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Mr Trevor Ruthenberg MP Chair Health and Community Services Committee Parliament House George Street BRISBANE QLD 4000 RECEIVED 0 3 OCT 2013 HEALTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE

Dear Mr Ruthenberg

Thank you for your letter of 13 September 2013 regarding submissions for the Health Legislation Amendment Bill 2013. This letter forms the submission to the committee from the Council of the Queensland Institute of Medical Research.

The Council of the Queensland Institute of Medical Research recently reviewed and endorsed the proposed amendments to the Queensland Institute of Medical Research Act 1945 via a submission prepared by the Office of Health Statutory Agencies, Governance, Relationships, Improvement and Priorities Branch, Queensland Health.

The Council is pleased with the proposed amendments and views the changes as further enhancements to support the Institute in its important work.

If you have any further queries please contact Nerida Fox, Manager, Council Business on (07) 3362 0295 or E-mail: <u>Nerida.Fox@gimrberghofer.edu.au</u>

Yours sincerely

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