

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**

**MULTICULTURAL VICTORIA BILL**

(Amendments to be moved by Mr. Pandazopoulos)

1. Clause 4, lines 3 to 9, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—
  - "( ) Parliament recognises that the people of Victoria are united in their shared commitment to—
    - (a) a democratic framework governed by the rule of law; and
    - (b) Victoria and Australia and the people, interests and future of Victoria and Australia.
  - ( ) Parliament further recognises that all Victorians come from diverse cultural, religious, racial and linguistic backgrounds and values the richness that such diversity brings to the Victorian community.
  - ( ) Parliament supports the obligations of citizenship to which sub-section (1) refers and promotes the diversity to which sub-section (2) refers by recognising the following principles of multiculturalism—".
2. Clause 4, line 28, omit "State and have a" and insert "State;".
3. Clause 4, lines 29 to 31, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—
  - "( ) all Victorians have a responsibility to abide by the State's laws and respect the democratic processes under which those laws are made.".