

# Queensland Plan Bill 2014

Amendments during consideration in detail to be moved by

The Honourable the Minister for Environment and Heritage Protection

## 1 **Clause 8 (Government response to the Queensland Plan)**

Page 9, after line 22—

*insert—*

- (4) However, subsection (3) does not apply in relation to a public authority to the extent that stating a core outcome to be achieved, or requiring a strategy or action to be taken, by the public authority would affect a matter in relation to which the independence of the public authority—
  - (a) is required by legislation or government policy; or
  - (b) is a customary feature of the work of the public authority.

## 2 **Clause 10 (Policy, program and service alignment with government response)**

Page 10, line 12, before ‘The’—

*insert—*

- (1)

## 3 **Clause 10 (Policy, program and service alignment with government response)**

Page 10, after line 16—

*insert—*

- (2) However, subsection (1) does not apply to the chief executive of a public authority to the extent that the public authority’s independence in developing its policies and programs, or delivering its services—

- (a) is required by legislation or government policy; or
- (b) is a customary feature of the work of the public authority.

**4 Clause 13 (Annual report—public authorities)**

Page 11, after line 11—

*insert—*

- (1) This section applies to a chief executive of a public authority if, or to the extent that, section 10(1) applies to the chief executive.

**5 Clause 13 (Annual report—public authorities)**

Page 11, line 12, ‘The chief executive of a public authority’—

*omit, insert—*

- (2) The chief executive

**6 After clause 39**

Page 20, after line 6—

*insert—*

**39A Application of Act to public service offices**

- (1) This section applies despite the *Public Service Act 2008*, section 22(2).
- (2) This Act applies to a public service office only if the public service office is a public authority under this Act.

**39B References to chief executive of public authority**

- (1) A reference in this Act to the chief executive of a public authority includes a reference to—

- (a) if the public authority is a public service office—the head of the public service office; and
  - (b) if the public authority is a statutory body—the person responsible for the management of the statutory body.
- (2) In this section—  
*head*, of a public service office, see the *Public Service Act 2008*, section 21(2).

## 7 **Schedule 2 (Dictionary)**

Page 23, line 24—

*omit, insert—*

- (b) a public service office prescribed by regulation; or
- (c) a statutory body prescribed by regulation.