



Queensland

Education Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2012

Subordinate Legislation 2012 No. 32

made under the

Education (Accreditation of Non-State Schools) Act 2001
Education (General Provisions) Act 2006

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Part 1 Preliminary

1 Short title

This regulation may be cited as the *Education Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2012*.

2 Commencement

This regulation commences on 9 July 2012.

Part 2 Amendment of Education (Accreditation of Non-State Schools) Regulation 2001

3 Regulation amended

This part amends the *Education (Accreditation of Non-State Schools) Regulation 2001*.

4 Amendment of s 10 (Health, safety and conduct of staff and students)

Section 10(5)(a)—

omit, insert—

‘(a) a process for reporting—

(i) sexual abuse or suspected sexual abuse in compliance with the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006*, section 366; and

(ii) a suspicion of likely sexual abuse in compliance with the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006*, section 366A;’.

Part 3 Amendment of Education (General Provisions) Regulation 2006

5 Regulation amended

This part amends the *Education (General Provisions) Regulation 2006*.

6 Amendment of s 68 (Report about sexual abuse—Act, ss 365(3) and 366(3))

(1) Section 68(c), ‘an employee of the school’—

omit, insert—

‘another person’.

(2) Section 68(e)(ii), ‘employee’—

omit, insert—

‘person’.

7 Insertion of new s 68A

After section 68—

insert—

‘68A Report about likely sexual abuse—Act, ss 365A(4) and 366A(5)

‘A report under section 365A(4) or 366A(5) of the Act must include the following particulars—

- (a) the name of the person giving the report (the *first person*);
- (b) the student’s name and sex;
- (c) details of the basis for the first person reasonably suspecting that the student is likely to be sexually abused by another person;

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- (d) any of the following information of which the first person is aware—
 - (i) the student's age;
 - (ii) the identity of the person who is suspected to be likely to abuse the student;
 - (iii) the identity of anyone else who may have information about the suspected likelihood of abuse.’.

ENDNOTES

- 1 Made by the Governor in Council on 16 February 2012.
- 2 Notified in the gazette on 17 February 2012.
- 3 Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
- 4 The administering agency is the Department of Education and Training.

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