1. The Queensland College of Teachers is a statutory body established by the *Education (Queensland College of Teachers) Act 2005.*
2. The functions of the Queensland College of Teachers, as prescribed by chapter 10, part 1 of the *Education (Queensland College of Teachers) Act 2005*,include:

* testing applicants for teacher registration;
* granting registration or permission to teach;
* initial and ongoing eligibility requirements for registration and permission to teach;
* deciding applications for registration or permission to teach and applications for renewal of registration or permission to teach;
* ensuring approved teachers continue to meet eligibility requirements;
* arranging checks of the police information of approved teachers and applicants for registration or permission to teach;
* reviewing registration of teachers, and the granting of permission to teach to teachers;
* reporting, and making recommendations, to the Minister about reviews;
* approving and monitoring preservice teacher education programs for provisional registration;
* developing and applying professional standards for the teaching profession;
* disciplining approved and former approved teachers and enforcing the Act; and
  + keeping a register of, and records relating to, approved teachers.

1. Cabinet noted the intention of the Minister for Education, Training and Employment to recommend to the Governor in Council the appointment of Mrs Margaret Leary to the Board of the Queensland College of Teachers for a term from the date of Governor in Council approval up to and including 31 December 2014.