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An Act to amend the Ambulance Service Act 1991, the Crime and Corruption Act 2001, the Director of Public Prosecutions Act 1984, the Fire and Emergency Services Act 1990, the Ombudsman Act 2001, the Police Service Administration Act 1990, the Public Service Act 2008 and the Public Service Regulation 2008 for particular purposes Crime and Corruption and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2017 Part 1 Preliminary

The Parliament of Queensland enacts— 1 Part 1 **Preliminary** 2 Clause 1 Short title 3 This Act may be cited as the Crime and Corruption and Other 4 Legislation Amendment Act 2017. 5 Clause 2 Commencement 6 Sections 5, 6 and 44 commence on a day to be fixed by 7 proclamation. 8 Part 2 Amendment of Crime and 9 **Corruption Act 2001** 10 Clause 3 Act amended 11 This part amends the Crime and Corruption Act 2001. 12 Clause 4 Amendment of s 13 (Purpose of div 2) 13 Section 13, note, 'section 33(b)'— 14 omit. insert— 15 section 33(1)(b)16 Clause 5 Amendment of s 15 (Meaning of corrupt conduct) 17 (1) Section 15(1)(c)— 18 omit. 19 (2) Section 15(1)(d)— 20

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(3)	Section 15((2)—				2
	omit, insert					3
	(2)	<i>Corr</i> rega	rdles	s of v	<i>uct</i> also means conduct of a person whether the person holds or held ar hat—	, 4
		(a)	-		or could impair, public confidence administration; and	e 7 8
		(b)		olves, owing	or could involve, any of the	e 9 10
			(i)	collu	usive tendering;	1
			(ii)	licer an A	d relating to an application for a nee, permit or other authority under act with a purpose or object of any he following (however described)—	r 11 7 14
				(A)	protecting health or safety of persons;	f 1
				(B)	protecting the environment;	1
				(C)	protecting or managing the use of the State's natural, cultural mining or energy resources;	
			(iii)	som bene appl	onestly obtaining, or helping eone to dishonestly obtain, a efit from the payment of ication of public funds or the osition of State assets;	a 23 r 24
			(iv)	othe	ling a State tax, levy or duty or rwise fraudulently causing a loss tate revenue;	
			(v)		dulently obtaining or retaining ar pintment; and	n 3 3
		(c)	wou	ıld, if	proved, be—	32
			(i)	a cri	minal offence; or	3

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insert— (3) In this section— (3) In this section— (a) generally—the commencement means— (a) generally—the commencement of this Act; and (b) for corrupt conduct under section 16 (c)—the commencement of that 17 (c)—the commencement of that 16 (c) (c)—the commission's corruption functions) (c) (c) The commission's corruption functions also (c) (c) The commission's corruption functions also (c)					(ii) a disciplinary breach providing reasonable grounds for terminating the person's services, if the person is or were the holder of an appointment.	1 2 3 4
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			insert—			21
			(22 23
(a) investigating and otherwise dealing with— 24				(a)	investigating and otherwise dealing with—	24
(i) conduct liable to allow, encourage or 25 cause corrupt conduct; and 26					(')	25
(ii) conduct connected with corrupt 2 ⁻					· · · ·	25 26

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		conduct mentioned in paragraph (a)(i) or (ii) may have happened, may be happening or	1 2 3 4
Clause	8		5 6
		(1) Section 35(1)(f), from 'initiative'—	7
		omit, insert—	8
		initiative—	9
			10 11
		(ii) the matters mentioned in section 33(2);	12
		(2) Section 35(3), 'section 33(b)'—	13
		omit, insert—	14
		section 33(1)(b)	15
Clause	9	Insertion of new s 40A	16
		Chapter 2, part 3, division 3—	17
		insert—	18
		40A Record of alleged corrupt conduct not notified	19
		that a complaint, or information or matter, about alleged corrupt conduct is not required to be	20 21 22 23
			24 25
		(3) The record must include—	26
			27 28

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		(b) the evidence on which the public official relied in making the decision; and	1 2
		(c) any other reasons for the decision.	3
	(4)	The commission may ask a public official to give the commission access to a record made under this section in a stated way and by a stated time.	4 5 6
	(5)	A public official must comply with a request made of the official under subsection (4).	7 8
Clause 1	0 Amendment o complaints)	f ch 2, pt 3, div 4, hdg (Dealing with	9 10
	Chapter 2,	part 3, division 4, heading, after 'complaints'—	11
	insert—		12
		and other matters	13
Clause 1	1 Insertion of ne	ew s 46A	14
	After section	on 46—	15
	insert—		16
	46A Dea	aling with matters mentioned in s 33(2)	17
	(1)	This section applies to a matter mentioned in section $33(2)$.	18 19
	(2)	The commission deals with the matter by—	20
		(a) assessing the matter; and	21
		(b) if the commission considers it appropriate, investigating the matter; and	22 23
		 (c) taking the action the commission considers most appropriate in the circumstances having regard to the public interest principle set out in section 34(d). 	24 25 26 27
	(3)	For dealing with the matter, the commission may require a public official to provide stated	28 29

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		information about the matter in the way and at the times the commission directs.	
		(4) A public official must comply with a requirement made under subsection (3).	
Clause 1	12	Amendment of s 49 (Reports about complaints dealt with by the commission)	
		(1) Section $49(2)(a)$ —	
		omit, insert—	
		 (a) a prosecuting authority, for the purposes of any prosecution proceedings the authority considers warranted; 	
		(2) Section 49(5)—	
		omit, insert—	
		(5) In this section—	
		<i>prosecuting authority</i> does not include the director of public prosecutions.	
ause	13	Amendment of s 50 (Commission may prosecute corrupt conduct)	
		(1) Section $50(3)$ —	
		omit.	
		(2) Section 50(4), definition <i>prescribed appointment</i> —	
		omit.	
		(3) Section 50(4), definition <i>prescribed person</i> , paragraph (b)(i) and (ii)—	
		omit, insert—	
		(i) who holds an appointment in a unit of public administration; or	
		(ii) who held an appointment in a unit of public administration that ended after the corrupt	

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		conduct happened, regardless of whether the appointment ended before or after the start of a disciplinary proceeding for the conduct.	1 2 3
		(4) Section $50(4)$ —	4
		renumber as section 50(3).	5
Clause	14	Replacement of s 55 (Sharing of intelligence information)	6
		Section 55—	7
		omit, insert—	8
		55 Access to intelligence information held by police service	9 10
		The commissioner of police must give the chairperson access to intelligence information held by the police service as required by the chairperson as soon as possible after receiving the request.	11 12 13 14 15
Clause	15	Replacement of s 60 (Commission may give evidence or information to other entities)	16 17
Clause	15		
Clause	15	information to other entities)	17
Clause	15	information to other entities) Section 60—	17 18
Clause	15	 information to other entities) Section 60— <i>omit, insert</i>— 60 Use and disclosure of information, document 	17 18 19 20
Clause	15	information to other entities) Section 60— <i>omit, insert</i> — 60 Use and disclosure of information, document or other thing (1) The commission may use any information, document or thing in the commission's possession in performing the commission's	17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24
Clause	15	 information to other entities) Section 60— <i>omit, insert</i>— 60 Use and disclosure of information, document or other thing (1) The commission may use any information, document or thing in the commission's possession in performing the commission's functions. (2) The commission may give intelligence information or other information to any entity the commission considers appropriate, including, for 	17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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			(c) the auditor-general; and
			(d) a commissioner under the <i>Electoral Act</i> 1992; and
			(e) the ombudsman.
			Note—
			See section 213 in relation to making a record of, or wilfully disclosing, information given to a person under this section on the understanding, express or implied, that the information is confidential.
Clause	16	Omission of s	62 (Restriction on access)
		Section 62-	_
		omit.	
Clause	17	Insertion of ne	ew s 71A
		Chapter 2, j	part 6, division 5—
		insert—	
		71A Rep	port containing adverse comment
		(1)	This section applies if the commission proposes to make an adverse comment about a person in a report to be tabled in the Legislative Assembly, or published to the public, under this Act.
		(2)	The commission must not make the proposed adverse comment unless, before the report is prepared, the commission gives the person an opportunity to make submissions about the proposed adverse comment.
		(3)	If the person makes submissions and the commission still proposes to make the adverse comment, the commission must ensure the person's submissions are fairly stated in the report.

