

CRIMINAL CODE (CRIMINAL ORGANISATIONS) AMENDMENT REGULATION (NO. 1) 2013

Explanatory notes for SL 2013 No. 290

made under the

Criminal Code

General Outline

Short title

Criminal Code (Criminal Organisations) Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2013

Authorising law

Section 60B and 708 of the *Criminal Code*

Policy objectives and the reasons for them

The primary objective of the regulation is to amend section 3 of the *Criminal Code (Criminal Organisations) Regulation 2013* to correct anomalies in the list of prescribed places. The regulation omits one address; amends two other addresses; and adds a further two addresses to the section 3 list.

Achievement of policy objectives

The policy objective is achieved by amending section 3 of the *Criminal Code (Criminal Organisations) Regulation 2013* to correct anomalies in the list of prescribed places and to add two further addresses to the list.

Consistency with policy objectives of authorising law

The policy objective of section 60B of the *Criminal Code* is the provision of an offence that tackles criminal gangs. The regulation is consistent with the policy objectives of this authorising law.

Inconsistency with policy objectives of other legislation

The regulation is consistent with the policy objectives of other legislation.

Alternative ways of achieving policy objectives

There are no alternative ways in which the objectives could be achieved.

Benefits and costs of implementation

There are negligible costs associated with the implementation of the regulation.

Consistency with Fundamental Legislative Principles

The regulation is consistent with fundamental legislative principles.

Consultation

The Department of the Premier and Cabinet, the Queensland Police Service and the Office of Best Practice Regulation of the Queensland Competition Authority were consulted.

All agencies consulted support the amendments.