

## **MENTAL HEALTH ACT 2013**

## **APPROVAL OF MEANS OF RESTRAINT**

I, Associate Professor Anthony Cidoni, being and as the acting Chief Civil Psychiatrist for the purposes of the Mental Health Act 2013 with effect from 14 September 2023, pursuant to section 146 of the Mental Health Act 2013 and section 11 of the Acts Interpretation Act 1931, hereby approve the use of:

- 1 "Posey" brand restraint cuffs, model number JT Posey REF 2790 L9118M
- 2 Restraint cuffs which are of a similar style and quality
- 3 HEMCO Industries ankle and wrist bracelets AWB0R, Buckles MRDSETNB and limb control bracelet LCBDET-SET

as means of restraint which may be employed in specific cases of mechanical restraint under and for the purposes of section 57 of the *Mental Health Act 2013*.

Dated this 14 day of September 2023

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Associate Professor Anthony Cidoni Acting Chief Civil Psychiatrist