

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

EDUCATION AND TRAINING REFORM BILL

(Amendments and New Clause to be proposed in Committee by the Honourable PETER HALL)

1. Clause 1.1.1, page 2, lines 12 and 13, omit "and the regulation of non-Government schools and" and insert ", the regulation of non-Government schools and the registration of students for".
2. Clause 2.1.1, lines 11 to 14, omit paragraph (b) and insert—
"() to register the child for home schooling and to ensure that the child receives regular and efficient instruction in the learning areas set out in Schedule 1."
3. Clause 2.1.10, after line 8 insert—
"() If a child is asked for his or her name and address under sub-section (1), a parent of the child may provide that name and address instead of the child."
4. Clause 4.2.2, page 253, lines 7 to 12, omit paragraph (g) and insert—
"() exercise the powers of the Authority to ensure that minimum standards are maintained by providers and organisations it has registered;"
5. Clause 4.3.9, omit this clause.
6. Clause 5.8.5, omit this clause.

NEW CLAUSE

7. Insert the following New Clause to follow line 18 on page 265—
"A. Authority to register students for home schooling
 - (1) The Authority must register a student for home schooling on being notified in writing by a parent of the student that the student is to be home schooled.
 - (2) The Authority must ensure that the following details are specified in the State Register regarding a student registered for home schooling—
 - (a) the name and address of the registered student;
 - (b) the name and address of each parent of the registered student;
 - (c) the date that the Authority was notified by the parent that the student is to be home schooled.

- (3) The Authority must cancel the registration of a student for home schooling—
 - (a) on being notified in writing by a parent of the student that the student is no longer to be home schooled; or
 - (b) if the Authority is otherwise satisfied that the student is no longer receiving home schooling.
- (4) No fee is payable for the registration of a student for home schooling or the cancellation of such a registration."