1. The *Forensic Disability Act 2011* (the Act) provides that there is to be a Director of Forensic Disability.
2. The Director has an independent statutory oversight role to ensure the protection of the rights of forensic disability clients, and that the detention, assessment, care and support, and protection of clients comply with the Act.
3. Under section 85 of the Act, the Director is appointed by the Governor in Council.
4. Under section 86 of the Act, the Director is appointed for a period of up to five years.
5. Cabinet endorsed that Ms Jenny Lynas be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as Director of Forensic Disability for a term of five years commencing from 1 January 2020.
6. *Attachments*
	* Nil.