

LEGAL PROFESSION UNIFORM LAW APPLICATION (ACCREDITATION) RULES 2022

816. Hon Nick Goiran to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application (Accreditation) Rules 2022*, and I ask:

- (a) what was the catalyst for bringing about these amendments to the rules;
- (b) who was consulted prior to these amendment rules being finalised;
- (c) did any person consulted raise any concerns;
- (d) if yes to , what were these concerns;
- (e) have the finalised amendment rules addressed these concerns; and
- (f) if no to (e), why not?

Hon Matthew Swinbourn replied:

- (a) The *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application (Accreditation) Rules 2022* have been made by the Legal Practice Board of Western Australia (the Board) under section 125 of the *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2022* to accredit providers of continuous professional development activities, practice management course and other legal education or training. They are not amendment rules.
- (b) The consultation in relation to the Rules was undertaken by the Board. It is understood that the Board consulted with relevant persons employed or engaged by the Board, and the members of the Board via its delegate, the Professional Development Committee.
- (c) No.
- (d)–(f) Not applicable.