ACT Teacher Quality Institute Board Appointment 2020 (No 1)

Disallowable instrument DI2020-41

made under the

ACT Teacher Quality Institute Act 2010, Division 3.2, sections 14 and 15 and Financial Management Act 1996 section 78.

Explanatory Statement

The ACT Teacher Quality Institute Act 2010 (the Act) governs the establishment, functions and membership of the ACT Teacher Quality Institute.

Section 15 of the Act deals with the appointment of members and requires such appointments to be made by the Minister.

The vacancy has arisen with the expiry of the first term on 17 March 2020 of Timothy Elliott as the member on the Board nominated by the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn Catholic Education Office under section 15(2)(e).

This instrument reappoints Mr Timothy Elliott, Head of School and Family Services Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn Catholic Education Office, to fill the vacancy on the Board for a period of three years from the day after notification. A person may be reappointed to the position as long as the reappointment is not within three years of the member's second appointment. Mr Elliott is eligible for reappointment.

Mr Elliott has strong experience as a teacher (since 1984) and principal (since 2005) in the ACT and New South Wales. He is currently Head of School and Family Services Catholic Education Office, Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn (2016 ~ present). His qualifications include: Master of Educational Leadership (2000), Bachelor of Education (1988) and Diploma of Teaching (1983).

The appointee is not a public servant and the determination is a Disallowable Instrument for the purpose of Division 19.3.3 of the *Legislation Act 2001*.

The Legislative Standing Committee on Education, Employment and Youth Affairs was consulted and has no objections to the appointment.