1. The Queensland Parole Board, the Southern Queensland Regional Parole Board and the Central and Northern Queensland Regional Parole Board are independent statutory bodies established under the *Corrective Services Act 2006*.
2. The parole boards determine parole applications from prisoners who are serving sentences in excess of three years, all sex offenders and offenders determined to be serious violent offenders. The parole boards also consider applications for parolees’ travel outside of Queensland, transfer of parolees to Queensland as well as suspensions of board and court ordered parole.
3. Cabinet endorsed that:
* Peter McInnes be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as President of the Queensland Parole Board, President of the Central and Northern Queensland Regional Parole Board, and President of the Southern Queensland Regional Parole Board, for a one year term commencing on 28 August 2013.
* Francis Lippett (Deputy President), Alison Hunter, Ian Davies, Peter Kelly, Allan Renouf and Dr Melissa Sands be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as members of the Queensland Parole Board for a term of one year commencing on 28 August 2013.
* Mark Chapple (Deputy President), Mark Sayers, Kym Dann, Karen Dunshea, Richard Williams, Michael Woodford, Jens Streit, Dr Melissa Sands, Allan Renouf and Stan Macionis be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as members of the Southern Queensland Regional Parole Board for a term of one year commencing on 28 August 2013.
* Jo-Anne Fitchett (Deputy President), Karl Mckenzie, Dr Garry Kidd, Malcolm Topp, Craig Meiklejohn, Florence Onus and Brydget Barker-Hudson be recommended to the Governor in Council for appointment as members of the Central and Northern Queensland Regional Parole Board for a term of one year commencing on 28 August 2013.
1. *Attachments*
* Nil.