

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person

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## McCarthy, Malarndirri Barbara Anne

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**Nationality** Australian

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**Occupation** Journalist, Parliamentarian

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### Summary

A member of the Australian Labor Party, Malarndirri McCarthy was elected to the Northern Territory Assembly as the Member for Arnhem in 2005. She was re-elected unopposed in 2008 and is currently a Minister with responsibility for Children and Families; Child Protection; Statehood; Women's Policy and Indigenous Policy. She is a Yanyuwa woman from Borroloola in the Northern Territory.

### Published resources

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