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Clause	18	ans	nendment of s 197 (Restriction on use of privileged swers, documents, things or statements disclosed or oduced under compulsion)	1 2 3
			Section 197—	4
			insert—	5
			(7) Subsection (2) does not prevent any information, document or other thing obtained as a direct or indirect consequence of the individual giving or producing the answer, document, thing or statement from being admissible in evidence against the individual in a civil, criminal or administrative proceeding.	6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Clause	19	Am	nendment of s 219BA (Meaning of <i>reviewable decision</i>)	13
		(1)	Section 219BA(2), definition disciplinary declaration—	14
			insert—	15
			(c) the <i>Ambulance Service Act 1991</i> , section 18I; or	16 17
			(d) the <i>Fire and Emergency Services Act 1990</i> , section 30H.	18 19
		(2)	Section 219BA(2), definition <i>prescribed person</i> , 'section 50(4)'—	20 21
			omit, insert—	22
			section 50(3)	23
		(3)	Section 219BA(2), definition <i>prescribed person</i> , paragraph (b), 'an appeal'—	24 25
			omit, insert—	26
			a proceeding for a reviewable decision	27
		(4)	Section 219BA(2), definition <i>prescribed person</i> , paragraph (b)(ii), 'appeal'—	28 29
			omit, insert—	30
			review	31

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Clause	20	Amendment of s 219DA (QCAT hearing in relation to prescribed person whose employment or appointment has ended)	1 2 3
		Section 219DA, 'section 50(4)'—	4
		omit, insert—	5
		section 50(3)	6
Clause	21	Amendment of s 219G (Proceedings relating to reviewable decisions)	7 8
		Section 219G(2), '14 days'—	9
		omit, insert—	10
		28 days	11
Clause	22	Amendment of s 219I (Powers for corrupt conduct)	12
		Section 219I(1AA), 'section 50(4)'—	13
		omit, insert—	14
		section 50(3)	15
Clause	23	Amendment of s 219IA (QCAT powers for prescribed persons whose employment or appointment ends)	16 17
		Section 219IA(1), 'section 50(4)'—	18
		omit, insert—	19
		section 50(3)	20
Clause	24	Amendment of s 219J (Additional power for reviewable decisions)	21 22
		(1) Section 219J—	23
		insert—	24
		(2A) Subject to subsection (4), if the reviewable decision involved the making of, or failure to	25 26

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		that QCAT may impose under subsection (2)	1 2 3
		(2) Section 219J(6), definitions <i>decision</i> and <i>discipline</i> —	4
		omit.	5
			6 7
		omit, insert—	8
		declaration as defined under section	9 10 11
			12 13
		omit, insert—	14
		by QCAT on review	15
		(5) Section 219J(2A) to (6)—	16
		<i>renumber</i> as section 219J(3) to (7).	17
Clause	25	Amendment of s 269 (Delegation—commission)	18
		Section 269(6), entries for sections 60 and 62—	19
		omit.	20
Clause	26	Insertion of new ch 6, pt 1, div 9, sdiv 1, hdg	21
			22
		insert—	23
		Subdivision 1 Preliminary	24
Clause	27	Amendment of s 273A (Definitions for div 9)	25
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insert—		1
	<i>prescribed employee</i> means a prescribed employee under the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , section 186A, other than a relevant commission officer.	2 3 4 5
	<i>relevant employee</i> means—	6
	(a) a public service employee; or	7
	(b) a prescribed employee.	8
28 Insertion of ne	ew s 273AA and ch 6, pt 1, div 9, sdiv 2, hdg	9
After section	on 273A—	10
insert—		11
273AA	References to relevant employees	12
(1)	This section provides for the meaning of particular terms used in this division relating to a person who is or was a relevant employee.	13 14 15
(2)	A reference to the person's current or previous chief executive is a reference to—	16 17
	 (a) for a person who is or was a public service employee—the chief executive of the department in which the person is or was employed as a public service employee; or 	18 19 20 21
	(b) for a person who is or was a prescribed employee—the person's current or previous chief executive under the <i>Public Service Act</i> 2008, section 186B(2).	22 23 24 25
(3)	A reference to a relevant disciplinary law for the person is a reference to any of the following—	26 27
	(a) the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , chapter 6;	28
	(b) a law that is a relevant disciplinary law for the person under the <i>Public Service Act</i> 2008, section 186B(3).	29 30 31

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			Note-				1
			dis	sciplina	mentioned in this subsection also provide y action against a person who was, but i elevant employee.	s no	2 3 4
		(4)	In su	ubdivis	ion 3—		5
			(a)	for the ground	rence to a relevant disciplinary group e person is a reference to a disciplin d under a relevant disciplinary law rson; and	ary for	6 7 8 9
			(b)	relation the pe	erence to a disciplinary finding on to a relevant disciplinary ground erson is a reference to a finding the nt disciplinary ground for the per	for at a	10 11 12 13 14
		Subdiv	visio	on 2	Grounds and disciplinary action generally	/	15 16
Clause	29				Disciplinary action that may be commission officer)		17 18
		Section 273	C, he	ading,	after 'officer'—		19
		insert—					20
			gene	erally			21
Clause	30	Insertion of ne 9, sdiv 4, hdg	w ch	ı 6, pt	1, div 9, sdiv 3 and ch 6, pt 1, c		22 23
		After sectio	n 273	SC—			24
		insert—					25
		Subdiv	/isio	on 3	Disciplinary action again a relevant commission officer who was a relevan employee	nt	26 27 28 29

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273CA	Application of subdivision	1
(1)	This subdivision applies if—	2
(1)	 (a) a person is a relevant employee and a relevant disciplinary ground arises in relation to the person; and 	2 3 4 5
	 (b) after the relevant disciplinary ground arises, the person stops being employed as a relevant employee and starts employment as a relevant commission officer. 	6 7 8 9
(2)	However, this subdivision does not apply if the person's previous chief executive has taken, is taking, or intends to take, disciplinary action against the person, under a relevant disciplinary law, in relation to the relevant disciplinary ground.	10 11 12 13 14 15
273CB	Action previous chief executive may take	16
(1)	The person's previous chief executive may make a disciplinary finding about the relevant disciplinary ground for this subdivision.	17 18 19
(2)	The previous chief executive may take disciplinary action about the relevant disciplinary ground as provided under section 273CC(2).	20 21 22
(3)	Despite subsection (1) and without limiting or being limited by any other power of delegation under any Act, the previous chief executive may delegate to the chief executive officer the authority under subsection (1) to make a disciplinary finding about the person.	23 24 25 26 27 28
(4)	The previous chief executive may give to the chief executive officer any information about a person or a relevant disciplinary ground relating to the person to help the chief executive officer to perform a function under section 273CC(2) or (4)	29 30 31 32 33

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in relation to the person.

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273CC	Action chief executive officer may take	1
(1)	Subsection (2) applies if—	2
	 (a) the previous chief executive makes a disciplinary finding about the relevant disciplinary ground; and 	3 4 5
	(b) the previous chief executive and the chief executive officer agree that disciplinary action against the person is reasonable in the circumstances.	6 7 8 9
(2)	The chief executive officer may take disciplinary action against the person under section 273C as if a disciplinary ground under section 273B exists.	10 11 12
(3)	Subsection (4) applies if—	13
	 (a) the previous chief executive delegates to the chief executive officer the authority under section 273CB(1) to make a disciplinary finding about the person; and 	14 15 16 17
	(b) the chief executive officer makes a disciplinary finding about the person.	18 19
(4)	The chief executive officer may take disciplinary action against the person under section 273C without the agreement of the previous chief executive.	20 21 22 23
Subdiv	vision 4 Disciplinary action against	24
	a former relevant	25
	commission officer	26
	f s 273D (Disciplinary action that may be a former relevant commission officer)	27 28
(1) Section 273	D—	29
insert—		30
(1A)	However, this section does not apply in relation to	31

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		a person who is a former relevant commission officer if the chief executive officer is aware—	1 2
		(a) the person is a relevant employee; and	3
		(b) the person's current or previous chief executive has taken, is taking, or intends to take disciplinary action against the person, under a relevant disciplinary law, in relation to the disciplinary ground.	4 5 6 7 8
	(2)	Section 273D(4), 'subsections (2) and (3)'—	9
		omit, insert—	10
		subsections (3) and (4)	11
	(3)	Section 273D(1A) to (7)—	12
		renumber as section 273D(2) to (8).	13
Clause 32		ertion of new ch 6, pt 1, div 9, sdiv 5 and ch 6, pt 1, div sdiv 6, hdg After section 273D— <i>insert</i> —	14 15 16 17
		Subdivision 5 Information about disciplinary action	18 19
		273DA Information about disciplinary action to be given by chief executive officer	20 21
		(1) This section applies if—	22
		 (a) a relevant official asks the chief executive officer for disciplinary information that the chief executive officer has about a person who is or was a relevant commission officer; and 	23 24 25 26 27
		 (b) the information is reasonably necessary for the relevant official to make a decision about— 	28 29 30

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		 (i) an appointment or continued appointment, or employment or continued employment, of the person by the official; or 	1 2 3 4
		 (ii) a disciplinary finding, disciplinary action or disciplinary declaration the official is considering in relation to the person under a relevant disciplinary law. 	5 6 7 8 9
(2)	disci unle satis preju	chief executive officer must give the iplinary information to the relevant official ess the chief executive officer is reasonably sfied that giving the information may udice the investigation of a suspected travention of the law in a particular case.	10 11 12 13 14 15
(3)	In th	nis section—	16
	info agai	<i>iplinary information</i> , about a person, means rmation about the following made or taken nst the person under this Act by the chief cutive officer—	17 18 19 20
	(a)	a current investigation into whether the person should be disciplined;	21 22
	(b)	a finding that the person should be disciplined;	23 24
	(c)	possible disciplinary action under consideration;	25 26
	(d)	disciplinary action, including a disciplinary declaration.	27 28
	rele	vant official means—	29
	(a)	the chief executive of a department; or	30
	(b)	the chief executive (however described) of an entity whose employees are prescribed employees; or	31 32 33
	(c)	the commissioner of police.	34

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	nformation about disciplinary action to be en to chief executive officer	1 2
(1)	This section applies if—	3
	(a) the chief executive officer asks a relevant official for disciplinary information that the official has about a person who is or was a relevant employee; and	4 5 6 7
	(b) the information is reasonably necessary for the chief executive officer to make a decision about—	8 9 10
	(i) the employment or continued employment of the person as a relevant commission officer; or	11 12 13
	 (ii) a disciplinary finding, disciplinary action or disciplinary declaration the chief executive officer is considering in relation to the person under this Act. 	14 15 16 17
(2)	The relevant official must give the disciplinary information to the chief executive officer unless the official is reasonably satisfied that giving the information may prejudice the investigation of a suspected contravention of the law in a particular case.	18 19 20 21 22 23
(3)	In this section—	24
	<i>disciplinary information</i> , about a person, means information about the following made or taken against the person under a public sector disciplinary law by a relevant official or another entity—	25 26 27 28 29
	(a) a current investigation into whether the person should be disciplined;	30 31
	(b) a finding that the person should be disciplined;	32 33
	(c) possible disciplinary action under consideration;	34 35

