

# Proclamation

Explanatory notes for SL 2016 No. 35

made under the

*Further Education and Training (Training Ombudsman) and Another Act Amendment Act 2016*

## General Outline

### Authorising law

Section 2 of the *Further Education and Training (Training Ombudsman) and Another Act Amendment Act 2016* (the Act) provides that the Act will commence on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

### Policy objectives and the reasons for them

The objective of the Proclamation is to commence the Act on 22 April 2016. The Act amends the *Further Education and Training Act 2014* and the *Public Service Act 2008* by inserting provisions that:

- establish the training ombudsman as an independent statutory position appointed by the Governor in Council;
- maintain the integrity and independence of the training ombudsman; and
- establish the office of the training ombudsman as a public service office to support the training ombudsman.

### Achievement of policy objectives

The policy objectives of the Act will be achieved by commencement of these provisions.

### Consistency with policy objectives of authorising law

The Proclamation is consistent with the objectives of the Act.

## **Inconsistency with policy objectives of other legislation**

The Proclamation is not inconsistent with any policy objectives of other legislation.

## **Alternative ways of achieving policy objectives**

There are no alternative means of achieving the purpose of the Proclamation.

## **Benefits and costs of implementation**

The commencement of the Act by Proclamation will not result in any additional costs to Government.

## **Consistency with fundamental legislative principles**

The Proclamation raises no issues with regard to fundamental legislative principles.

## **Consultation**

No consultation external to government occurred in relation to the commencement of the Act by Proclamation.