

Youth Justice (Electronic Monitoring) Amendment Bill 2025

Statement of Compatibility

FOR

Amendments to be moved during consideration in detail by The Honourable Di Farmer MP – Shadow Minister for Youth Justice

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

In accordance with section 38 of the *Human Rights Act 2019*, I, Di Farmer MP – Shadow Minister for Education and Early Years and Shadow Minister for Youth Justice make this statement of compatibility with respect to amendments to be moved during consideration in detail of the Youth Justice (Electronic Monitoring) Amendment Bill 2025.

In my opinion, the amendments to be moved during consideration in detail of the Bill are 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 amendments

The amendment will enshrine a legislative requirement to undertake an independent review of the proposed government legislative amendments by an appropriately qualified person within 18 months after the provisions have commenced.

The outcomes of the independent review will be required to be provided to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Queensland Parliament within one month of the government receiving it, for tabling within the Legislative Assembly of the Queensland Parliament within 1 business day of the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly receiving it.

Human Rights Issues

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

In my opinion, there are no human rights impacted by these amendments.

Conclusion

In my opinion, the amendments to be moved in consideration in detail to the Youth Justice (Electronic Monitoring) Amendment Bill 2025 are compatible with human rights under the

Human Rights Act 2019 because they do not limit a human right in accordance with s 13 of the Act.

THE HONOURABLE DI FARMER MP
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