1. The Government made election commitments under its ‘Rejuvenating Queensland Racing’ policy and in its Six Month Action Plan to, amongst other things, transfer appropriate racing integrity functions to Government, to be paid for by the industry, including the establishment of the new position of Racing Integrity Commissioner.
2. The Commissioner will provide independent oversight of integrity issues across the three codes of racing and conduct integrity-related investigations.
3. The functions of the Commissioner include:
* conducting audits of, and investigating, the integrity processes of a control body;
* investigating complaints about an integrity process of a control body;
* reporting findings of an audit or investigation to the Minister; and
* making recommendations arising from an audit or investigation to the Minister and the control body.
1. Cabinet endorsed that Mr James Patrick O’Sullivan be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as the Racing Integrity Commissioner on a part-time basis for a term of up to three years commencing from 1 May 2013.
2. *Attachments*
* Nil.