1. Medical assessment tribunals are established under the *Workers’ Compensation and Rehabilitation Act 2003* to provide an independent system of medical review and assessment of injury and impairment sustained by workers.
2. Medical assessment tribunals are an integral part of Queensland’s workers’ compensation system for the assessment of medical issues. Decisions of the tribunals are final and binding unless fresh medical advice, not previously known of the worker at the time of the tribunal’s ruling, is produced within 12 months of the decision.
3. Cabinet endorsed 93 nominees, as listed in attachments, for recommendation to the Governor in Council for appointment by gazette notice to the panel of doctors for designation to specialty and composite medical assessment tribunals for a term of three years commencing 1 July 2013 until 30 June 2016.
4. *Attachments*

* [Appointment of Chairpersons, Deputy Chairpersons and members to the panel of doctors for designation to specialty medical assessment tribunals](Attachments/Specialty%20tribunals.PDF)
* [Appointment of members to the panel of doctors for designation to composite medical assessment tribunals](Attachments/Composite%20tribunals.PDF)