Manager, Kia

PORTIA ROONEY Director, Batteries on Wheels

TIM WASHINGTON Co-founder and CEO, JET Charge

PETER NATTRASS Principal Advisor Energy and Future Mobility, RAA

BEN HUTT CEO & Managing Director, Janus Electric

2.35PM CPD
CHAIR: NIGEL MORRIS, CHIEF STRATEGY OFFICER, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

GEOFF BRAGG Training & Standards Coordinator, Smart Energy Council

3.25PM AFTERNOON TEA BREAK

3.55PM CPD
CHAIR: GEOFF BRAGG, TRAINING & STANDARDS COORDINATOR, SMART ENERGY COUNCIL

ANTHONY BUCKWELL Product and Solutions Engineer, FranklinWH

DERRICK CHOONG Technical Service Engineer, SOFAR

4.55PM CLOSING REMARKS

NIGEL MORRIS Chief Strategy Officer, Smart Energy Council

5.00PM NETWORKING DRINKS