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Following the recent re-election of the Martin Labor Government in the Northern Territory, the Chief Minister has announced her new Ministry today.

The Chief Minister has taken on the Asian Relations and Trade portfolio for the first time. This was a common occurrence in the former CLP Government, but the first time Chief Minister Martin has taken the role

Paul Henderson has increased the business-focus of his ministry taking on the new Regional Development Department

Chris Burns has increased his portfolio load with public employment and communications.

There are two new ministers (Elliot McAdam and Delia Lawrie). The Ministry now has two indigenous ministers and three women ministers.

A full ministry list is provided overleaf.

Full Ministry – Northern Territory Government Announced 11 July 2005

Clare Martin

Chief Minister
Minister for Tourism
Minister for Asian Relations and Trade
Minister for the AustralAsia Railway
Minister for Indigenous Affairs

Syd Stirling

Treasurer
Minister for Employment, Education and Training
Minister for Racing, Gaming and Licensing

Peter Toyne

Minister for Justice and Attorney-General
Minister for Health
Minister for Central Australia

Paul Henderson

Minister for Business and Economic Development
Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services
Minister for Regional Development
Minister for Defence Support
Minister for Essential Services

Chris Burns

Minister for Transport and Infrastructure
Minister for Lands and Planning
Minister for Public Employment
Minister for Corporate and Information Services
Minister for Communications

Kon Vatskalis

Minister for Primary Industry and Fisheries
Minister for Mines and Energy
Minister for Multicultural Affairs

Marion Scrymgour

Minister for Natural Resources, the Environment and Heritage
Minister for Parks and Wildlife
Minister for Arts and Museums
Minister for Young Territorians
Minister for Women's Policy
Minister for Senior Territorians

Elliot McAdam

Minister for Local Government
Minister for Housing
Minister assisting the Chief Minister on Indigenous Affairs

Delia Lawrie

Minister for Family and Community Services
Minister for Sport and Recreation