

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Special Report - Resolution to Commence an Inquiry into the Governance of Western Australia's Water Resources

HON BARRY HOUSE (South West) [10.05 am]: I am directed to present a special report of the Standing Committee on Public Administration, in relation to a resolution of the committee on 21 June 2006 to commence an inquiry into the governance of water resources in Western Australia with the following terms of reference -

- (a) responsibilities and accountability of public sector agencies, communities and the private sector in governance of water resources;
- (b) the legal and regulatory framework and its impact on effective water governance;
- (c) economic and environmental sustainability of the current approach to governance of water resources;
- (d) demand for and equity of allocation of water resource; and
- (e) any other matters deemed relevant.

I move -

That the report do lie upon the table.

Question put and passed.

[See paper 1627.]