

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

JUSTICE LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (PROTECTIVE SERVICES OFFICERS)
BILL 2011

(New Clause to be proposed in Committee by Mr PAKULA)

Insert the following New Clause to follow clause 4—

'AA **New section 118I inserted**

After section 118H of the **Police Regulation Act 1958** insert—

"118I Review of operation of Justice Legislation Amendment (Protective Services Officers) Act 2011

- (1) The Drugs and Crime Prevention Committee must commence to inquire into and consider the operation of the amendments to legislation made by the **Justice Legislation Amendment (Protective Services Officers) Act 2011** no later than 12 months after the first date on which all the provisions of that Act have been proclaimed.
- (2) Within 6 months after the commencement of its inquiry and consideration, the Drugs and Crime Prevention Committee must make a final report to the Parliament on the outcome of its inquiry and consideration.
- (3) The report must include—
 - (a) the number of incidents involving protective services officers that have occurred; and
 - (b) for each incident—
 - (i) the nature of the incident; and
 - (ii) the location of the incident; and
 - (iii) whether force or weaponry was used; and
 - (iv) whether the action taken by the protective services officer or officers is considered an appropriate response to the matter giving rise to the incident; and
 - (c) the number of offences committed against protective services officers in the course of their duties and the nature and location of each of those offences.
- (4) Sections 34, 35, 36 and 37 of the **Parliamentary Committees Act 2003** apply to the report as if it were a report of a matter referred to a Committee under section 33(1)(a) of that Act.
- (5) In this section—

Drugs and Crime Prevention Committee means the committee established under section 5(a) of the **Parliamentary Committees Act 2003**;

incident, involving a protective services officer, means any incident in which the protective services officer exercises, in relation to a member of the public, a power that the officer has by virtue of an amendment to legislation made by the **Justice Legislation Amendment (Protective Services Officers) Act 2011**."!