

## Approval

Required by the *Electoral Act 2004*, section 151

Approved by the Tasmanian Electoral Commission 14 December 2022

Under section 151 of the *Electoral Act 2004* ('the Act'), the Tasmanian Electoral Commission approved the opening by the Electoral Commissioner or Deputy Electoral Commissioner of any sealed parcel forwarded to it under section 149 and the examination of its contents, for the following purposes:

- analysis of ballot papers for the purpose of preparing election reports, and
- the conduct of recounts required under section 231 of the Act to fill "casual" vacancies arising in the House of Assembly.