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## Public Health and Wellbeing Act 2008

### ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW CONSULTATIVE COUNCIL

#### Ministerial Order

I, Jenny Mikakos MP, Minister for Health, under section 33 of the **Public Health and Wellbeing Act 2008**, order –

1. The establishment of a consultative council known as the ‘Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council’.
2. The Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council is to consist of no more than 15 members.
3. The Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council is established in respect of the following matters and functions:
  - (a) To monitor, analyse and report on matters relating to perioperative mortality and morbidity, and to disseminate relevant findings.
  - (b) To consider, investigate and report on any matter specified by the Minister or the Secretary to the Department of Health and Human Services in a direction made under section 37(2) of the **Public Health and Wellbeing Act 2008**.
  - (c) To liaise with any other Consultative Council (within the meaning of the **Public Health and Wellbeing Act 2008**) on any matter relevant to the functions of the Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council.
  - (d) To improve public health and wellbeing by:
    - (i) identifying themes and learnings in relation to perioperative care that could be applied across the Victorian health sector; and
    - (ii) publishing and disseminating relevant information and practical strategies identified by the Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council in the course of performing its functions.
  - (e) To collect information for the purpose of performing the functions of the Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council.
  - (f) To disclose any matter to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services if it is in the public interest to do so, including the provision of information, in accordance with section 41 of the **Public Health and Wellbeing Act 2008**.
  - (g) To report annually to the Minister for Health on the activities and findings of the Victorian Perioperative Consultative Council.

This Ministerial Order will take effect on 1 July 2019.

Dated 6 June 2019

JENNY MIKAKOS MP  
Minister for Health

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