
Competition Policy Reform (Queensland) Repeal Bill 1999

Explanatory Notes

Objectives of the legislation

The objective of the Bill is to repeal the Competition Policy Reform (Queensland) Act 1996

Reasons for the objectives

National Competition Policy theory is fundamentally flawed and especially disruptive and destructive to country and regional Queensland.

Administrative cost to government of implementation

If the Bill is passed, there may be some cost to implement administrative changes. It is envisaged that the government would honour commitments made under the existing Act.

Fundamental legislative principles

The bill complies with all fundamental legislative principles.

Consultation

- Extensive consultation has been carried out with small business owners, local government, pastoralists and various industry representatives throughout rural and regional Queensland.

Notes on Provisions

Short Title

Clause 1 sets out the Short Title of the Bill.

Clause 2 repeals the Competition Policy Reform (Queensland) Act 1996.