



Australian Government
Department of Employment

Deputy Secretary
Sandra Parker

Mr Peter Saunders
First Assistant Secretary
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Dear Mr Saunders

Independent Contractors Regulations 2007

I am writing to the Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) regarding the Independent Contractors Regulations 2007, which, as per the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*, had been scheduled to sunset on 1 April 2017. However, it has been decided that the instrument is to be remade without significant amendment.

The Department of Employment certifies that Independent Contractors Regulations 2007 is operating effectively and efficiently, and that therefore a Regulation Impact Statement is not required for this regulation to be remade.

The assessment that the regulation is operating effectively and efficiently has been informed by a consultation process which involved all States and Territories, over the period October to November 2016.

I acknowledge that OBPR will publish this letter for transparency purposes.

If you have any queries about this advice, please contact Jody Anderson on 02 6121 5470, or jody.anderson@employment.gov.au.

Yours sincerely


Sandra Parker

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