## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

STANDING COMMITTEE ON LAW AND JUSTICE

## Inquiry into racial vilification law in NSW Terms of reference

That the Committee inquire into and report on racial vilification law in NSW, in particular:

- 1. the effectiveness of section 20D of the *Anti-Discrimination Act 1977* which creates the offence of serious racial vilification;
- 2. whether section 20D establishes a realistic test for the offence of racial vilification in line with community expectations; and
- 3. any improvements that could be made to section 20D, having regard to the continued importance of freedom of speech.

## Committee membership

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