Proclamation – Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Act 2016

Explanatory Notes for SL 2016 No. 63

made under the

Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Act 2016

General outline

Short title

Proclamation fixing 27 May 2016 as the commencement date for all provisions of the *Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Act 2016.*

Authorising law

Section 2 of the Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Act 2016.

Policy objectives and the reasons for them

The objective of the proclamation is to commence, on 27 May 2016, all provisions of the *Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Act 2016* (the Act).

The main objective of the Act is to provide for a replacement Brisbane Casino Agreement that removes the existing development legislation exemption under the Brisbane Casino Agreement, to allow redevelopment and repurposing applications relating to the Queen's Wharf project to be assessed by the Minister for Economic Development Queensland.

Further details of the policy objectives and reasons for the Act are contained in the explanatory notes accompanying the Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Bill 2016.

Achievement of policy objectives

The policy objective is achieved by fixing the commencement date of 27 May 2016 for all provisions of the Act.

Consistency with policy objectives of authorising law

The proclamation is consistent with the policy objectives of the Act.

Inconsistency with policy objectives of other legislation

The proclamation is not inconsistent with the policy objectives of other legislation.

Benefits and costs of implementation

The benefits and costs of implementing the Act are outlined in the explanatory notes accompanying the Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Bill 2016.

Consistency with fundamental legislative principles

The proclamation is consistent with fundamental legislative principles.

Consultation

Consultation was undertaken with all relevant stakeholders during the development of the Brisbane Casino Agreement Amendment Bill 2016. No further consultation has been undertaken in relation to this proclamation.

The Office of Best Practice Regulation has advised that the proposal is excluded from the Regulatory Impact Statement system as it is machinery in nature.