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(d) disciplinary action, including a disciplinary declaration.	1 2
public sector disciplinary law means—	3
(a) a public sector disciplinary law under the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> ; or	4 5
(b) another law under which a prescribed employee may be disciplined.	6 7
relevant employee includes a police officer.	8
relevant official means—	9
(a) the chief executive of a department; or	10
(b) the chief executive (however described) of an entity whose employees are prescribed employees; or	11 12 13
(c) the commissioner of police.	14
Subdivision 6 Other provisions about	15
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disciplinary action	15 16
disciplinary action Amendment of ch 6, pt 1, div 10, hdg (Additional provision about senior officers and commission staff and agents)	-
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Amendment of ch 6, pt 1, div 10, hdg (Additional provision about senior officers and commission staff and agents) Chapter 6, part 1, division 10, heading, 'Additional provision'— omit, insert— Other provisions	16 17 18 19 20 21 22
Amendment of ch 6, pt 1, div 10, hdg (Additional provision about senior officers and commission staff and agents) Chapter 6, part 1, division 10, heading, 'Additional provision'— omit, insert—	16 17 18 19 20 21 22
Amendment of ch 6, pt 1, div 10, hdg (Additional provision about senior officers and commission staff and agents) Chapter 6, part 1, division 10, heading, 'Additional provision'— omit, insert— Other provisions	16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23

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		ant prosecuting authority to notify chief ve officer of prosecution proceeding	$\frac{1}{2}$
(1)		s section applies if—	2
	(a)	the commissioner of police or the director of public prosecutions (a <i>relevant prosecuting</i> <i>authority</i>) is aware a person charged with a relevant offence is a relevant commission officer; and	4 5 6 7 8
	(b)	a relevant event happens in relation to the person.	9 10
(2)	the the	e relevant prosecuting authority must, within relevant period for the relevant event, give the ef executive officer a notice stating each of the owing matters—	11 12 13 14
	(a)	the person's name;	15
	(b)	the date the relevant event happened;	16
	(c)	particulars of the relevant offence to which the relevant event relates;	17 18
	(d)	if the relevant event is that the person is committed by a court for trial for a relevant offence—	19 20 21
		(i) the court that committed the person for trial; and	22 23
		(ii) the court to which the person was committed;	24 25
	(e)	if the relevant event is that the person is convicted by a court of a relevant offence—	26 27
		(i) the court that convicted the person; and	28
		(ii) the sentence imposed by the court;	29
	(f)	if the relevant event is that an appeal against a conviction of the person for a relevant offence has been decided—	30 31 32

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		(i) the court in which the appeal was decided; and	1 2			
		(ii) the particulars of the decision;	3			
	(g)	if the relevant event is that the prosecution of the person for a relevant offence has ended in a court, without the person being convicted of the offence—the court in which the prosecution of the person ended.	4 5 6 7 8			
(3)	In tl	his section—	9			
	<i>relevant event</i> , for a person charged with a relevant offence, means—					
	(a)	the person is committed by a court for trial for a relevant offence; or	12 13			
	(b)	the person is convicted by a court of a relevant offence; or	14 15			
	(c)	if the person is convicted as mentioned in paragraph (b) and the person appealed against the conviction—the appeal is finally decided or has otherwise ended; or				
	(d)	the prosecution of the person for the relevant offence ends without the person being convicted of a relevant offence because—	20 21 22 23			
		 (i) a nolle prosequi is entered on the indictment presented against the person for the offence; or 	24 25 26			
		(ii) the person is acquitted of the offence; or	27 28			
		(iii) the prosecution of the person otherwise ends.	29 30			
	relevant offence means—					
	(a)	an indictable offence; or	32			

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		(b) a disqualifying offence within the meaning of the Working with Children (Risk Management and Screening) Act 2000, section 168, that is not an indictable offence.	1 2 3 4
		re	<i>levant period</i> , for a relevant event, means—	5
		(a) generally—7 days after the event happens; or	6 7
		(b) if the relevant event is the conviction of a person for a relevant offence—7 days after the court imposes a sentence for the offence.	8 9 10
Clause	35	Amendment of s committee)	278 (Membership of reference	11 12
		Section 278(1)	(a) and (b)—	13
		omit, insert—		14
		(a) the chairperson of the commission, who is the chairperson of the reference committee;	15 16
		(b) the senior executive officer (crime);	17
Clause	36	Insertion of new	s 279A	18
		After section 2	79—	19
		insert—		20
		279A Dele chairp	gation of functions of committee erson	21 22
		hi re	the chairperson of the commission may delegate s or her functions as chairperson of the ference committee to the senior executive ficer (crime).	23 24 25 26
		fu	the chairperson of the commission delegates nctions as mentioned in subsection (1), the nior executive officer (crime) is taken to be the nairperson of the reference committee.	27 28 29 30
		(3) TI	nis section applies even if the chairperson has	31

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		appointed a deputy under section 279(1).	1
	(4)	In this section—	2
		functions includes powers.	3
Clause 37	7 Amendment o	f s 285 (Times and places of meetings)	4
	Section 285	5, 'senior executive officer (crime)'—	5
	omit, insert	<u> </u>	6
		chairperson of the reference committee	7
Clause 38	8 Replacement	of s 287 (Presiding at meetings)	8
	Section 287	7	9
	omit, insert	<u> </u>	10
	287 Pre	siding at meetings	11
	(1)	The chairperson of the reference committee is to preside at all meetings at which the chairperson is present.	12 13 14
	(2)	If the chairperson of the reference committee is absent from a meeting, the following person is to preside at the meeting—	15 16 17
		 (a) if the chairperson of the reference committee is the chairperson of the commission and the senior executive officer (crime) is present at the meeting—the senior executive officer (crime); 	
		(b) if the chairperson of the reference committee is the senior executive officer (crime) and the chairperson of the commission is present at the meeting—the chairperson of the commission;	23 24 25 26 27
		(c) otherwise—the committee member chosen by the committee members.	28 29

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Clause	39			94 (Directions by parliamentary ertake investigation)	$1 \\ 2$
		Section 294	I (1),	involving corruption'—	3
		omit, insert	. <u> </u>		4
				ng within the commission's corruption ctions	5 6
Clause	40			32 (Judicial review of commission's n to corrupt conduct)	7 8
		Section 332	2(9)-	-	9
		insert—			10
			incl	<i>mission investigation into corrupt conduct</i> udes an investigation of a matter mentioned in ion 33(2).	11 12 13
Clause	41	Replacement (of s :	335 (Protecting officials and others	14 15
		Section 335	5—		16
		omit, insert			17
		335 Pro	tecti	on of officials and others from liability	18
		(1)		s section applies to each of the following ties (each a <i>protected entity</i>)—	19 20
			(a)	the commission;	21
			(b)	a person who is—	22
				(i) a commission officer; or	23
				(ii) a person acting under the direction of a commission officer;	24 25
			(c)	a person who was a person of a type mentioned in paragraph (b) at the time the person engaged in conduct in an official capacity.	26 27 28 29

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(2)	A protected entity does not incur civil liability for engaging, or for the result of engaging, in conduct in an official capacity.	1 2 3
(3)	If subsection (2) prevents liability attaching to a protected entity, the liability attaches instead to the State.	4 5 6
(4)	If liability attaches to the State under subsection (3), the State may recover contribution from the protected entity but only if the conduct was engaged in—	7 8 9 10
	(a) other than in good faith; and	11
	(b) with gross negligence.	12
(5)	In a proceeding under subsection (4) to recover contribution, the amount of contribution recoverable is the amount found by the court to be just and equitable in the circumstances.	13 14 15 16
(6)	In a proceeding for defamation, there is a defence of absolute privilege for a publication to or by the commission or a commission officer made for the purpose of performing the commission's functions.	17 18 19 20 21
(7)	In this section—	22
	<i>civil liability</i> , of a protected entity for engaging, or for the result of engaging, in conduct in an official capacity, means liability of any type for the payment of an amount by the entity because of—	23 24 25 26 27
	 (a) a claim based in tort, contract or another form of action in relation to the conduct or result, including, for example, breach of statutory duty or defamation and, for a fatal injury, includes a claim for the deceased's dependants or estate; or 	28 29 30 31 32 33
	(b) a complaint made under a law that provides a person may complain about the conduct or	34 35

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other than a c proceedings, in	ty established under the law,1complaint to start criminal2ncluding, for example, a3the Justices Act 1886; or4	
proceeding for relation to the c	urt to pay costs relating to a5an offence against a law in6conduct or result, unless the7s for an offence by the89	
Examples of types of liab	ility— 10	
under the Anti-I Australian Huma (Cwlth) requiring	se of an agreement or an order11Discrimination Act 1991 or the12on Rights Commission Act 198613og payment of an amount to a14vever described) under the Act15	
agreement to sett court or tribunal paying an amount	use of an obligation under an le a proceeding, or an order of a , to do something that involves16 17 18 19 20 21	
<i>conduct</i> means an ac an act.	et or an omission to perform 22 23	
engage in conduct connection with, an protected entity, inclu	<i>a an official capacity</i> means 24 as part of, or otherwise in 25 entity's function or role as a 26 uding, for example, engaging 27 purportedly under this Act. 28	
42 Amendment of s 346B (Declaration inquiry public records)	ons etc. relating to 29 30	
Section 346B(2)(a), 'sections 62 and'—		
omit, insert—	32	
section	33	

