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An Act to amend the *Financial Administration and Audit Act 1977* and the *Government Owned Corporations Act 1993*

[Assented to 6 March 2008]

The Parliament of Queensland enacts—

Part 1 Preliminary

1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the *Financial Administration and Audit and Another Act Amendment Act 2008*.

2 Commencement

This Act commences on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

Part 2 Amendment of Financial Administration and Audit Act 1977

3 Act amended in pt 2

This part amends the *Financial Administration and Audit Act 1977*.

4 Amendment of s 40AA (Timing for accountable officers to give general purpose financial statements to auditor-general)

Section 40AA(3) and (4), ‘3 months’—
omit, insert—
‘2 months’.

5 Amendment of s 41 (Investment of surplus moneys)

Section 41(3)(d), from ‘has’ to ‘subsection’—

omit, insert—

‘the Treasurer considers appropriate’.

6 Amendment of s 43B (Certain departments may enter into derivative transactions)

- (1) Section 43B(2)(a)—

omit.

- (2) Section 43B(2)(b) and (c)—

renumber as section 43B(2)(a) and (b).

7 Amendment of s 46FA (Timing for statutory bodies to give annual financial statements to auditor-general)

Section 46FA(3) and (4), ‘3 months’—

omit, insert—

‘2 months’.

8 Amendment of sch 2 (Continuing funds)

- (1) Schedule 2, entries for Department of Mines and Energy and Department of Natural Resources—

omit.

- (2) Schedule 2, entry for Treasury Department, ‘Franchise Fees Compensation Fund’ and ‘Government Schemes Agency Fund’—

omit.

Part 3

Amendment of Government Owned Corporations Act 1993

9 **Act amended in pt 3**

This part amends the *Government Owned Corporations Act 1993*.

10 **Amendment of sch 3 (Application of FA and A Act to company GOCs and prescribed company GOC subsidiaries)**

- (1) Schedule 3, part 4, section 46F(1) and (2)—
omit, insert—
 - ‘(1) A company GOC must give the financial statements prepared by it under the Corporations Act to the auditor-general by a date agreed between the company GOC and the auditor-general.
 - ‘(2) The date agreed under subsection (1) must allow audit of the statements, and a report for the audit, to be completed by the auditor-general no later than 2 months after the end of the financial year the statements relate to.’.
- (2) Schedule 3, part 5, section 46F(1) and (2)—
omit, insert—
 - ‘(1) A company GOC subsidiary must give the financial statements prepared by it under the Corporations Act to the auditor-general by a date agreed between the subsidiary and the auditor-general.
 - ‘(2) The date agreed under subsection (1) must allow audit of the statements, and a report for the audit, to be completed by the auditor-general no later than 2 months after the end of the financial year the statements relate to.’.