

CORRUPTION, CRIME AND MISCONDUCT ACT — REVIEW

590. Hon NICK GOIRAN to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the twelfth recommendation in the fifteenth report of the Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission, published in September 2020, which calls on the Attorney General to redraft the Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Act 2003 as a matter of priority with consideration to be given to prioritising police oversight within the act.

- (1) Has the government accepted this recommendation?
- (2) If no to (1), why not?
- (3) If yes to (1), has a first draft been prepared?
- (4) Will the Attorney General table the most recent briefing note or similar document he has received regarding this recommendation?

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question. I provide the following answer on behalf of the Attorney General.

- (1)–(4) As the member was advised in supplementary answers to his questions during the passage of the Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Amendment Bill 2021, on 6 April 2021 the Attorney General tasked the Department of Justice with reviewing the Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Act 2003. The review will include consideration of the fifteenth report of the Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission. No first draft has been prepared at this stage.