

## SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE LEASING OF ELECTRICITY INFRASTRUCTURE

## Inquiry into the leasing of electricity infrastructure Terms of Reference

- 1. That a select committee be established to inquire into and report on the proposed leasing of electricity transmission and distribution businesses and associated infrastructure investment and, and in particular:
  - (a) The likely implications of the transactions on electricity network pricing, given experience in other states,
  - (b) The likely impact of the transactions on customers, including on access to and exit from the network,
  - (c) The responsibilities of any lessee(s) to maintain, improve and replace infrastructure and the ownership of infrastructure that has been upgraded or replaced,
  - (d) The regulatory framework for electricity distribution and transmission networks and the proposed Electricity Price Commissioner,
  - (e) Likely proceeds of the transactions, including additional Commonwealth incentives and interest revenue,
  - (f) Expert reports into the transactions, including reports such as those by UBS, Deloittes and Ernst & Young, and
  - (g) Any other relevant matter.
- 2. That the committee report by 2 June 2015.

## Committee membership

Revd the Hon Fred Nile MLC	Christian Democratic Party	Chair
The Hon David Clarke MLC	Liberal Party	Deputy Chair
The Hon Robert Borsak MLC	The Shooters and Fishers Party	
The Hon Catherine Cusack MLC	Liberal Party	
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The Hon Trevor Khan MLC	The Nationals	
The Hon Dr Peter Phelps MLC	Liberal Party	
The Hon Peter Primrose MLC	Australian Labor Party	
The Hon Adam Searle MLC	Australian Labor Party	