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Inquiry into Latrobe Valley transition to kick off in Traralgon

The Legislative Council's Economy and Infrastructure Committee inquiry into the closure of the Hazelwood and Yallourn power stations will hold its first hearing in Traralgon on November 24th.

The Committee is examining the impact of the closure of the power stations on the economy and jobs in the Latrobe Valley.

Hazelwood was decommissioned in 2017, while Yallourn is due to close in 2028.

The inquiry will explore options for the State Government to pursue to offset the loss of more than 1,000 direct jobs from the plant, as well as associated contractors.

It will also examine the effectiveness of the Latrobe Valley Authority in helping the region transition.

The terms of reference and submissions can be found on the inquiry's [website](#).

The location of the hearing and list of witnesses will be announced at a later date.

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