

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

JUSTICE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (SUPPORTING VICTIMS AND OTHER MATTERS) BILL 2020

(Amendments to be proposed in Committee by Mr O'DONOHUE)

1. Clause 3, page 5, lines 16 to 26, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—

 '(b) for "whether or not a proceeding in respect of the alleged offence is pending in a court" **substitute** "whether or not a proceeding in respect of the alleged offence or offence has commenced, is being conducted or has been finally determined".'.
2. Clause 3, page 5, lines 29 to 31, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—

 "(1B) Subsection (1A) does not apply if either or both of the following is the case—

 (a) no complaint about the alleged offence had been made to a police officer;

 (b) the person against whom the sexual offence was committed, or was alleged to have been committed, is deceased.".
3. Clause 3, page 8, lines 15 to 35 and page 9, lines 1 and 2, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—

 "(a) that it has taken into account the views of any victims likely to be identified, if those views are known following reasonable enquiries;
 and
 (b) that it is in the public interest to make the order.".