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New Norfolk Island Government

Following the election of 21st March, the nine incoming members of the 12th Legislative Assembly have met to consider governance arrangements and Assembly office bearers. His Honour the Administrator has been requested to convene a formal meeting of the Legislative Assembly on Wednesday 27th March at 2.00 p.m. for the purpose of the election of Assembly office bearers.

Informal agreement of the members has been reached to recommend to His Honour that Andre Nobbs be sworn in as Chief Minister of Norfolk Island. Mr Nobbs said today that the Assembly will be asked to endorse the following appointments:

Chief Minister:	Andre Nobbs
Minister for Tourism and Health:	Geoff Gardner
Minister for the Environment, Education and Social Welfare:	Vicky Jack
Minister for Finance:	Neville Christian
Minister for Commerce and Industry:	Chris Magri
Speaker:	Lisle Snell
Deputy Speaker:	Tim Sheridan

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