

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
ELECTORAL FURTHER AMENDMENT BILL 2026

(Amendments to be proposed in Committee by EVAN MULHOLLAND)

1. Clause 5, page 7, lines 27 to 30 and page 8, lines 1 to 15, omit all words and expression on these lines and insert—

"associated entity means—

- (a) an entity that is controlled by one or more registered political parties; or
- (b) an entity that operates wholly, or to a significant extent, for the benefit of one or more registered political parties; or
- (c) an entity that is a financial member of a registered political party; or
- (d) an entity on whose behalf another person is a financial member of a registered political party; or
- (e) an entity that has voting rights in a registered political party; or
- (f) an entity on whose behalf another person has voting rights in a registered political party—

but does not include a trade union;"

2. Clause 5, page 101, line 7, omit "1 July 2023" and insert "27 November 2022".
3. Clause 5, page 102, lines 9 to 33 and page 103, lines 1 to 25, omit all words and expression on these lines and insert—

"279 Disclosure of amounts received by registered political parties from nominated entities since 2022 general election

- (1) A registered political party that received an amount from a nominated entity during the period beginning on 27 November 2022 and ending on the day on which the **Electoral Further Amendment Act 2026** receives the Royal Assent must disclose to the Commission, within 30 days after the end of that period the details specified under subsection (2) in respect of that amount.

Penalty: 200 penalty units.

- (2) For the purposes of subsection (1), the following details are specified—
 - (a) the name of the registered political party;
 - (b) the name of the nominated entity;

- (c) the date on which the amount was received;
- (d) the size of the amount.

280 Disclosure of amounts given to registered political parties by nominated entities since 2022 general election

- (1) A nominated entity that gave an amount to a registered political party during the period beginning on 27 November 2022 and ending on the day on which the **Electoral Further Amendment Act 2026** receives the Royal Assent must disclose to the Commission, within 30 days after the end of that period the details specified under subsection (2) in respect of that amount.

Penalty: 200 penalty units.

- (2) For the purposes of subsection (1), the following details are specified—
 - (a) the name of the registered political party;
 - (b) the name of the nominated entity;
 - (c) the date on which the amount was given;
 - (d) the size of the amount."

- 4. Clause 5, page 105, line 2, omit "**specified gift**" and insert "**other**".
- 5. Clause 5, page 105, line 10, omit "a specified gift" and insert "an amount".