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via email

Dear Dr Subho Banerjee

Regulation Impact Statement – Final Assessment – Repeal of the Tradespersons’ Rights Regulation Act 1946

Thank you for your letter of 21 August 2016 submitting the final assessment Regulation Impact Statement (RIS) for the above proposal to the Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR). I note that the RIS has been formally certified at the Deputy Secretary level as consistent with best practice.

The OBPR’s final assessment is that the Department of Education and Training is compliant with the Government’s RIS requirements and the RIS is consistent with best practice. The OBPR considers that the level of analysis in the RIS is commensurate with the expected impacts of the proposal.

The following factors have informed this assessment:

- That the regulatory burden costings have been agreed with the OBPR; and
- your letter of 21 August 2016 certifying that the RIS responds to the OBPR’s formal comments on the RIS submitted for first-pass assessment.

Publication requirements

The OBPR maintains a RIS website and aims to post RISs as soon as practicable after the regulatory decision has been publicly announced.

Once a decision on this proposal is announced, we request that a final copy of the RIS is sent to us in *Microsoft Word .doc* format, in a form meeting the Australian Government’s *Web Content Accessibility Guidelines*. We suggest you liaise with your web services team to ensure these guidelines are met.

The OBPR should be consulted if the RIS is amended. The agency preparing the RIS is responsible for the published content, not the OBPR.

The website provides a public comment facility on RISs posted on the website. The OBPR moderates this facility for offensive content but does not moderate debate.

Please retain this letter as a record of the OBPR's advice. Our reference number for this matter is 17466. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Simovski', written over a light grey rectangular background.

Tony Simovski
A/g Deputy Executive Director
Office of Best Practice Regulation

25 August 2016