

SELECTION OF BILLS COMMITTEE

REPORT NO. 11 – 21 NOVEMBER 2023

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The Selection of Bills Committee met on Tuesday 21 November 2023 to consider whether the following bills be referred to a standing committee for inquiry and report:

- Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust Amendment (Public Transport) Bill 2023 (accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest),
- Crime and Criminal Procedure Legislation Amendment Bill 2023 (not yet accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest),
- Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Amendment (Independent Office of Animal Welfare) Bill 2023,
- Road Transport Legislation Amendment (Automated Seatbelt Enforcement) Bill 2023 (not yet accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest),
- Sheriff and Court Security Amendment Bill 2023 (not yet accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest),
- 24-Hour Economy Commissioner Bill 2023, (accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest),
- 24-Hour Economy Legislation Amendment (Vibrancy Reforms) Bill 2023, (accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest),
- Biosecurity Amendment (Independent Biosecurity Commissioner) Bill 2023 (accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest), and
- Jury Amendment Bill 2023 (accompanied by a Statement of Public Interest).

The committee makes the following recommendations:

- (1) That:
 - (a) the Jury Amendment Bill 2023 be referred to Portfolio Committee No. 5 Justice and Communities at the conclusion of the mover's second reading speech in the Council, and
 - (b) the committee report by 11 March 2024.
- (2) That the following bills not be referred to a standing committee for inquiry and report this day:
 - (a) Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust Amendment (Public Transport) Bill 2023,
 - (b) Crime and Criminal Procedure Legislation Amendment Bill 2023,
 - (c) Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Amendment (Independent Office of Animal Welfare) Bill 2023,

- (d) Road Transport Legislation Amendment (Automated Seatbelt Enforcement) Bill 2023,
- (e) Sheriff and Court Security Amendment Bill 2023),
- (f) 24-Hour Economy Commissioner Bill 2023,
- (g) 24-Hour Economy Legislation Amendment (Vibrancy Reforms) Bill 2023, and
- (h) Biosecurity Amendment (Independent Biosecurity Commissioner) Bill).

Bob Nanva MLC **Chair** 21 November 2023