

## D. References used for audit insights

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### Queensland Audit Office reports

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We used a selection of our reports to draw insights for regulators and their administrators in Chapter 4 of this report. These are:

- *Environmental regulation of the resources and waste industries* (Report 15: 2013–14)
- *Follow-up of Report 15: 2013–14 Environmental regulation of the resources and waste industries* (Report 1: 2017–18)
- *Follow-up of Managing water quality in Great Barrier Reef catchments* (Report 16: 2017–18)
- *Access to the National Disability Insurance Scheme for people with impaired decision-making capacity* (Report 2: 2018–19)
- *Managing transfers in pharmacy ownership* (Report 4: 2018–19)
- *Managing consumer food safety in Queensland* (Report 17: 2018–19)
- *Managing coal seam gas activities* (Report 12: 2019–20)
- *Licensing builders and building trades* (Report 16: 2019–20)
- *Regulating firearms* (Report 8: 2020–21).

### Better practice guides

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Better practice guides are available and can assist public sector entities to deliver regulator services that are efficient, effective, and/or economical.

Four better practice guides for regulatory activities available to public sector entities are:

- Queensland Productivity Commission's *Improving regulation* (March 2021)
- Queensland Treasury's *Queensland Government Guide to Better Regulation* (May 2019)
- Australian Government Productivity Commission's *Regulator Audit Framework* (March 2014)
- Canadian Audit and Accountability Foundation's *Characteristics of a Regulatory Inspection and Enforcement Function* (2013).

