



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SELECT COMMITTEE ON LANDOWNER PROTECTION FROM UNAUTHORISED FILMING OR SURVEILLANCE

TERMS OF REFERENCE

Inquiry into landowner protection from unauthorised filming or surveillance

1. That a select committee be established to inquire into and report on the extent of protection for landowners from unauthorised filming or surveillance and in particular:
 - (a) the nature of protection for landholders from unauthorised filming or surveillance, including but not limited to installation, use and maintenance of optical surveillance devices without consent under the Surveillance Devices Act 2007,
 - (b) the extent and appropriateness of penalties for unauthorised filming or surveillance, including but not limited to on-the-spot fines and/or relevant penalties under the Summary Offences Act 1988,
 - (c) the implications with regard to self-incrimination of the request of disclosure by a person of any recordings made by that person,
 - (d) the implications of rapidly changing media environment, including social media platforms such as Facebook Live, and
 - (e) any other related matter.

Committee membership

The Hon Robert Borsak MLC	Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party	<i>Chair</i>
Mr Scot MacDonald MLC	Liberal Party	<i>Deputy Chair</i>
The Hon Rick Colless MLC	The Nationals	
The Hon Courtney Houssos MLC	Australian Labor Party	
The Hon Trevor Khan MLC	The Nationals	
The Hon Mark Pearson MLC	Animal Justice Party	
The Hon Mick Veitch MLC	Australian Labor Party	