

Impact Analysis Statement

Summary IAS

Details

Lead department	Queensland Police Service
Name of the proposal	Community Protection and Public Child Sex Offender Register (Daniel's Law) Bill 2025
Submission type	Summary IAS
Title of related legislative or regulatory instrument	<i>Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Offender Prohibition Order) Act 2004</i>
Date of issue	23 August 2025

Proposal type	Details
Regulatory proposals where no RIA is required	<p>The Community Protection and Public Child Sex Offender Register (Daniel's Law) Bill 2025 introduces a new framework to the <i>Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Offender Prohibition Order) Act 2004</i>, to be known as 'Daniel's Law.'</p> <p>The reforms deliver the Government Election Commitment to further strengthen sex offender laws with the establishment of a new, three-tiered community protection and public child sex offender register (the public register) to protect Queensland children and put the rights of parents and families ahead of sexual predators by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> increasing general community awareness and vigilance by making particular information about certain reportable offenders more accessible to the public; and providing a proactive tool to enable parents, guardians and the community to have the information and agency necessary to take action, including at an individual level, to reduce risk and better protect the lives and sexual safety of Queensland children. <p>The Bill balances the increased accessibility of particular information about certain offenders with the introduction of targeted offences aimed at deterring its misuse, including for acts and incitement of vigilantism and harassment of offenders.</p> <p>As this proposal relates to police powers and administration, general criminal laws, the administration of courts and tribunals and corrective services, no regulatory impact analysis is required under the Better Regulation Policy.</p>

Signed



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Dan Purdie MP
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