

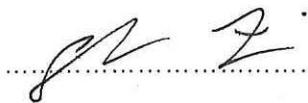
# Summary Impact Assessment Statement (IAS)

## Details

<b>Lead department</b>	Department of State Development and Infrastructure - Office of Industrial Relations
<b>Name of the proposal</b>	Prescribing a new Speciality Medical Assessment Tribunal – Psychiatric (SMAT-Psych)
<b>Submission type</b>	Summary IAS
<b>Title of related legislative or regulatory instrument</b>	<i>Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Regulation 2014</i>
<b>Date of issue</b>	23 November 2023

Proposal type	Details
<b>Minor and machinery in nature</b>	<p>It is proposed to amend the <i>Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Regulation 2014</i> to prescribe an eighth speciality Medical Assessment Tribunal that will assess medical matters arising from psychological and psychiatric injury claims in Queensland's workers' compensation scheme.</p> <p>This will move the existing assessment of psychological and psychiatric injuries by the General Medical Assessment Tribunal to the new tribunal Psychiatric Assessment Tribunal.</p> <p>This proposal is machinery in nature, and does not result in a substantive change to regulatory policy or new impacts on business, government or the community.</p>

## Signed



Graham Fraine  
Director-General

Date: 12/1/24



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Minister for Racing

Date: 15/1/2024

