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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

#### **Bail and Other Legislation Amendment (Domestic Violence) Bill 2024**

## **First print**

### **Proposed amendment**

No. 1 Registrars of Local Court not to hear certain bail applications

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#### [8A] Section 70A

Insert after section 70—

# 70A Registrars of Local Court cannot hear bail applications about serious personal violence offences

(1) A registrar of the Local Court cannot hear a bail application for a serious personal violence offence.

#### (2) In this section—

serious personal violence offence means-

- (a) an offence under the *Crimes Act 1900*, Part 3 that is punishable by imprisonment for a term of 14 years or more, or
- (b) an offence under a law of the Commonwealth, another State or Territory or another jurisdiction that is similar to an offence under that part.