Clause

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Clause 43	Chapter 8—	Insertion of new ch 8, pt 15 Chapter 8—		
	insert— Part 15	Crime and Corruption and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2017	3 4 5 6	
	Divisior	1 Amendments commencing on assent	7 8	
	441 Corru	uption functions	9	
	f	The commission may perform its corruption functions under section $33(2)$ in relation to conduct that happened, or that is suspected to have happened, before the commencement.	10 11 12 13	
		This Act as in force from the commencement applies to a corruption investigation—	14 15	
	(a) started but not finished before the commencement; or	16 17	
	(b) started after the commencement in relation to conduct that happened, or that is suspected to have happened, before the commencement.	18 19 20 21	
	442 Repo	orts to prosecuting authorities	22	
	c i c f	This section applies if, before the commencement, the commission reported on an investigation of a complaint about, or information or matter involving, corruption to the director of public prosecutions under section $49(2)(a)$ as in force before the commencement.	23 24 25 26 27 28	
	(2) 8	Section 49(5) as in force immediately before the	29	
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commencement continues to apply in relation to	1
the matters the subject of the report.	2

443 QCAT orders about corrupt conduct

QCAT may make an order under section 219I4against a prescribed person, as defined under5section 50(3), in relation to corrupt conduct6whether or not the person was a prescribed person7under section 50 as in force when the conduct8happened.9

444 Period for starting proceedings relating to reviewable decisions

- Section 219G(2) as (1)in force before the 12 commencement continues apply to to а 13 reviewable decision made before the 14 commencement. 15
- 219G(2)(2)Section as in force from the 16 commencement applies in relation to a reviewable 17 decision made after the commencement even if 18 the decision relates to conduct that happened 19 before the commencement. 20

445 Disciplinary action against a relevant commission officer who was a relevant employee

- This section applies to a person who is a relevant commission officer and was a relevant employee.
- (2) The person may be disciplined under chapter 6, 26 part 1, division 9, subdivision 3 only in relation to a relevant disciplinary ground arising on or after 3 February 2017.
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Note—

Particular provisions of the Public Service Act 200831about disciplinary action have applied to the32

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commission, as a public service office under that Act, since 3 February 2017.

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- 3 (3)However, if the relevant disciplinary ground arising on or after 3 February 2017 relates to 4 conduct that is a part of a course of conduct that 5 also includes conduct giving rise to a relevant 6 disciplinary ground arising before 3 February 7 2017, the person may be disciplined under chapter 8 6, part 1, division 9, subdivision 3 in relation to all 9 of the grounds as if they all arose on or after 3 10 February 2017. 11
- (4) Subsection (3) does not apply in relation to a relevant disciplinary ground arising before 3 13 February 2017 if disciplinary action has been, or 14 is being, taken in relation to the ground under this Act or a relevant disciplinary law for the person 16 within the meaning of section 273AA(3).
- (5) If, at the commencement, the chairperson is taking disciplinary action under the *Public* 19 *Service Act 2008*, section 187A or 188AB in relation to a person to whom this section 21 applies—22
 - (a) the chairperson must stop taking the 23 disciplinary action under the *Public Service* 24 *Act 2008*; and 25
 - (b) the disciplinary action may be continued 26 under chapter 6, part 1, division 9, 27 subdivision 3; and 28
 - (c) anything done under the *Public Service Act* 29 2008 in relation to the disciplinary action by 30 the chairperson is taken to have been done 31 under chapter 6, part 1, division 9, 32 subdivision 3 by the chief executive officer. 33
- (6) In this section— 34

relevant employee see section 273A. 35

relevant commission officer see section 273A. 36

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446 Sharing disciplinary information

- (1)Sections 273DA and 273DB apply only in relation to a request for information made after the commencement.
- (2)However, a request mentioned in column 1 made but not complied with before the commencement is taken to be a request mentioned in column 2 made after the commencement—

Column 1

request under the *Public Service* request under section 273DA to the Act 2008, section 188B to the chairperson in relation to a person who is relevant or was а commission officer

Act 2008, section 188B by the chairperson in relation to a person who is or was a relevant employee

Column 2

chief executive officer

request under the *Public Service* request under section 273DB by the chief executive officer

447 Notification of prosecution proceedings by 9 relevant prosecuting authorities 10 Section 273H applies only in relation to a person (1)11 charged with a relevant offence on or after 3 12 February 2017. 13 Note-14 The Public Service Act 2008, section 170 has applied to 15 the commission, as a public service office under that 16 Act, in relation to all of the commission's employees 17 since 3 February 2017. 18 (2)A written notice given to the chairperson under 19 the Public Service Act 2008, section 170-20(a) is, from the commencement, taken to have 21

been given to the chief executive officer 22 under section 273H; and 23 [s 44]

	(b) may be dealt with by the chief executive officer under this Act.	1 2
448 Lia	bility of officials and others	3
(1)	Current section 335 does not apply to conduct, or the result of conduct, engaged in by a protected entity before the commencement.	4 5 6
(2)	Previous section 335 continues to apply to an act done, or omission made, by an official before the commencement.	7 8 9
(3)	Also, the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , section 26C continues to apply to conduct engaged in by a commission officer before the commencement.	10 11 12
(4)	However, if a protected entity engages in conduct to which current section 335 applies after the commencement and the conduct is a part of a course of conduct that also includes conduct engaged in before the commencement, current section 335 applies to all of the conduct as if it was all engaged in after the commencement.	13 14 15 16 17 18 19
(5)	A term used in this section in relation to current section 335 or previous section 335 has the meaning it has under that section.	20 21 22
(6)	In this section—	23
	<i>current section 335</i> means section 335 as in force from the commencement.	24 25
	<i>previous section 335</i> means section 335 as in force before the commencement.	26 27
44 Insertion of n	ew ch 8, pt 15, div 2	28
	part 15, as inserted by this Act—	29
insert—		30

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Divisio	on 2 Amendments commencing by proclamation	
449 Exi	sting complaints about corrupt conduct	
(1)	This section applies to the following—	
	 (a) a complaint about corrupt conduct made or referred to the commission, but not finally dealt with, before the commencement; 	
	(b) a complaint that a public official reasonably suspects involves, or may involve, corrupt conduct that was made or referred to the public official, but not notified, before the commencement.	
(2)	The complaint must be dealt with and, for a complaint mentioned in subsection (1)(b), notified in the context of corrupt conduct within the meaning of section 15 as in force on the commencement.	
(3)	In this section—	
	<i>complaint</i> , about corrupt conduct, includes information or a matter involving corrupt conduct.	
	<i>dealt with</i> means dealt with under this Act.	
	<i>notified</i> means notified to the commission under chapter 2, part 3, division 3.	
	sting disciplinary proceedings about rupt conduct	
(1)	This section applies to a disciplinary proceeding about corrupt conduct started, but not finished, before the commencement.	
(2)	QCAT must hear and decide the disciplinary proceeding under this Act in the context of	

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			corrupt conduct within the meaning of section 15 as in force before the commencement.	1 2
		(3)	In this section—	3
			<i>disciplinary proceeding</i> means disciplinary proceeding within the meaning of section 219B as in force before the commencement.	4 5 6
Clause	45	Amendment o	f sch 2 (Dictionary)	7
			, definition <i>prescribed person</i> , 'and (4)'—	8
		omit.		9
		(2) Schedule 2-		10
		insert—		11
			<i>prescribed employee</i> , for chapter 6, part 1, division 9, see section 273A.	12 13
			<i>relevant employee</i> , for chapter 6, part 1, division 9, see section 273A.	14 15
	Part	3	Amendment of Ambulance Service Act 1991	16 17
Clause	46	Act amended		18
	-	This part ar	mends the Ambulance Service Act 1991.	19
Clause	47		f s 2 (Definitions)	20
		Section 2, '	the schedule'—	21
		omit, insert		22
			schedule 1	23

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Clause	48	Insertion of ne	ew p	t 2, div 4, sdiv 1A	1
		Part 2, divis	sion 4	4, before subdivision 1—	2
		insert—			3
		Subdiv	visio	on 1A Interpretation	4
		18AA D	efini	tions for division	5
			In t	his division—	6
			emp	scribed employee means a prescribed bloyee under the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , ion 186A, other than a service officer.	7 8 9
			rele	want employee means—	10
			(a)	a public service employee; or	11
			(b)	a prescribed employee.	12
		18AB R	efer	ences to relevant employees	13
		(1)	part	s section provides for the meaning of cicular terms used in this division relating to a son who is or was a relevant employee.	14 15 16
		(2)		eference to the person's current or previous of executive is a reference to—	17 18
			(a)	for a person who is or was a public service employee—the chief executive of the department in which the person is or was employed as a public service employee; or	19 20 21 22
			(b)	for a person who is or was a prescribed employee—the person's current or previous chief executive under the <i>Public Service Act</i> 2008, section 186B(2).	23 24 25 26
		(3)		eference to a relevant disciplinary law for the son is a reference to any of the following—	27 28
			(a)	the Public Service Act 2008, chapter 6;	29

