

PRESS RELEASE
PARLIAMENT OF SINGAPORE

**OFFICIAL VISIT OF SPEAKER SEAH KIAN PENG
TO AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND
FROM 21 TO 27 MARCH 2026**

The Speaker of the Parliament of Singapore, Mr Seah Kian Peng, is on an Official Visit to New Zealand (Wellington) and Australia (Canberra and Sydney) from 21 to 27 March 2026, at the invitations of the Speaker of the New Zealand House of Representatives Gerry Brownlee, Speaker of the Australian House of Representatives Milton Dick, and President of the Senate Sue Lines. This is Mr Seah's first visit to both countries in his capacity as Speaker. He will be accompanied by Members of Parliament (MPs) Mr Alex Yam, Mr Saktiandi Supaat, Associate Professor Jamus Lim and Dr Choo Pei Ling.

2 In New Zealand, Speaker Seah and the MPs will call on Governor-General Dame Cindy Kiro and Speaker of the New Zealand House of Representatives Gerry Brownlee. The Singapore delegation will also meet key New Zealand personalities from think tanks, academia and industry.

3 In Australia, Speaker Seah and the MPs will call on Governor-General Sam Mostyn; President of the Senate Sue Lines; Speaker of the House of Representatives Milton Dick; Minister for Foreign Affairs Penny Wong; Shadow Minister for Foreign Affairs Ted O'Brien; and members of the Parliament of New South Wales, including Speaker of the Legislative Assembly Gregory Piper and President of the Legislative Council Ben Franklin. Speaker Seah will lay a wreath at the Australian War Memorial.

4 Speaker Seah and the MPs will meet members of the Inter-Parliamentary Friendship Groups as well as representatives of the overseas Singaporean communities in Australia and New Zealand. These valuable opportunities for parliamentary and community exchanges will foster a better understanding between

the respective parliaments and strengthen Singapore's enduring friendship with Australia and New Zealand.

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