## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

## **Members of Parliament Staff Bill 2013**

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## **Proposed amendments**

- No. 1 Page 5, clause 8 (3), line 10. Insert ", subject to the written agreement of employment of the person concerned," after "may".
- No. 2 Page 5, clause 8 (4), lines 12 and 13. Omit all words on those lines. [NOTE: The following amendment is an alternative to Nos 1 and 2]
- No. 3 Page 5, clause 8. Insert after line 11.
  - (4) If, in deciding to dispense with the services of any such person, the termination of the person's employment is expressed to be immediate, the termination of the person's employment does not take effect:
    - (a) until 2 weeks after the date on which the decision is made, and
    - (b) unless, during that 2-week period, the decision has been subject to mediation by the Premier at a meeting between the political office holder and the employee concerned.
- No. 4 Page 9, clause 20 (3), line 5. Insert ", subject to the written agreement of employment of the person concerned," after "may".
- No. 5 Page 9, clause 20 (4), lines 7 and 8. Omit all words on those lines.

  [NOTE: The following amendment is an alternative to Nos 4 and 5]
- No. 6 Page 9, clause 20. Insert after line 6.
  - (4) If, in deciding to dispense with the services of any such person, the termination of the person's employment is expressed to be immediate, the termination of the person's employment does not take effect:
    - (a) until 2 weeks after the date on which the decision is made, and
    - (b) unless, during that 2-week period, the decision has been subject to mediation by the relevant Presiding Officer at a meeting between the member of Parliament and the employee concerned.

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