Impact Analysis Statement

Lead department	Department of Justice and Attorney-General
	The Criminal Code and Other Legislation (Double Jeopardy and Subsequent Appeals) Amendment Bill 2023 enhances criminal justice system responses to possible wrongful convictions and subsequent appeals by:
Name of the proposal	 establishing a statutory framework to allow a person convicted on indictment or of a summary offence under section 651 of the Criminal Code to make, with the leave of the Court of Appeal, a subsequent appeal against the conviction; and
	 expanding the double jeopardy fresh and compelling evidence exception to 10 prescribed offences in addition to murder.
Submission type	Summary Impact Analysis Statement
Title of related legislative or regulatory instrument	Criminal Code and Other Legislation (Double Jeopardy and Subsequent Appeals) Amendment Bill 2023
Date of issue	November 2023

Proposal type	Details
Regulatory proposals where no RIA is required	The proposals relate to police powers and administration, general criminal laws, the administration of courts and tribunals and corrective services. No regulatory impact analysis is required under the Better Regulation Policy.

Signed

Acting Director-General

Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence

Date: 18 November 2023 Date: 18 November 2023

