1. In accordance with the *Health Ombudsman Act 2013*, panels of assessors contribute to upholding professional standards by providing expert advice in response to questions of fact from judicial members who constitute the independent Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT).
2. QCAT deals with serious disciplinary matters which, if substantiated, may result in the cancellation or suspension of a practitioner’s registration. Assessors therefore play a significant role in ensuring public protection, maintaining confidence in the range of medical professions and upholding professional standards across Queensland.
3. Cabinet endorsed 46 nominees to be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as members of panels of assessors for a term of five years commencing on the date published in the Queensland Government Gazette.

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1. *Attachments*
* Nil.