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**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

**COVID-19 Legislation Amendment (Emergency Measures—Miscellaneous) Bill 2020**

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**Proposed amendment**

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No. 1 **Deferral of election of officers of unions**

Page 20, Schedule 1.16. Insert after line 1—

**413 COVID-19 pandemic—deferral of elections**

Despite section 412 but without limiting the operation of that section, the Industrial Registrar may, on application by a State organisation, defer an election for an office of the organisation for a period of up to 12 months if the Electoral Commission is unable to conduct the election because of the COVID-19 pandemic.