

Proclamation – Queensland Veterans' Council Act 2021

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 Annastacia Palaszczuk MP, Premier and Minister for the Olympics, provide this human rights certificate with respect to the *Proclamation – Queensland Veterans' Council Act 2021* made under the *Queensland Veterans' Council Act 2021*.

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 purpose of the Proclamation is to fix 4 November 2022 as the date to commence certain parts of the *Queensland Veterans' Council Act 2021* (the Act), which will:

- provide for the establishment of the Queensland Veterans' Council (Council) and Veterans' Reference Group (Reference Group);
- provide for the appointment of members to the Council and Reference Group;
- allow the Council to meet to determine its key strategic and operational objectives;
- support the Council to establish corporate governance arrangements; and
- allow the Council to enter into contracts, partnerships and other arrangements to support it to carry out its functions.

Human Rights Issues

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

As the Proclamation is machinery in nature, it does not affect or engage any human rights.

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 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.

THE HONOURABLE ANNASTACIA PALASZCZUK MP
PREMIER AND MINISTER FOR THE OLYMPICS

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