



Queensland

Local Government (Gold Coast City Council—Suspension of Councillor) Amendment Regulation 2023

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made under the

Local Government Act 2009

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1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Local Government (Gold Coast City Council—Suspension of Councillor) Amendment Regulation 2023*.

2 Regulation amended

This regulation amends the *Local Government Regulation 2012*.

3 Amendment of s 253 (Suspension of councillor—Act, s 122)

Section 253, heading, after ‘councillor’—

insert—

(Fraser Coast Regional Council)

4 Insertion of new s 253A

After section 253—

insert—

253A Suspension of councillor (Gold Coast City Council)—Act, s 122

- (1) The nominated councillor is suspended from office as a councillor of the Gold Coast City Council for the period—
 - (a) starting on 15 September 2023; and
 - (b) ending on the earlier of—
 - (i) the conclusion of the quadrennial election for the council to be held in 2024; or
 - (ii) 30 April 2024.

Note—

Subsection (1) gives effect to a recommendation made in writing by the Minister, on 13 September 2023 under section 122(2)(b) of the Act, that the Governor in

Council suspend the nominated councillor for the period mentioned in the subsection. See also section 122(3) of the Act.

- (2) The suspension does not affect the nominated councillor's entitlement to be paid remuneration as a councillor for the period.
- (3) This section expires on 1 May 2024.
- (4) In this section—

nominated councillor means Ryan Bayldon-Lumsden.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 14 September 2023.
- 2 Notified on the Queensland legislation website on 15 September 2023.
- 3 The administering agency is the Department of State Development, Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning.

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