1. Section 220 of the *Crime and Corruption Act 2001* (the Act) provides for the establishment of the Crime and Corruption Commission (CCC).
2. The CCC is an independent statutory body set up to combat and reduce the incidence of major crime and corruption in the public sector in Queensland. The CCC investigates major crime such as drug trafficking, fraud, money laundering, criminal paedophilia and homicide, and deals with corruption affecting the Queensland public sector.
3. Section 223 of the Act provides that the CCC is to consist of the following commissioners:
	1. a full-time commissioner who is the Chairperson;
	2. a part-time commissioner who is the Deputy Chairperson; and
	3. three part-time commissioners who are Ordinary Commissioners.
4. The commissioners are responsible for providing strategic leadership and direction for the performance of the CCC’s functions, and the exercise of the CCC’s powers, by the Chairperson, the Deputy Chairperson, the Chief Executive Officer and the CCC staff.
5. Cabinet endorsed that Mr Peter Dowling AM be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as an Ordinary Commissioner of the CCC for a term of three years commencing on and from the day following Governor in Council approval.
6. Cabinet noted that consultation will be conducted with the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee to seek the bipartisan support of Mr Dowling’s appointment, in accordance with the *Crime and Corruption Act 2001*, following Cabinet consideration and prior to seeking the approval of the Governor in Council.
7. *Attachments*:
* Nil.