



Queensland

Industrial Relations Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2013

Explanatory Notes for SL 2013 No. 133

made under the

Industrial Relations Act 1999

General outline

Short title

Industrial Relations Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2013.

Policy objectives and the reasons for them

The policy objective of the proposed Regulation is to prescribe further detail on the nature of particulars of sections of the *Industrial Relations (Transparency and Accountability of Industrial Organisations) and Other Acts Amendment Act 2013* (the Amendment Act).

Achievement of policy objectives

The policy objective of the *Industrial Relations Amendment Regulation (No.1.) 2013* is achieved by prescribing detail and the nature of particulars of sections of the Amendment Act. The Amendment Act anticipates accompanying Regulation to provide detail and context to provisions in the Act relating to the transparency and accountability of industrial organisations.

Alternative ways of achieving policy objectives

There is no alternative way of achieving the policy objectives. Failure to amend the subordinate legislation would result in an incomplete legislative framework causing uncertainty to those organisations to which the legislation applies.

Consistency with policy objective of authorising law

The proposed Industrial Relations Amendment Regulation 2013 is consistent with the objects and intent of the authorising law - the *Industrial Relations (Transparency and Accountability of Industrial Organisations) and Other Acts Amendment Act 2013* - as it prescribes detail and the nature of particulars as required in the Amendment Act.

In accordance with section 709 of the *Industrial Relations Act 1999*, Regulation-making power, the Governor in Council may make regulations under this Act.

Inconsistency with policy objective of other legislation

There are no known inconsistencies with policy objectives of other legislation.

Estimated cost for government implementation

The Government will not incur any additional cost in the implementation of the *Industrial Relations Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2013*.

Consistency with fundamental legislative principles

The *Industrial Relations Amendment Regulation (No.1) 2013* is consistent with fundamental legislative principles.

Consultation

Consultation was undertaken for the *Industrial Relations (Transparency and Accountability of Industrial Organisations) and Other Acts Amendment Act 2013*. As the Regulation is consistent with the aforementioned Act, does not introduce new requirements and only

provides detail to provisions in that legislation, further consultation was not considered necessary.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
- 2 The administering agency is the Department of Justice and Attorney-General.

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