

Proclamation to commence Chapter 4 of the Electoral and Other Legislation (Accountability, Integrity and Other Matters) Amendment Act 2020

Human Rights Certificate

Prepared in accordance with Part 3 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*

In accordance with section 41 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*, I, the Honourable Yvette D’Ath MP, Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Leader of the House provide this human rights certificate with respect to the Proclamation to commence Chapter 4 of the *Electoral and Other Legislation (Accountability, Integrity and Other Matters) Amendment Act 2020*.

In my opinion, the Proclamation, as tabled in the Legislative Assembly, is compatible with the human rights protected by the *Human Rights Act 2019*. I base my opinion on the reasons outlined in this statement.

Overview of the Subordinate Legislation

The Proclamation fixes 7 September 2020 as the day for the commencement of Chapter 4 of the *Electoral and Other Legislation (Accountability, Integrity and Other Matters) Amendment Act 2020*.

Human Rights Issues

Human rights relevant to the subordinate legislation (Part 2, Division 2 and 3 *Human Rights Act 2019*)

The Proclamation commences Chapter 4 of the *Electoral and Other Legislation (Accountability, Integrity and Other Matters) Amendment Act 2020*.

As the Proclamation does not contain any substantive legislative provisions and is of a machinery nature, it does not raise any human rights issues.

Consideration of reasonable limitations on human rights (section 13 *Human Rights Act 2019*)

As the Proclamation itself does not raise any human rights issues, it does not limit any human rights and therefore it is not necessary to consider section 13 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*.

Conclusion

I consider that the Proclamation is compatible with the *Human Rights Act 2019* because it does not raise a human rights issue.

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Attorney-General and Minister for Justice
Leader of the House

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