



Queensland

# **Justice and Other Legislation (Victims of Crime Assistance) Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2009**

## **Subordinate Legislation 2009 No. 274**

made under the

*Corrective Services Act 2006*

*Health Services Act 1991*

*Recording of Evidence Act 1962*

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## **Part 1                      Preliminary**

### **1              Short title**

This regulation may be cited as the *Justice and Other Legislation (Victims of Crime Assistance) Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2009*.

### **2              Commencement**

This regulation commences on 1 December 2009.

## **Part 2                      Amendment of Corrective Services Regulation 2006**

### **3              Regulation amended**

This part amends the *Corrective Services Regulation 2006*.

### **4              Amendment of s 44 (Deductions from prisoner's account—Act, s 314)**

Section 44—

*insert—*

‘(g) an amount liable to be paid by the prisoner to the State under the *Victims of Crime Assistance Act 2009*, section 117(4) or 191(4).’.

## **Part 3                   Amendment of Health Services                                 Regulation 2002**

### **5       Regulation amended**

This part amends the *Health Services Regulation 2002*.

### **6       Amendment of sch 3 (Dictionary)**

Schedule 3, definition *compensation or damages*—

*insert*—

‘(c) financial assistance under the *Victims of Crime Assistance Act 2009*, chapter 3.’.

## **Part 4                   Amendment of Recording of                                 Evidence Regulation 2008**

### **7       Regulation amended**

This part amends the *Recording of Evidence Regulation 2008*.

### **8       Insertion of new s 10A**

Part 3, after section 10—

*insert*—

#### **‘10A Application for financial assistance under the Victims                                 of Crime Assistance Act 2009, ch 3’**

- ‘(1) This section applies if an application for financial assistance is made under the *Victims of Crime Assistance Act 2009*, chapter 3 for a relevant offence.
- ‘(2) The government assessor dealing with the application is entitled to—

- (a) 1 free copy of an existing transcription of a record under the Act of a criminal proceeding relating to the offence; or
  - (b) free electronic access to the part of a record under the Act, consisting of an audio recording, of a criminal proceeding relating to the offence.
- ‘(3) The copy mentioned in subsection (2)(a) may be issued—
- (a) in printed or electronic form; and
  - (b) even if the criminal proceeding has ended.
- ‘(4) In this section—
- government assessor** see the *Victims of Crime Assistance Act 2009*, schedule 3.
- relevant offence** see the *Victims of Crime Assistance Act 2009*, schedule 3.’.
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#### ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 26 November 2009.
- 2 Notified in the gazette on 27 November 2009.
- 3 Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
- 4 The administering agency is the Department of Justice and Attorney-General.

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