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			the	aw that is a relevant disciplinary law for person under the <i>Public Service Act</i> 08, section 186B(3).	1 2 3
			Note—		4
			discip	ws mentioned in this subsection also provide for inary action against a person who was, but is no , a relevant employee.	5 6 7
		(4)	In subd	vision 2—	8
			for gre	eference to a relevant disciplinary ground the person is a reference to a disciplinary ound under a relevant disciplinary law for person; and	9 10 11 12
			rel the rel	reference to a disciplinary finding in ation to a relevant disciplinary ground for person is a reference to a finding that a evant disciplinary ground for the person sts.	13 14 15 16 17
Clause 4	aga		ice offic	v 4, sdiv 2, hdg (Disciplinary action er who was a public service ce officer)	18 19 20
Clause 4	aga	inst a serv ployee or fi	ice offic re serv	er who was a public service	19
Clause 4	aga	inst a serv ployee or fi	ice offic re serv sion 4, su	er who was a public service ce officer)	19 20
Clause 4	aga	linst a serv ployee or fi Part 2, divis	ice offic re serv sion 4, su	er who was a public service ce officer) bdivision 2, heading—	19 20 21
	aga em	inst a serv ployee or fi Part 2, divis omit, insert Subdiv	ice offic re serv sion 4, su vision	 er who was a public service ce officer) bdivision 2, heading— 2 Disciplinary action against a service officer who was a 	19 20 21 22 23 24
	aga em	inst a serv ployee or fi Part 2, divis omit, insert Subdiv	ice offic re serv sion 4, su /ision f s 18C	 er who was a public service ce officer) bdivision 2, heading— 2 Disciplinary action against a service officer who was a relevant employee (Application of sdiv 2) 	19 20 21 22 23 24 25
	aga em	linst a serv ployee or fi Part 2, divis omit, insert Subdiv	ice offic re servi sion 4, su vision f s 18C C(1) and	 er who was a public service ce officer) bdivision 2, heading— 2 Disciplinary action against a service officer who was a relevant employee (Application of sdiv 2) 	19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

			(a) a person is a relevant employee and a relevant disciplinary ground arises in relation to the person; and	1 2 3
			 (b) after the relevant disciplinary ground arises, the person changes employment from employment as a relevant employee to employment under section 13. 	4 5 6 7
		(2)	Section 18C(3), from 'under', including note—	8
			omit, insert—	9
			under a relevant disciplinary law in relation to the relevant disciplinary ground.	10 11
		(3)	Section 18C(4), from 'a department' to 'officer,'	12
			omit, insert—	13
			employment as a relevant employee	14
		(4)	Section 18C(4)(a), from 'in the department' to 'officer'—	15
			omit, insert—	16
			as a relevant employee	17
		(5)	Section 18C(4)(b), from 'commissioner' to 'the person'—	18
			omit, insert—	19
			person's transfer or redeployment	20
		(6)	Section 18C(4), note—	21
			omit.	22
		(7)	Section 18C(3) and (4)—	23
			<i>renumber</i> as section $18C(2)$ and (3).	24
Clause	51	Om	nission of s 18D (Definitions for sdiv 2)	25
			Section 18D—	26
			omit.	27

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Clause	52		endment of s 18E (Action previous chief executive y take)	1 2
		(1)	Section 18E(1) and (2)—	3
			omit, insert—	4
			 The person's previous chief executive may make a disciplinary finding about the relevant disciplinary ground for this subdivision. 	5 6 7
			(2) The previous chief executive may take disciplinary action about the relevant disciplinary ground as provided under section 18F(1).	8 9 10
		(2)	Section 18E(3), 'employing'—	11
			omit, insert—	12
			person's current	13
		(3)	Section 18E(4), 'employing'—	14
			omit, insert—	15
			current	16
Clause	53		endment of s 18F (Action employing chief executive y take)	17 18
		(1)	Section 18F, heading, 'employing'—	19
			omit, insert—	20
			current	21
		(2)	Section 18F(1)(a) and (2)(a), before 'previous'—	22
			insert—	23
			person's	24
		(3)	Section 18F(1)(b) and (2)(a), 'employing'—	25
			omit, insert—	26
			person's current	27
		(4)	Section 18F(1) and (2), 'employing chief executive may'—	28
			omit, insert—	29

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		[s 54]	
		current chief executive may	1
		(5) Section 18F(2)(b), 'employing'—	2
		omit, insert—	3
		current	4
Clause	54	Amendment of s 18G (Declaration if same chief executive is the previous chief executive and employing chief executive)	5 6 7
		Section 18G, 'employing'—	8
		omit, insert—	9
		current	10
Clause	55	Amendment of s 18H (Application of sdiv 3)	11
		Section 18H(2)—	12
		omit, insert—	13
		(2) However, this subdivision does not apply in relation to a person who is a former service officer if the chief executive is aware—	14 15 16
		(a) the person is a relevant employee; and	17
		(b) the person's current or previous chief executive has taken, is taking, or intends to take disciplinary action against the person, under a relevant disciplinary law, in relation to the disciplinary ground.	18 19 20 21 22
Clause	56	Amendment of s 18J (Information about disciplinary action to be given by chief executive)	23 24
		(1) Section $18J(1)(a)$, from 'the chief executive of' to 'asks'—	25
		omit, insert—	26
		a relevant official asks	27
		(2) Section $18J(1)(b)$, 'other chief executive to'—	28

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			omit, insert—		1
			relevant official to		2
		(3)	Section 18J(1)(b)(i), 'other chief execu	utive'—	3
			omit, insert—		4
			official		5
		(4)	Section 18J(1)(b)(ii), from 'other'—		6
			omit, insert—		7
			official is considering in under a relevant disciplina	_	8 9
		(5)	Section 18J(2), 'other chief executive'		10
			omit, insert—		11
			relevant official		12
		(6)	Section 18J(3), definition <i>disciplinary</i> relation' to 'a person'—	v information, from 'in	13 14
			omit, insert—		15
			about a person		16
		(7)	Section 18J(3), definition relevant Act-	_	17
			omit.		18
		(8)	Section 18J(3)—		19
			insert—		20
			<i>relevant official</i> means—		21
			(a) the chief executive of	f a department; or	22
				(however described) of ployees are prescribed	23 24 25
Clause	57	Am act (1)	endment of s 18K (Information abo on to be given to chief executive) Section 18K(1)(a)—	out disciplinary	26 27 28

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omit, insert— 1 (a) the chief executive (the *ambulance chief* 2 executive) asks a relevant official for 3 disciplinary information the official has 4 about a person who is or was a relevant 5 employee; and 6 (2) Section 18K(2), 'other chief executive must'— 7 omit, insert— 8 relevant official must 9 (3) Section 18K(2), 'other chief executive is'— 10 omit. insert— 11 official is 12 (4) Section 18K(3), definition *disciplinary information*, from 'in 13 relation' to 'entity'-14 omit, insert— 15 about a person, means information about the 16 following made or taken against the person under 17 a public sector disciplinary law by a relevant 18 official or another entity 19 (5) Section 18K(3)— 20 21 *relevant official* means— 22 (a) the chief executive of a department; or 23 (b) the chief executive (however described) of 24 an entity whose employees are prescribed 25 employees. 26 Amendment of s 18L (Use of particular information about 27 disciplinary action obtained by chief executive in another 28 29

(1) Section 18L(1)(a)—

capacity)

insert—

Clause 58

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	omit, inse	rt—		1
		. ,	ler the Public Service Act 2008, the chief	2
			ecutive has or has access to disciplinary ormation about a person who is or was a	3 4
			blic service employee; and	5
	(2) Section 1	8L(3), defii	nition relevant Act—	6
	omit.			7
Clause 59	Insertion of I	new pt 8,	div 8	8
	Part 8—	-		9
	insert—			10
	Divis	ion 8	Transitional provisions for	11
			Crime and Corruption and	12
			Other Legislation	13
			Amendment Act 2017	14
			y action against a service officer relevant commission officer	15 16
	(1)		tion applies to a person who is a service and was a relevant commission officer.	17 18
	(2)	division disciplir relevant	rson may be disciplined under part 2, 4, subdivision 2 in relation to a relevant hary ground arising when the person was a commission officer only if the ground ter the commencement.	19 20 21 22 23
	(3)	arising conduct also inc disciplir commer under pa	er, if the relevant disciplinary ground after the commencement relates to that is a part of a course of conduct that cludes conduct giving rise to a relevant nary ground arising before the neement, the person may be disciplined art 2, division 4, subdivision 2 in relation the grounds as if they all arose after the	24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

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		commencement.	1
	(4)	Subsection (3) does not apply in relation to a relevant disciplinary ground arising before the commencement if disciplinary action has been, or is being, taken in relation to the ground under this Act or a relevant disciplinary law for the person within the meaning of section 18AB(3).	2 3 4 5 6 7
	(5)	In this section—	8
		<i>relevant commission officer</i> see the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 273A.	9 10
	102 Sha	aring disciplinary information	11
		Sections 18J and 18K apply in relation to a request for information made by or to the chief executive officer under the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> only if the request is made after the commencement.	12 13 14 15 16
Am	endment a	nd numbering of schedule (Dictionary)	17
(1)	executive, j previous c	definitions disciplinary finding, employing chief fire service chief executive, fire service officer, chief executive, relevant disciplinary ground, disciplinary law and relevant disciplinary	18 19 20 21 22
	omit.		23
(2)	Schedule—		24
	insert—		25
		<i>disciplinary finding</i> means a finding that a disciplinary ground exists.	26 27
		disciplinary law means—	28
		(a) this Act or a disciplinary provision of a code of practice (including a code of practice as	29 30

