1. The Queensland Competition Authority (QCA) is established under the *Queensland Competition Authority Act 1997* (QCA Act) and appointed by the Governor in Council.
2. As the State’s independent economic regulator, the QCA’s primary role is to ensure monopoly businesses operating in Queensland, particularly in the provision of key infrastructure, do not abuse their market power through unfair pricing or restrictive access arrangements.  The QCA achieves this through investigating and monitoring pricing practices of certain monopoly businesses and regulating third party access to essential infrastructure such as railways and port channels.
3. Section 209 of the QCA Act provides that the QCA Board must be made up of at least three members, including a Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson, who collectively have appropriate knowledge that includes commerce and economics.
4. Cabinet endorsed that Professor Flavio Menezes be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as part-time Chairperson and member of the Queensland Competition Authority for a term from 5 June 2018 to 31 December 2018.
5. Cabinet endorsed that Ms Madeline Brennan QCbe recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as part-time Deputy Chairperson and member of the Queensland Competition Authority for a term from 5 June 2018 to 31 December 2018.
6. Cabinet endorsed that Dr Warren Mundy be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as a part-time Member of the Queensland Competition Authority for a term from 5 June 2018 to 4 June 2021.
7. *Attachments*
* Nil.