



Queensland

*COVID-19 Emergency Response Act 2020*  
*Local Government Act 2009*

# **Local Government (COVID-19 Emergency Response) Regulation 2020**

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## 1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Local Government (COVID-19 Emergency Response) Regulation 2020*.

## 2 Declaration

This regulation is made under the *COVID-19 Emergency Response Act 2020*, section 8.

## 3 Modification of Local Government Act 2009, s 150CJ (Power to require attendance)

The *Local Government Act 2009*, section 150CJ applies as if the following changes were made—

(a) section 150CJ(1) were omitted and the following provision were inserted—

(1) The investigator may, by notice given to a person, require the person to answer questions related to the investigation of the conduct of a councillor or an offence against a conduct provision by—

(a) attending before the investigator to answer the questions—

(i) in person, at a stated reasonable time and place; or

(ii) by audio link or audio visual link, at a stated reasonable time; or

(b) providing answers to the questions, by email or other electronic means, at or before a stated reasonable time.

(b) section 150CJ included the following provision—

(5) In this section—

*audio link* see the *Evidence Act 1977*, section 39C.

*audio visual link* see the *Evidence Act 1977*, schedule 3.

#### **4 Expiry**

This regulation expires on 31 December 2020.