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			in force from time to time before the commencement of this definition); or	1 2
		(b)	a law of another State that provides for the same, or substantially the same, matters as this Act; or	2 3 4 5
		(c)	a code of practice or other instrument under a law mentioned in paragraph (b) providing for disciplinary matters; or	6 7 8
		(d)	a public sector disciplinary law.	9
			cribed employee, for part 2, division 4, see ion 18AA.	10 11
			<i>vant employee</i> , for part 2, division 4, see ion 18AA.	12 13
(3)	Schedule, (a)(i)—	defir	ition disciplinary declaration, paragraph	14 15
	insert—			16
		(E)	the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 273D; or	17 18
(4)	Schedule, (a), 'relevat		tion serious disciplinary action, paragraph	19 20
	omit.			21
(5)	Schedule-	-		22
	number as	sched	ule 1.	23
Part 4		Am	endment of Director of	24
		Pu	blic Prosecutions Act 1984	25
61 Act	t amended			26
OI AU				20

This part amends the Director of Public Prosecutions Act271984.28

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Clause	62	Am	endment of	s 13 (Assistance for director)
		(1)	Section 13(2	2)—
			insert—	
				(c) the chief executive officer under the <i>Crime</i> and <i>Corruption Act 2001</i> for the assistance of a commission officer under that Act.
		(2)	Section 13(4	4)—
			omit, insert-	_
			(4)	A person of whom a request is made under subsection (2) must, as far as possible, comply with the request.
	Part	5		Amendment of Fire and
				Emergency Services Act 1990
Clause	63	Ac	t amended	
			This part an	nends the Fire and Emergency Services Act 1990.
Clause	64	Ins	ertion of ne	w ch 3, pt 4, div 3, sdiv 1A
			Chapter 3, p	art 4, division 3, before subdivision 1—
			insert—	
			Subdiv	vision 1A Interpretation
			29C Def	initions for division
				In this division—
				<i>prescribed employee</i> means a prescribed employee under the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , section 186A, other than a fire service officer.
				<i>relevant employee</i> means—

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	(a)	a public service employee; or	1
	(b)	a prescribed employee.	2
29D Re	ferei	nces to relevant employees	3
(1)	part	s section provides for the meaning of icular terms used in this division relating to a son who is or was a relevant employee.	4 5 6
(2)		eference to the person's current or previous of executive is a reference to—	7 8
	(a)	for a person who is or was a public service employee—the chief executive of the department in which the person is or was employed as a public service employee; or	9 10 11 12
	(b)	for a person who is or was a prescribed employee—the person's current or previous chief executive under the <i>Public Service Act</i> 2008, section 186B(2).	13 14 15 16
(3)		eference to a relevant disciplinary law for the son is a reference to any of the following—	17 18
	(a)	the Public Service Act 2008, chapter 6;	19
	(b)	a law that is a relevant disciplinary law for the person under the <i>Public Service Act</i> 2008, section 186B(3).	20 21 22
	Note	_	23
	di	he laws mentioned in this subsection also provide for isciplinary action against a person who was, but is no onger, a relevant employee.	24 25 26
(4)	In s	ubdivision 2—	27
	(a)	a reference to a relevant disciplinary ground for the person is a reference to a disciplinary ground under a relevant disciplinary law for the person; and	28 29 30 31
	(b)	a reference to a disciplinary finding in relation to a relevant disciplinary ground for	32 33

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				[s 65]	
				the person is a reference to a finding that a relevant disciplinary ground for the person exists.	1 2 3
Clause	65	act	ion against a f	a 3, pt 4, div 3, sdiv 2, hdg (Disciplinary ire service officer who was a public or ambulance service officer)	4 5 6
			Chapter 3, part 'public'—	t 4, division 3, subdivision 2, heading, from	7 8
			omit, insert—		9
			rel	evant employee	10
Clause	66	Am	nendment of s	30B (Application of sdiv 2)	11
		(1)	Section 30B(1)		12
			omit, insert—		13
			(1) Th	is subdivision applies if—	14
			(a)	a person is a relevant employee and a relevant disciplinary ground arises in relation to the person; and	15 16 17
			(b)	after the relevant disciplinary ground arises, the person changes employment from employment as a relevant employee to employment under section 25.	18 19 20 21
		(2)	Section 30B(3)	, from 'under', including note—	22
			omit, insert—		23
				der a relevant disciplinary law in relation to the evant disciplinary ground.	24 25
		(3)	Section 30B(4)	, from 'a department' to 'officer'—	26
			omit, insert—		27
			em	ployment as a relevant employee	28
		(4)	Section 30B(4)	(a), from 'in the department' to 'officer'—	29

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			omit, insert—	1
			as a relevant employee	2
		(5)	Section 30B(4)(b), from 'commissioner' to 'from'—	3
			omit, insert—	4
			person's transfer, redeployment or secondment from	5 6
		(6)	Section 30B(4), notes—	7
			omit.	8
		(7)	Section 30B(3) and (4)—	9
			renumber as section 30B(2) and (3).	10
Clause	67	Om	nission of s 30C (Definitions for sdiv 2)	11
			Section 30C—	12
			omit.	13
Clause	68		nendment of s 30D (Action previous chief executive y take)	14 15
			Section 30D(1) and (2)—	16
			omit, insert—	17
			 The person's previous chief executive may make a disciplinary finding about the relevant disciplinary ground for this subdivision. 	18 19 20
			(2) The previous chief executive may take disciplinary action about the relevant disciplinary ground as provided under section 30E(1).	21 22 23
Clause	69	Am	nendment of s 30E (Action commissioner may take)	24
			Section 30E(1)(a) and (2)(a), before 'previous'—	25
			insert—	26
			person's	27

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Clause	70	Am	endment o	fs3	0G (Application of sdiv 3)	1
			Section 300	G(2) a	and (3)—	2
			omit, insert			3
			(2)	rela	vever, this subdivision does not apply in tion to a person who is a former fire service cer if the commissioner is aware—	4 5 6
				(a)	the person is a relevant employee; and	7
				(b)	the person's current or previous chief executive has taken, is taking, or intends to take disciplinary action against the person, under a relevant disciplinary law, in relation to the disciplinary ground.	8 9 10 11 12
Clause	71				0I (Information about disciplinary by commissioner)	13 14
		(1)	Section 30I	(1)(a)), from 'the chief executive' to 'asks'—	15
			omit, insert			16
				a re	levant official asks	17
		(2)	Section 30I	(1)(b), 'other chief executive to'—	18
			omit, insert			19
				rele	vant official to	20
		(3)	Section 30I	(1)(b)(i), 'other chief executive'—	21
			omit, insert			22
				offi	cial	23
		(4)	Section 30I	(1)(b)(ii), from 'other'—	24
			omit, insert			25
					cial is considering in relation to the person er a relevant disciplinary law.	26 27
		(5)	Section 30I	(2), '	other chief executive'—	28
			omit, insert			29

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		relevant official
	(6)	Section 30I(3), definition disciplinary information, from 'in
		relation' to 'a person'—
		omit, insert—
		about a person
	(7)	Section 30I(3), definition relevant Act—
		omit.
	(8)	Section 30I(3)—
		insert—
		relevant official means—
		(a) the chief executive of a department; or
		(b) the chief executive (however described) of an entity whose employees are prescribed
		employees.
lause 72		• • • •
lause 72		employees.
lause 72	act	employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner)
lause 72	act	employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner) Section 30J(1)(a)—
lause 72	act	employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner) Section 30J(1)(a)— omit, insert— (a) the commissioner asks a relevant official for disciplinary information the official has about a person who is or was a relevant
ause 72	act (1)	employees. employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner) Section 30J(1)(a)— omit, insert— (a) the commissioner asks a relevant official for disciplinary information the official has about a person who is or was a relevant employee; and
lause 72	act (1)	employees. employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner) Section 30J(1)(a)— omit, insert— (a) the commissioner asks a relevant official for disciplinary information the official has about a person who is or was a relevant employee; and Section 30J(2), 'other chief executive must'—
lause 72	act (1)	employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner) Section 30J(1)(a)— omit, insert— (a) the commissioner asks a relevant official for disciplinary information the official has about a person who is or was a relevant employee; and Section 30J(2), 'other chief executive must'— omit, insert—
lause 72	act (1)	employees. endment of s 30J (Information about disciplinary ion to be given to commissioner) Section 30J(1)(a)— omit, insert— (a) the commissioner asks a relevant official for disciplinary information the official has about a person who is or was a relevant employee; and Section 30J(2), 'other chief executive must'— omit, insert— relevant official must

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	(4)	Section 30J(3), relation' to 'enti	definition <i>disciplinary information</i> , from 'in ty'—
		omit, insert—	
		folle a p	bout a person, means information about the owing made or taken against the person under ublic sector disciplinary law by a relevant cial or another entity
	(5)	Section 30J(3)—	-
		insert—	
		rele	vant official means—
		(a)	the chief executive of a department; or
		(b)	the chief executive (however described) of an entity whose employees are prescribed employees.
73	dis	endment of s 3 ciplinary action pacity)	0K (Use of particular information about obtained by commissioner in another
	(1)	Section 30K(1)(a)—
		omit, insert—	
		(a)	under the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , the commissioner has or has access to disciplinary information about a person who is or was a public service employee; and
	(2)	Section 30K(3),	definition relevant Act—
		omit.	
74	Ins	ertion of new c	h 5, pt 5, div 8
74	Ins	ertion of new c Chapter 5, part 5	
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Divisio	n 8 Transitional provisions for Crime and Corruption and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2017		
205 Dis offi	ciplinary action against a fire service icer who was a relevant commission officer	5 6	
(1)	This section applies to a person who is a fire service officer and was a relevant commission officer.	7 8 9	

