

Department of Education, Training and Employment

Instrument of Authorisation

Director-General's Powers

under

Education (General Provisions) Act 2006

(Version – July 2014)

NOTE: The Executive Director, Legal and Administrative Law Branch must be consulted regarding all proposed amendments to these delegations.

INSTRUMENT OF AUTHORISATIONS

Education (General Provisions) Act 2006

I, Dr Jim Watterston, Director-General of the Department of Education, Training and Employment, AUTHORISE the persons who are from time to time the holders of the position specified in Column 4 of Schedule 1, to exercise those powers, functions, authorities and duties, conferred or imposed on me or the Department under the provisions of the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006*, which are specified in Column 1 of Schedule 1, subject to the limitations (if any) specified in Column 3 of Schedule 1.

The brief descriptions provided in Column 2 of Schedule 1 are for information only, and do not limit in any way the generality of the powers, functions, authorities and duties, specified in Column 1 of Schedule 1.

This Instrument of Authorisation is comprised of this page and Schedule 1, comprising 2 pages.

This Instrument of Authorisation revokes any instrument of authorisation previously issued with respect to the powers, functions, authorities and duties of the Director-General under the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006*, which are specified in Column 1 of Schedule 1.



**DR JIM WATTERSTON
DIRECTOR-GENERAL
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT**

DATED AT BRISBANE THIS 14th day of July, 2014

**SCHEDULE 1 – Table of Persons Authorised to do acts and make decisions
under the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006***

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Power/ Function Authorised	Description of Authority	Observations / Limitations	Authorised Persons
Chapter 9 Part 1 Division 1	Parents' Obligations		
s.178	<p>Notice to, and meeting with, parent Section 178(2) provides that an authorised officer may give a parent of the child a notice in the approved form about the parent's obligation under s.176(1).</p> <p>Section 178(3) provides that an authorised officer may also meet with the parent to discuss the obligation. If, despite the officer taking reasonable steps to meet with the parent under subsection (3), no meeting is held, the authorised officer may give the parent a warning notice in the approved form.</p>	<p>Powers may be exercised in respect of all children of compulsory school age, not enrolled in a non-State school.</p>	<p>Principal</p> <p>Deputy Principal</p> <p>Principal Advisor, Education Services</p> <p>Principal Advisor, Regional Services</p> <p>Director Regional Services</p> <p>Head of Campus*</p> <p>*A Head of Campus is a person employed by the Department of Education, Training and Employment in a role with a position description thus entitled.</p>
		<p>Powers may be exercised in respect of all children of compulsory school age, enrolled in a non-State school.</p>	<p>Executive Director, Portfolio Services and External Relations</p> <p>Principal Advisor, Education Services</p> <p>Director Regional Services</p>
Chapter 10 Part 4	Parents' Obligations		
s.241	<p>Notice to, and meeting with parent Section 241(2) provides that an authorised officer may give a parent of the young person a notice in the approved form about the parent's obligation under s.239(1).</p> <p>Section 241(3) provides that an authorised officer may also meet with the parent to discuss the obligation. If, despite the authorised officer taking reasonable steps to meet with</p>	<p>Powers may be exercised in respect of all young persons in the compulsory participation phase, not enrolled in a non-State school.</p>	<p>Principal</p> <p>Deputy Principal</p> <p>Principal Advisor, Education Services</p> <p>Principal Advisor, Regional Services</p> <p>Director Regional Services</p>

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	the parent under subsection (3), no meeting is held, the authorised officer may give the parent a warning notice in the approved form – s.241(4).		Head of Campus* *A Head of Campus is a person employed by the Department of Education, Training and Employment in a role with a position description thus entitled.
		Powers may be exercised in respect of young persons in the compulsory participation phase enrolled at a non-State school	Executive Director, Portfolio Services and External Relations Principal Advisor, Education Services Director Regional Services