

Annual report requirements for Queensland Government agencies for the 2024–25 reporting period

Reporting template for Section 13.3 Government bodies (statutory bodies and other entities)

Name of Government body Legal Practitioners Admissions Board					
Act or instrument	Legal Profession Act 2007 (Qld)				
Functions	<i>The Board's primary role is to assist the Supreme Court by making a recommendation about each application for admission as a lawyer in Queensland y considering whether an application is made under the Rules, whether an applicant is eligible and suitable for admission, and whether there are other matters the Supreme Court may consider relevant to the application.</i> <i>The Board's other functions include:</i> <i>considering and making declarations as to an applicant's suitability for admission in terms of applications for early consideration of suitability;</i> <i>approving, in conjunction with the Chief Justice of Queensland, academic qualifications and practical legal training (PLT) programs as 'approved academic qualifications' and 'approved practical legal training requirements' respectively;</i> <i>assessing and approving academic, and practical legal training and experience in practice, of overseas law graduates and legal practitioners in accordance with the Uniform Principles for Assessing Qualifications of Overseas Applicants for Admission to the Australian Legal Profession (the Uniform Principles);</i> <i>overseeing the supervised traineeship scheme as 'approved practical legal training requirements' and prerequisite for those seeking to be admitted as a lawyer in Queensland in accordance with the Rules;</i> <i>granting approval for law graduates to commence their approved practical legal training early thereby allowing students to undertake their training in conjunction with their academic qualifications;</i> <i>reviewing English language proficiency of applicants seeking admission;</i> <i>reviewing approved academic qualifications and approved practical legal training attained by applicants five years before seeking admission to the legal profession;</i> <i>providing information, service areas, and support to applicants seeking to complete the requirements and apply to the Supreme Court for admission as a lawyer in Queensland.</i>				
Achievements	Included within the content of the Annual Report 2024 – 2025 at pages 11 to 16				
Financial reporting	Transactions of the Legal Practitioners Admissions Board are audited on an annual basis by the Queensland Audit Office and are accounted for in the Annual Financial Statements (2024 – 2025) at Appendix 3. Reporting also provided in the Annual Report 2024 – 2025 at pages 16 to 18.				
Remuneration					
Position	Name	Meetings/sessions attendance	Approved annual, sessional or daily fee	Approved sub-committee fees if applicable	Actual fees received
Chair	Mr Gregory Moroney (*see below under LACC meetings)	9	Nil	Not applicable	Nil
Board Member	Mr Graham Gibson KC	7	Nil	Not applicable	Nil
Board Member	Ms Ruth O'Gorman KC	7	Nil	Not applicable	Nil
Board Member	Ms Jennifer Sheean	9	Nil	Not applicable	Nil
Deputy Chair	Mr Noel Jensen	8	Nil	Not applicable	Nil

<i>Board Member</i>	<i>Ms Petrina Macpherson</i>	9	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>	<i>Nil</i>
<i>Board Member</i>	<i>Ms Philippa Mott</i>	6	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>	<i>Nil</i>
<i>Board Member</i>	<i>Ms Julie Steel (1 July 2024 to 20 December 2024)</i>	4	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>	<i>Nil</i>
<i>Board Member</i>	<i>Ms Amanda O'Brien (31 January 2025 to 30 June 2025)</i>	2	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>	<i>Nil</i>
No. scheduled meetings/sessions	9				
Total out of pocket expenses	<i>Nil</i>				

Name of Government body *Law Admissions Consultative Committee*

Act or instrument	<i>Nil</i>				
Functions	<i>To oversee and prescribe requirements relevant to admission for admitting authorities within Australia</i>				
Achievements	<i>Unknown</i>				
Financial reporting	<i>Unknown</i>				
Remuneration					
Position	Name	Meetings/sessions attendance	Approved annual, sessional or daily fee	Approved sub-committee fees if applicable	Actual fees received
<i>Member</i>	<i>Mr Greg Moroney</i>	<i>One attended in person, three attended by teleconference</i>	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Not applicable</i>	<i>Nil</i>
No. scheduled meetings/sessions	<i>4</i>				
Total out of pocket expenses	<i>Nil</i>				