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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Statute Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill 2021

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Proposed amendment

No. 1 **Exclusion of fire and emergency service levies from council general income**
Page 7, Schedule 1. Insert after line 41—

1.12A Local Government Act 1993 No 30

Section 505 Application of Part

Omit section 505(a)(vii). Insert instead—

- (vii) fire and emergency service levies, however described, payable under the *Fire and Emergency Services Levy Act 2017* or another Act or law, and

Explanatory note.

The proposed amendment makes it clear fire and emergency service levies, whether payable under the *Fire and Emergency Services Levy Act 2017* or another Act or law, are not to be treated as part of the general income of a council for the purposes of the *Local Government Act 1993*, Chapter 15, Part 2 (Limit of annual income from rates and charges). The proposed amendment gives effect to the purpose of an amendment made to the Bill for the *Local Government Amendment Act 2021* in the Legislative Council.