

Australian Capital Territory

Victims of Crime (Victims Advisory Board) Appointment 2020 (No 3)

Disallowable instrument DI2020–196

made under the

Victims of Crime Act 1994, s 22D (Appointed members of board)

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

The *Victims of Crime Act 1994* governs the constitution and functions of the Victims Advisory Board (the Board). Part 4A of the Act provides for the establishment and membership of the Board. The Board's functions are detailed in Division 4A.1, section 22B.

This instrument is a disallowable instrument and appoints Mr Jonathan Cornforth as an Indigenous communities representative of the Board for a period of three years, commencing on 1 July 2020. This appointment is made under section 22D(2)(b) of the *Victims of Crime Act 1994*.

This instrument is a disallowable instrument and appoints Ms Chelsea Holton as a victims services groups member of the Board for a period of three years, commencing on 1 July 2020. This appointment is made under section 22D(2)(a) of the *Victims of Crime Act 1994*.

This instrument is a disallowable instrument and appoints Ms Frances Rose OAM as a victims services groups member of the Board for a period of three years, commencing on 1 July 2020. This appointment is made under section 22D(2)(a) of the *Victims of Crime Act 1994*.

This instrument is a disallowable instrument and appoints Ms Lauren O'Brien as a victims services groups member of the Board for a period of three years, commencing on 1 July 2020. This appointment is made under section 22D(2)(a) of the *Victims of Crime Act 1994*.

This instrument is a disallowable instrument and appoints Ms Margie Rowe as a lawyer member of the Board for a period of three years, commencing on 1 July 2020. This appointment is made under section 22D(2)(c) of the *Victims of Crime Act 1994*.

As required under division 19.3.3 of the *Legislation Act 2001*, this is a statutory position with functions broader than advising the Minister, and the appointees are not

ACT public servants. Consultation has also been undertaken with the Standing Committee on Justice and Community Safety regarding the appointment. The Committee considered the proposed appointment and advised that it had no recommendations to make.

This instrument revokes:

- (1) clause 6 of the *Victims of Crime (Victims Advisory Board) Appointment 2017 (No 2)* [DI2017 – 197] – Appointment – victims services groups member;
- (2) clause 7 of the *Victims of Crime (Victims Advisory Board) Appointment 2017 (No 2)* [DI2017 – 197] – Appointment – victims services groups member; and
- (3) clause 4 of the *Victims of Crime (Victims Advisory Board) Appointment 2019 (No 1)* [DI2019 – 148] – Appointment – victims services groups member.