LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

DANGEROUS GOODS AMENDMENT (PENALTY REFORM) BILL 2019

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

- 1. Clause 1, line 9, omit "persons." and insert "persons; and".
- 2. Clause 1, after line 9 insert—
 - "(c) to require an annual report to be submitted to the Minister by the Authority in respect of the storage, transportation and disposal of dangerous goods.".

NEW CLAUSE

3. Insert the following New Clause to follow clause 10—

'10A New section 60D inserted

After section 60C of the Dangerous Goods Act 1985 insert—

"60D Report on storage, transfer and disposal of dangerous goods

- (1) As soon as practicable after the end of each financial year, the Authority must submit a written report to the Minister containing—
 - (a) any information determined by the Minister; and
 - (b) the following information that is known to the Authority—
 - (i) the number of persons who have stored or transferred dangerous goods without authorisation by or under this Act, the regulations or other law;
 - (ii) the suburb of premises where dangerous goods have been stored without authorisation by or under this Act, the regulations or other law;
 - (iii) the quantity of dangerous goods and the technical names, chemical names and trade names (if any) of those goods that have been stored or transferred without authorisation by or under this Act, the regulations or other law;
 - (iv) the number of inspections carried out by the Authority under Division 3 of Part II;
 - (v) the location of premises or places where dangerous goods have been disposed.
- (2) The Minister must cause a report received under subsection (1) to be laid before each House of the Parliament on or before 31 October in each year or, if a House is not sitting on that day, on the first sitting day after 31 October in each year.

(3) The Authority must publish the report submitted to the Minister under subsection (1) on the Authority's website as soon as practicable after the report has been laid in each House of the Parliament.".'.

AMENDMENT OF LONG TITLE

4. Long title, after "persons" insert "and to require an annual report to be submitted to the Minister by the Authority in respect of dangerous goods".