

**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

**Constitution Amendment (Prorogation of Parliament) Bill 2011**

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**Proposed amendments**

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- No. 1 Page 2, clause 3 (2). Insert after line 23:
- (3) A committee of either or both Houses of Parliament may:
    - (a) lawfully sit during the life of a Parliament despite any prorogation of the Legislative Council and Assembly, and
    - (b) lawfully do during that prorogation all such things as they might lawfully have done had the Legislative Council and Assembly not been prorogued.
- This subsection does not affect or alter any power of the Legislative Council or Assembly, and the operation of this subsection is subject to any such power and the exercise of that power.
- No. 2 Long title. Insert "and to authorise Parliamentary committees to operate during a prorogation of Parliament" after "general election".