

PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

*Protection of Information (Entry Registration Information Relating to COVID-19
and Other Infectious Diseases) Bill 2021 — Personal Explanation*

HON MATTHEW SWINBOURN (East Metropolitan — Parliamentary Secretary) [5.05 pm] — by leave:
I rise in relation to three matters following debate on the Protection of Information (Entry Registration Information
Relating to COVID-19 and Other Infectious Diseases) Bill 2021.

Firstly, during debate at the Committee of the Whole stage, I undertook to table documents regarding the SafeWA app. I therefore table the following: *Alignment of the SafeWA privacy policy with the Australian privacy policy, as per federal government Office of the Information Commissioner (OAIC) guidelines (13/11/20); QR code implementation—Review of SafeWA against national contact tracing review: A report for national cabinet (Finkel report) Conducted 20/11/20; Cloud policy; and Cloud service requirements.*

[See paper [426](#).]

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN: Secondly, also during debate at the Committee of the Whole stage, I undertook to inquire about whether the operational guidance document referred to in correspondence between the Commissioner of Police and the director general of Health was the same as the policy change that was said to have happened at the end of February. I am advised that it is and this document was tabled in the Legislative Council on 22 June 2021 as tabled paper 332.

Thirdly, I would like to provide a correction to the house. In response to questions from Hon Nick Goiran about the Information Commissioner, I was advised that she had been consulted with on the bill and I then stated that she was happy with the bill in totality. I have since been advised that the Information Commissioner was consulted on an early draft of the bill and provided feedback on the draft without indicating her happiness or otherwise. I apologise to the house for the error.