1. Section 161 of the *Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2009* (the QCAT Act) establishes QCAT and provides for appointment of members and adjudicators.
2. Sections 183 and 198 of the QCAT Act provide that:
* as many senior members, ordinary members and adjudicators as are required for the proper functioning of the tribunal must be appointed;
* a senior member, ordinary member or adjudicator must be recommended for appointment by the Minister after consultation with the President; and
* before recommending a person for appointment as a senior member, ordinary member or adjudicator, the Minister must advertise for applications from appropriately qualified persons to be considered for selection.
1. The term of two senior members expired on 30 November 2014. The terms of four ordinary members expired on 30 November 2014 and the terms of two adjudicators expired on 30 November 2014 and 31 December 2014, respectively.
2. Cabinet endorsed that:
* Mrs Clare Endicott and Mr Ian Brown be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as full-time senior members to the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT) for a term of five years commencing from the day following Governor in Council approval;
* Mrs Tina Guthrie be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as a full-time ordinary member to the QCAT for a term of five years commencing from the day following Governor in Council approval;
* Ms Susan Gardiner, Mrs Samantha Traves, and Mr Jeremy Gordon be recommended to the Governor in Concil for appointment as part-time ordinary members to QCAT for a term of five years commencing from the day following Governor in Council approval;
* Miss Anna Walsh be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as a full-time adjudicator to QCAT for a term of five years commencing from the day following Governor in Council approval; and
* Mrs Gabrielle Mewing, Mr Wayne Stanton and Mr Marcus Katter be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as part-time adjudicators to QCAT for a term of five years commencing from the day following Governor in Council approval.
1. *Attachments*
* Nil.