

Racing Integrity (Fees) Amendment Regulation 2020

Human Rights Certificate

Prepared in accordance with Part 3 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*

In accordance with section 41 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*, I, Stirling Hinchliffe MP, Minister for Local Government, Minister for Racing and Minister for Multicultural Affairs, provide this human rights certificate with respect to the *Racing Integrity (Fees) Amendment Regulation 2020* made under the *Racing Integrity Act 2016* (the Act).

In my opinion, the *Racing Integrity (Fees) Amendment Regulation 2020* (the Amendment Regulation), as tabled in the Legislative Assembly, is compatible with the human rights protected by the *Human Rights Act 2019*. I base my opinion on the reasons outlined in this statement.

Overview of the Subordinate Legislation

The Amendment Regulation is made under the Act. The authorising law for the Amendment Regulation includes sections 56, 79 and 266 of the Act.

The purpose of the Amendment Regulation is to make amendments to allow for the annual indexation of the regulatory fee under the *Racing Integrity Regulation 2016* (the Regulation) in line with Queensland Government policy. Accordingly, the Amendment Regulation amends Schedule 2 of the Regulation to allow for the indexation of the Application fee for a racing bookmaker's licence by the Government Indexation Rate of 1.80 per cent for the financial year 2020-21.

Human Rights Issues

Human rights relevant to the subordinate legislation (Part 2, Division 2 and 3 *Human Rights Act 2019*)

In my opinion, this subordinate legislation does not engage or limit any human rights protected under the *Human Rights Act 2019*.

Conclusion

I consider that the *Racing Integrity (Fees) Amendment Regulation 2020* is compatible with the *Human Rights Act 2019* because it does not raise a human rights issue.

Stirling Hinchliffe MP
Minister for Local Government, Minister for Racing
and Minister for Multicultural Affairs