- (2) The person may be disciplined under chapter 3, 10 part 4, division 3, subdivision 2 in relation to a 11 relevant disciplinary ground arising when the 12 person was a relevant commission officer only if 13 the ground arose after the commencement. 14
- However, if the relevant disciplinary ground (3) 15 arising after the commencement relates to 16 conduct that is a part of a course of conduct that 17 also includes conduct giving rise to a relevant 18 disciplinary ground arising before the 19 commencement, the person may be disciplined 20under chapter 3, part 4, division 3, subdivision 2 21 in relation to all of the grounds as if they all arose 22 after the commencement. 23
- (5) In this section— 30

relevant commission officer see the Crime and31Corruption Act 2001, section 273A.32

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	206 Sharing disciplinary information
	Sections 30I and 30J apply in relation to a request for information made by or to the chief executive officer under the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> only if the request is made after the commencement.
Am	nendment of sch 6 (Dictionary)
(1)	Schedule 6, definitions ambulance service officer, disciplinary finding, previous chief executive, relevant disciplinary ground, relevant disciplinary law and relevant disciplinary provision—
	omit.
(2)	Schedule 6—
	insert—
	<i>disciplinary finding</i> means a finding that a disciplinary ground exists.
	disciplinary law means—
	(a) this Act; or
	(b) a law of another State that provides for the same, or substantially the same, matters as this Act; or
	(c) a code of practice or other instrument under a law mentioned in paragraph (b) providing for disciplinary matters; or
	(d) a public sector disciplinary law.
	<i>prescribed employee</i> , for chapter 3, part 4, division 3, see section 29C.
	<i>relevant employee</i> , for chapter 3, part 4, division 3, see section 29C.
(3)	Schedule 6, definition <i>disciplinary declaration</i> , paragraph (a)(i)—

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Clause

		insert—		1
			(E) the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 273D; or	2 3
	(4)	Schedule 6 (a), 'relevar	, definition <i>serious disciplinary action</i> , paragraph nt'—	4 5
		omit.		6
Part	6		Amendment of Ombudsman Act 2001	7 8
76	Act	amended		9
		This part ar	nends the Ombudsman Act 2001.	10
77	Ins	ertion of ne	ew s 91A	11
		After section	n 91—	12
		insert—		13
		91A Dis	closure of information	14
		(1)	An officer of the ombudsman may disclose information obtained in the performance of a function of the ombudsman, including information obtained by way of a complaint, to an agency if—	15 16 17 18 19
			 (a) the ombudsman considers the agency has a proper interest in the information for the performance of the agency's functions; or 	20 21 22
			(b) the disclosure is for the purpose of protecting the health, safety or security of a person or property.	23 24 25
		(2)	Subsection (1) does not apply to information that an officer of the ombudsman can not make a record of, or wilfully disclose, under the <i>Crime</i> <i>and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 213.	26 27 28 29

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		(3)	In this section—	1
			agency includes each of the following—	2
			(a) an agency of the Commonwealth;	3
			(b) the ombudsman under the <i>Ombudsman Act</i> 1976 (Cwlth);	4 5
			(c) an ombudsman under the law of another State.	6 7
			<i>officer of the ombudsman</i> includes the ombudsman.	8 9
Clause	78	Amendment o	f s 92 (Secrecy)	10
		Section 92(2)—	11
		omit, insert	_	12
		(2)	Subsection (1) does not apply to the disclosure of information under section 91A.	13 14
Clause	79	Amendment o	f sch 3 (Dictionary)	15
		Schedule 3	definition complaints entity—	16
		omit, insert	_	17
			complaints entity means—	18
			 (a) an entity other than the ombudsman that, under an Act, has responsibility for the investigation or review of matters that may include administrative actions of agencies; or 	19 20 21 22 23
			Examples of entities for paragraph (a)—	24
			the Crime and Corruption Commission	25
			• the Anti-Discrimination Commissioner under the Anti-Discrimination Act 1991	26 27
			• the health ombudsman under the <i>Health</i> Ombudsman Act 2013	28 29

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			•	the public guardian under the <i>Public Guardian Act</i> 2014	$\frac{1}{2}$
			(b)	the ombudsman under the <i>Ombudsman Act</i> 1976 (Cwlth); or	3 4
			(c)	an ombudsman under the law of another State.	5 6
	Part	7		nendment of Police Service ministration Act 1990	7 8
Clause	80	Act amended			9
		This part a	mend	s the Police Service Administration Act 1990.	10
Clause	81			9.7 (Protection from liability of r police service reviews)	11 12
		Section 9.7	7		13
		omit, inser	<i>t</i> —		14
				on of commissioners for police service from liability	15 16
		(1)		s section applies to each of the following sons (each a <i>protected person</i>)—	17 18
			(a)	a commissioner for police service reviews;	19
			(b)	a person acting under the direction of a commissioner for police service reviews;	20 21
			(c)	a person who was a person of a type mentioned in paragraph (a) or (b) at the time the person engaged in conduct in an official capacity.	22 23 24 25
		(2)	for	rotected person does not incur civil liability engaging, or for the result of engaging, in duct in an official capacity.	26 27 28
		(3)	If s	ubsection (2) prevents liability attaching to a	29

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1	protected person, the liability attaches instead to the State.	
	If liability attaches to the State under subsection (3), the State may recover contribution from the protected person but only if the conduct was engaged in—	(4)
-	(a) other than in good faith; and	
8	(b) with gross negligence.	
	In a proceeding under subsection (4) to recover contribution, the amount of contribution recoverable is the amount found by the court to be just and equitable in the circumstances.	(5)
	In this section—	(6)
	<i>civil liability</i> , of a protected person for engaging, or for the result of engaging, in conduct in an official capacity, means liability of any type for the payment of an amount by the protected person because of—	
	 (a) a claim based in tort, contract or another form of action in relation to the conduct or result, including, for example, breach of statutory duty or defamation and, for a fatal injury, includes a claim for the deceased's dependants or estate; or 	
	(b) a complaint made under a law that provides a person may complain about the conduct or result to an entity established under the law, other than a complaint to start criminal proceedings, including, for example, a complaint under the <i>Justices Act 1886</i> ; or	
	(c) an order of a court to pay costs relating to a proceeding for an offence against a law in relation to the conduct or result, unless the proceeding was for an offence by the protected person.	

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Example	a of types	of liability-
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	Examples of types of liability—				
	und <i>Aus</i> (Cw	ability because of an agreement or an order er the Anti-Discrimination Act 1991 or the tralian Human Rights Commission Act 1986 with) requiring payment of an amount to a applainant (however described) under the Act	2 3 4 5 6		
	agre cou pay dam	iability because of an obligation under an element to settle a proceeding, or an order of a rt or tribunal, to do something that involves ing an amount, including an obligation to rectify hage to a building or to publish an apology in a rspaper	7 8 9 10 11 12		
	<i>conduct</i> an act.	means an act or an omission to perform	13 14		
	engage in connection person, in	a conduct in an official capacity means in conduct as part of, or otherwise in on with, a person's role as a protected including, for example, engaging in under or purportedly under this Act.	15 16 17 18 19		
Insertion of ne	ew pt 11, o	div 9	20		
Part 11—			21		
insert—			22		
Divisio	on 9	Transitional provision for Crime and Corruption and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2017	23 24 25		
		Amenament Act 2017	26		
	iability of iews	commissioners for police service	27 28		
(1)	the result	ection 9.7 does not apply to conduct, or of conduct, engaged in by a protected fore the commencement.	29 30 31		
(2)		section 9.7 continues to apply to an act mitted to be done by a protected person	32 33		

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				before the commencement.	1
			(3)	Also, the <i>Public Service Act 2008</i> , section 26C continues to apply to conduct engaged in by a commissioner for police reviews before the commencement.	1 2 3 4 5
			(4)	However, if a protected person engages in conduct to which current section 9.7 applies after the commencement and the conduct is a part of a course of conduct that also includes conduct engaged in before the commencement, current section 9.7 applies to all of the conduct as if it was all engaged in after the commencement.	6 7 8 9 10 11 12
			(5)	A term used in this section in relation to current section 9.7 or previous section 9.7 has the meaning it has under that section.	13 14 15
			(6)	In this section—	16
				<i>current section 9.7</i> means section 9.7 as in force from the commencement.	17 18
				<i>previous section 9.7</i> means section 9.7 as in force before the commencement.	19 20
	Part	8		Amendment of Public Service Act 2008	21 22
Clause	83	۸c	t amended		23
Ciudoo		AU		mends the Public Service Act 2008.	23 24
Clause	84	An	nendment o	of s 186A (Definitions for ch 6)	25
		(1)	Section 186	6A, definition employing chief executive—	26
			omit.		27
		(2)	Section 186	5A—	28
			insert—		29
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	<i>ambulance service officer</i> means a person employed under the <i>Ambulance Service Act 1991</i> , section 13.	1 2 3
	<i>current chief executive</i> , of a public service employee, means the chief executive of the department in which the employee is employed after changing employment from another department.	4 5 6 7 8
	<i>fire service officer</i> means a person employed under the <i>Fire and Emergency Services Act 1990</i> , section 25.	9 10 11
	prescribed employee means—	12
	(a) an ambulance service officer; or	13
	(b) a fire service officer; or	14
	(c) a relevant commission officer.	15
	<i>relevant commission officer</i> see the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 273A.	16 17
i Insertion of ne	w s 186B	18
Chapter 6, p	part 1—	19
insert—		20
186B Re	eferences to prescribed employees	21
(1)	This section provides for the meaning of particular terms used in this chapter relating to a person who is or was a prescribed employee.	22 23 24
(2)	A reference to the person's current or previous chief executive is a reference to—	25 26
	 (a) for a person who is or was an ambulance service officer—the chief executive of the department in which the <i>Ambulance Service Act 1991</i> is administered; or 	27 28 29 30

