SUMMARY OF CONCLUSIONS LEGISLATION REVIEW DIGEST No. 12 of 2005 18 October 2005

Legislation Review Digest No. 12 of 2005 contains the Legislation Review Committee's consideration of bills introduced into Parliament and second read in the sitting week beginning 10 October 2005 and any reports on regulations since the previous *Digest*.

The Bills reported on include:

- Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Equality in Education and Employment) Bill 2005*
- Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Amendment (Postponement of Expiry) Bill 2005
- Health Legislation Amendment Bill 2005
- Pay-roll Tax Amendment (Supporting Jobs and Small Business) Bill 2005*
- Public Sector Employment and Management Amendment (Extended Leave)
 Bill 2005
- Residential Tenancies Amendment (Social Housing)

Correspondence on Bills includes:

State Emergency and Rescue Management Amendment Bill 2005.

Summary of Conclusions

SECTION A: Comment on Bills

- 1. Anti-Discrimination Amendment (Equality in Education and Employment) Bill 2005*
- 5. The Committee has not identified any issues under s 8A(1)(b) of the *Legislation Review Act 1987*.

2. Gene Technology (GM Crop Moratorium) Amendment (Postponement of Expiry) Bill 2005

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3. Health Legislation Amendment Bill 2005

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4. Pay-Roll Tax Amendment (Supporting Jobs and Small Business) Bill 2005*

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5. Public Sector Employment & Management Amendment (Extended Leave) Bill 2005

4. The Committee has not identified any issues under s 8A(1)(b) of the *Legislation Review Act 1987*.

6. Residential Tenancies Amendment (Social Housing) Bill 2005

5. The Committee has not identified any issues under s 8A(1)(b) of the *Legislation Review Act 1987*.

SECTION B: Ministerial Correspondence — Bills Previously Considered

7. State Emergency and Rescue Management Amendment Bill 2005

3. The Committee thanks the Minister for his response.

The Legislation Review Committee reports on whether each bill introduced into Parliament:

- (i) trespasses unduly on personal rights and liberties, or
- (ii) makes rights, liberties or obligations unduly dependent upon insufficiently defined administrative powers, or
- (iii) makes rights, liberties or obligations unduly dependent upon non-reviewable decisions, or
- (iv) inappropriately delegates legislative powers, or
- (v) insufficiently subjects the exercise of legislative power to parliamentary scrutiny.

Those bills marked with an * are sponsored by Private Members.

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