

## **Background: the minuting process**

- Currently, for official ministerial government meetings, the minuting process is fully manual and slow.
- The process:
  - Minuter takes notes in the meeting, often handwritten. 1hr
  - Minuter beings draft of minute, using the notes and briefs.
     3.5hrs
  - 3. Concurrently, the minute is fact checked and edits suggested to bring in line with the style guide. **3hrs**
  - 4. Final minute draft created and cleared. **1hr**
- We want to use AI to speed this up and make it much better!



## **Problem statement: Al Tool**

- Create a tool to aid the entire minuting process.
- What does the Al need to do?
  - Transcribe the meeting. This can either be live transcription, or transcription
    afterwards of the meeting recording. Ideally, we'd also identify the speakers at
    each point in the transcript.
  - 2. Summarize the meeting. We need the tool to create a draft minute of the meeting from the transcription.
  - 3. **Iterative minute development**. We need to be able to **interact** with the draft and iteratively edit it.

## Good to know

- We encourage the development of other creative features and functionality!
- The tool needs a front-end... it will be built for non-technical person to use.
- One unique aspect of working with government meetings is that we care very strongly about security. So, whilst we welcome the use of the powerful LLMs you've been given access to via API keys, we encourage using locally-hosted quantized open-source models in your tool. We'd love to see these being used well and with high quality outputs!
- We're actively developing a tool to do this now. So there's a chance your work could lead to historic change to very senior government meetings.