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	(1	b)	for a person who is or was a fire service officer—the commissioner under the <i>Fire</i> and <i>Emergency Services Act 1990</i> ; or	1 2 3
	(6	c)	for a person who is or was a relevant commission officer—the chief executive officer under the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> .	4 5 6 7
			ference to a relevant disciplinary law for the on is a reference to any of the following—	8 9
	(8	a)	the <i>Ambulance Service Act 1991</i> , part 2, division 4;	10 11
	(1	b)	the <i>Fire and Emergency Services Act 1990</i> , chapter 3, part 4, division 3;	12 13
	(0	c)	the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , chapter 6, part 1, division 9.	14 15
	N	lote-	_	16
		dis	he laws mentioned in this subsection also provide for sciplinary action against a person who was, but is no nger, a prescribed employee.	17 18 19
	(4) II	n pa	art 2, division 3—	20
	(8	a)	a reference to a relevant disciplinary ground for the person is a reference to a disciplinary ground under a relevant disciplinary law for the person; and	21 22 23 24
	[]	b)	a reference to a disciplinary finding in relation to a relevant disciplinary ground for the person is a reference to a finding that a relevant disciplinary ground for the person exists.	25 26 27 28 29
Clause 86 Insertion of	of now	r oh	6 pt 2 div 1 bdg	20
			6, pt 2, div 1, hdg	30
-	-	rt 2	, before section 187—	31
insert—	-			32

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		Divisio	on 1	Grounds for discipline and disciplinary action generally	1 2 3
Clause	87		a public se	low disciplinary action may be ervice employee after the oyment)	4 5 6
		Section 187	7A(4) to (7),	'employing'—	7
		omit, insert	<u>. </u>		8
			current		9
Clause	88			sciplinary action that may be ervice employee)	10 11
		Section 188	B(2), 'employ	ying'—	12
		omit, insert	<u>. </u>		13
			current		14
Clause	89	Insertion of ne	ew ch 6, pt	2, div 2, hdg	15
		Chapter 6,	part 2, after	section 188—	16
		insert—			17
		Divisio	on 2	Disciplinary action against	18
				former public service	19
				employee	20
Clause	90			Disciplinary action that may be ublic service employee)	21 22
		(1) Section 188	3A(2)—		23
		omit, insert	·		24
		(2)		his section does not apply in relation to ho is a former public service employee	25 26

[s 91] if the person's previous chief executive is 1 aware-2 (a) the person is a prescribed employee; and 3 (b) the previous chief executive or the person's 4 current chief executive has taken, is taking, 5 or intends to take disciplinary action against 6 the person, under a relevant disciplinary law, 7 in relation to the disciplinary ground. 8 (2)Section 188A(3), (7) and (8), before 'previous'— 9 insert— 10 former public service employee's 11 Clause 91 Replacement of s 188AB (Disciplinary action that may be 12 taken against a former ambulance service officer or 13 former fire service officer) 14 Section 188AB— 15 omit. insert— 16 Division 3 **Disciplinary action against** 17 a public service employee 18 who was a prescribed 19 employee 20**188AB** Application of division 21 This division applies if— (1)22 a person is a prescribed employee and a (a) 23 relevant disciplinary ground arises 24 in relation to the person; and 25 (b) after the relevant disciplinary ground arises, 26 the person stops being employed as a 27 prescribed employee and starts employment 28 as a public service employee. 29 (2)However, this division does not apply if the 30 [s 91]

person's previous chief executive has taken, is 1 taking, or intends to take, disciplinary action 2 against the person, under a relevant disciplinary 3 law, in relation to the relevant disciplinary 4 ground. 5

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188AC Action previous chief executive may take

- The person's previous chief executive may make 7 a disciplinary finding about the relevant 8 disciplinary ground for this division.
- (2) The previous chief executive may take 10 disciplinary action about the relevant disciplinary 11 ground as provided under section 188AD(2).
- (3) Despite subsection (1) and without limiting or 13 being limited by any other power of delegation 14 under any Act, the previous chief executive may 15 delegate to the person's current chief executive 16 the authority under subsection (1) to make a 17 disciplinary finding about the person. 18
- (4) The previous chief executive may give to the 19 current chief executive any information about a 20 person or a relevant disciplinary ground relating 21 to the person to help the current chief executive to 22 perform a function under section 188AD(2) or (4) 23 in relation to the person. 24

188AD Action current chief executive may take 25

- (1) Subsection (2) applies if—
 - (a) the person's previous chief executive makes
 a disciplinary finding about the relevant
 disciplinary ground; and
 29
 - (b) the previous chief executive and the person's 30 current chief executive agree that 31 disciplinary action against the person is 32 reasonable in the circumstances. 33

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Divisio	on 4 Other provisions about	29						
(2)	This division applies with necessary changes to allow the chief executive to take disciplinary action against the person as provided under this division.	25 26 27 28						
	A person who was an ambulance service officer becomes a public service employee in the department in which the <i>Ambulance Service Act 1991</i> is administered.	22 23 24						
	Example of when this section may apply—	21						
(1)	This section applies if the current chief executive and previous chief executive for a person who was a prescribed employee is the same person.	18 19 20						
188AEA pre	pplication of division if the current and vious chief executive are the same person	16 17						
(4)	The current chief executive may take disciplinary action against the person under section 188 without the agreement of the previous chief executive.	12 13 14 15						
	(b) the current chief executive makes a disciplinary finding about the person.	10 11						
	 (a) the person's previous chief executive delegates to the person's current chief executive the authority under section 188AC(1) to make a disciplinary finding about the person; and 	5 6 7 8 9						
(3)	Subsection (4) applies if—	4						
(2)	The current chief executive may take disciplinary action against the person under section 188 as if a disciplinary ground exists.							
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Clause	92	Insertion of ne	ew ch 9, pt	13	1
		Chapter 9–	_		2
		insert—			3
		Part 1	3	Transitional provision for Crime and	4 5
				Corruption and Other Legislation	6 7
				Amendment Act 2017	8
			ployee who	ction against a public service o was a relevant commission	9 10 11
		(1)		on applies to a person who is a public ployee and was a relevant commission	12 13 14
		(2)	part 2, di disciplinar relevant co	n may be disciplined under chapter 6, ivision 3 in relation to a relevant y ground arising when the person was a commission officer only if the ground the after 3 February 2017.	15 16 17 18 19
			action ha	provisions of this Act about disciplinary ve applied to the commission, as a public fice under this Act, since 3 February 2017.	20 21 22 23
		(3)	arising on conduct th also includ disciplinar 2017, the p 6, part 2, di	if the relevant disciplinary ground or after 3 February 2017 relates to at is a part of a course of conduct that des conduct giving rise to a relevant y ground arising before 3 February erson may be disciplined under chapter ivision 3 in relation to all of the grounds ll arose on or after 3 February 2017.	24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31
		(4)		(3) does not apply in relation to a isciplinary ground arising before 3	32 33

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	February 2017 if disciplinary action has been, or	1
	is being, taken in relation to the ground under this	2
	Act or a relevant disciplinary law for the person	3
	within the meaning of section 186B(3).	4
(5)	If, at the commencement, the CCC chairperson is	5
	taking disciplinary action under section 187A in relation to a person to whom this section	6 7
	applies—	8
	(a) the chairperson must stop taking the disciplinary action under section 187A; and	9 10
	(b) the disciplinary action may be continued under chapter 6, part 2, division 3; and	11 12
	(c) anything done under section 187A in	13
	relation to the disciplinary action by the CCC chairperson is taken to have been done	14 15
	under chapter 6, part 2, division 3 by the	15
	CCC chief executive officer.	17
(6)	Subsection (5) does not prevent the CCC chief	18
	executive officer taking disciplinary action under the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 273D	19 20
	instead of continuing disciplinary action under	21
	chapter 6, part 2, division 3.	22
(7)	In this section—	23
	<i>CCC chairperson</i> means the chairperson of the Crime and Corruption Commission.	24 25
	CCC chief executive officer means the chief	26
	executive officer under the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> .	27 28
	relevant commission officer see section 186A.	29
Amendment o	of sch 4 (Dictionary)	30
	1 definitions ambulance service chief executive	21

 Schedule 4, definitions ambulance service chief executive, 31 ambulance service officer, employing chief executive, fire 32 service chief executive and fire service officer— 33

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Clause	95	Am (1)	endment of s 14A (Prescribed State employees) Section 14A(1)(f) and (g)—	26 27
Clause	94	Reç	gulation amended This part amends the <i>Public Service Regulation 2008</i> .	24 25
	Part	9	Amendment of Public Service Regulation 2008	22 23
			for a public service employee,	21
			insert—	20
		(4)	Schedule 4, definition previous chief executive, before 'for'—	19
			(D) the <i>Crime and Corruption Act 2001</i> , section 273D; or	17 18
		(3)	(a)(i)— insert—	14 15 16
		(3)	<i>relevant commission officer</i>, for chapter 6, see section 186A.Schedule 4, definition <i>disciplinary declaration</i>, paragraph	12 13
			<i>prescribed employee</i> , for chapter 6, see section 186A.	10 11
			<i>fire service officer</i> , for chapter 6, see section 186A.	8 9
			<i>current chief executive</i> , of a public service employee, for chapter 6, see section 186A.	6 7
			<i>ambulance service officer</i> , for chapter 6, see section 186A.	4 5
			insert—	3
		(2)	Schedule 4—	2
			omit.	1

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	omit.	1
	(2) Section $14A(1)(h)$ to (j)—	2
	renumber as section 14A(1)(f) to (h).	3
Clause 96	Amendment of sch 1 (Public service offices, their heads and applied provisions)	4 5
	Schedule 1, item 1A—	6
	omit.	7

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