1. The Queensland Theatre Company is established under the *Queensland Theatre Company Act 1970* (the Act).
2. Under the Act,the Queensland Theatre Company functions are:

* to promote and encourage the development and presentation, public interest, participation, understanding and appreciation of the arts of the theatre;
* to produce, present and manage plays and other forms of theatre and entertainment; to conduct various forms of education in the arts of the theatre;
* to train persons and promote education and research in the arts of the theatre;
* to provide or assist to provide theatres; and
* to encourage the involvement of Queenslanders in the writing of plays and other aspects of the arts of the theatre.

1. The Act sets out the role of the members of the Queensland Theatre Company, including being responsible for the Company’s management; ensuring, as far as possible, the Company achieves, and acts in accordance with, its strategic and operational plans; accounting to the Minister for the Company’s performance; and ensuring the Company otherwise performs its functions in a proper, effective and efficient way.
2. Cabinet endorsed to recommend to the Governor in Council that Mr Simon Gallaher be appointed as a member of the Queensland Theatre Company for a term of three years from 1 October 2017 to 30 September 2020.
3. *Attachments*

* Nil.