Associations Incorporation and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2020

Explanatory notes for SL 2021 no. 24

made under the

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General Outline

Short title

Proclamation to commence sections 42, 46 (to the extent that it inserts a new section 154), 57, and 60 (to the extent that it inserts a new section 51) of the *Associations Incorporation and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2020*.

Authorising law

Section 2 of the Associations Incorporation and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2020 (Amendment Act).

Policy objectives and the reasons for them

The objective of the Proclamation is to commence certain provisions of the Amendment Act which will allow the chief executive to enter into information sharing arrangements with the Commissioner of the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profits Commission under the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 and Collections Act 1966 about entities registered under the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profits Commission Act 2012 (Cth).

The policy objectives and reasons for the information sharing provisions are contained in the explanatory notes accompanying the Amendment Act.

Achievement of policy objectives

The policy objective is achieved by fixing 1 April 2021 as the commencement date for sections 42, 46 (to the extent that it inserts a new section 154), 57 and 60 (to the extent that it inserts a new section 51) of the Amendment Act

Consistency with policy objectives of authorising law

The Proclamation is consistent with the policy objectives of the Amendment 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 benefit of the Proclamation is the commencement of the information sharing provisions. There are no costs arising from the Proclamation.

Consistency with fundamental legislative principles

The Proclamation is consistent with fundamental legislative principles.

Consultation

Consultation was undertaken in developing the Associations Incorporation and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2019.

A self-assessment by the Department of Justice and Attorney-General has determined that a Regulatory Impact Statement is not required as the regulatory proposal is excluded under category (g) of the Queensland Government Guide to Better Regulation – regulatory proposals that are of a machinery nature.