Migration (Specification of Degrees) Instrument (LIN 24/048) 2024

I, Clare O'Neil, Minister for Home Affairs, make the following instrument.

Dated 28 June 2024

Clare O'Neil
Minister for Home Affairs

1 Name

This instrument is the *Migration (Specification of Degrees) Instrument (LIN 24/048) 2024*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences at the same time as the *Migration Amendment (Graduate Visas) Regulations 2024*.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subclause 485.231(1) of Schedule 2 to the *Migration Regulations 1994*.

4 Definitions

In this instrument:

Australian Qualifications Framework has the same meaning as in the *Higher Education Support Act 2003*.

Regulations means the *Migration Regulations 1994*.

5 Specified degrees

For the purposes of subclause 485.231(1) of Schedule 2 to the Regulations, each of the following degrees that are awarded as a qualification at level 7 or higher of the Australian Qualifications Framework is specified:

(a) bachelor degree;
(b) bachelor honours degree;
(c) graduate certificate;
(d) graduate diploma;
(e) masters degree (research);
(f) masters degree (coursework);
(g) masters degree (extended);
(h) doctoral degree (research);
(i) doctoral degree (professional);
(j) higher doctoral degree.

6 Repeal

Migration (Specification under clause 485.231—Qualifications) Instrument (LIN 23/023) 2023 (F2023L00335) is repealed.

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