

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

INTEGRITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (A  
STRONGER SYSTEM) BILL 2015

(Amendments to be proposed in Committee by Mr RICH-PHILLIPS)

1. Clause 3, page 5, after line 8 insert—
  - '(2) After section 3(4) of the **Independent Broad-based Anti-corruption Commission Act 2011** insert—
    - "(5) For the purposes of the definition of *relevant offence* in subsection (1)—

*misconduct in public office* means conduct of a public official in the course of, or connected to, their public office which constitutes wilful misconduct without reasonable excuse and justification that is serious misconduct having regard to—

      - (a) the responsibilities of the public office and the public official; and
      - (b) the importance of the public objects that the public office and the public official serve; and
      - (c) the nature and extent of the departure by the public official from those public objects.".'
2. Clause 94, lines 10 to 17, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert "'.'.
3. Clause 97, page 87, lines 3 to 18, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert "a performance audit."
4. Clause 97, page 87, line 19, after "Committee" insert "does not respond to a request from the Auditor-General for comment on a draft specification for an audit within 9 sitting days of receiving the request".