

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

## ELECTORAL AMENDMENT BILL 2025

(New Clause to be proposed in Committee by SARAH MANSFIELD)

## NEW CLAUSE

1. Insert the following New Clause before clause 104—

**'103B New section 217BB inserted**

Before section 217C of the Principal Act **insert—**

**"217BB Political donations from persons subject to adverse findings banned for 10 years**

- (1) At any time during the relevant period, it is unlawful for a person who is subject to an adverse finding to make a political donation or for a registered political party, a candidate at an election, a group, an elected member, a nominated entity, an associated entity or a third party campaigner to accept a political donation from a person who is subject to an adverse finding.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not apply if the adverse finding has been overturned by a court.
- (3) In this section—

***adverse finding***, in relation to a person, means—

- (a) a finding by the IBAC or a Royal Commission that the person has committed or engaged in corrupt conduct; or
- (b) any other adverse finding about the person, or comment or opinion which is adverse to the person, in an annual report or special report;

***annual report*** means an annual report of the IBAC under Part 7 of the **Financial Management Act 1994**;

***corrupt conduct*** has the meaning given by section 4 of the **Independent Broad-based Anti-corruption Commission Act 2011**;

***relevant period***, in relation to a person who is subject to an adverse finding, means the period of 10 years beginning on the day on which the finding is first made public;

***Royal Commission*** has the meaning given by section 3 of the **Inquiries Act 2014**;

***special report*** means a report of the IBAC under section 162 of the **Independent Broad-based Anti-corruption Commission Act 2011**.".!