**Legislative Council**

**VICTORIAN RESPONSIBLE GAMBLING FOUNDATION REPEAL AND ADVISORY COUNCILS BILL 2024**

(New Clause to be proposed in Committee by KATHERINE COPSEY)

NEW CLAUSE

1. Insert the following New Clause to follow Clause 17—

 '17A New section 44A inserted

Before section 45 of the **Victorian Gambling and Casino Control Commission Act 2011 insert**—

 "44A Review of repeal of Victorian Responsible Gambling Foundation Act 2011

 (1) The Minister must cause a review of the repeal of the **Victorian Responsible Gambling Foundation Act 2011** to be commenced within one year after the second anniversary of the repeal of that Act.

 (2) The review must consider and report on—

 (a) the efficiency, effectiveness, appropriateness and co-ordination of functions related to gambling harm across the Commission, the Department of Justice and Community Safety and the Department of Health; and

 (b) the methods used to identify gambling-related matters to research, the independence of that research and the value of any gambling-related research that is conducted or commissioned by the Commission, the Department of Justice and Community Safety or the Department of Health; and

 (c) whether the Auditor-General's recommendations to prevent and protect the community from gambling harm have been fully implemented; and

 (d) the availability, delivery and quality of gambling harm treatment services and gambling harm public education programs.

 (3) The Minister must cause a copy of the report of the review to be laid before each House of the Parliament not later than 2 years after the second anniversary of the repeal of the **Victorian Responsible Gambling Foundation Act 2011**.".'.