

# Proclamation—Justice and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2023

## 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* (HR Act), I, Yvette D’Ath MP, Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence, provide this human rights certificate with respect to the proclamation made under the *Justice and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2023* (JOLA Act).

In my opinion, the proclamation as tabled in the Legislative Assembly is compatible with the human rights protected by the HR Act. I base my opinion on the reasons outlined in this statement.

## Overview of the Subordinate Legislation

The proclamation commences parts 12 and 32 of the *Justice and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2023* (JOLA Act).

Part 12 of the JOLA Act amends the *Funeral Benefit Business Act 1982* to make a minor consequential amendment related to the removal of public accountants from the scope of the *Trust Accounts Act 1973* (TA Act), insert minor clarifying notes in various provisions and make a minor drafting change. Part 32 of the JOLA Act amends the TA Act to remove public accountants from the scope of the Act.

## Human Rights Issues

### Human rights relevant to the subordinate legislation (Part 2, Division 2 and 3 HR Act)

I have considered each of the rights protected by part 2 of the HR Act. In my opinion, the proclamation does not engage or limit human rights.

## Conclusion

I consider that the proclamation is compatible with the HR Act because it does not limit human rights.

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