

ELECTORAL ACT — REGULATIONS — CONSULTATION

32. Hon TJORN SIBMA to the parliamentary secretary representing the Attorney General:

I refer to the passage of the Electoral Amendment (Finance and Other Matters) Bill 2023.

- (1) Has drafting of all regulations pursuant to the now act commenced?
- (2) Has the Western Australian Electoral Commission commenced consultation on the implementation of the act's provisions with registered political parties; and, if so, with which parties, and on what dates?

Hon MATTHEW SWINBOURN replied:

I thank the member for some notice of the question. The following answer has been provided to me by the Minister for Electoral Affairs.

- (1) The commission has commenced work concerning the drafting of regulations required as a result of legislative amendments to the Electoral Act 1907.
- (2) It is anticipated that briefings with all registered political parties will commence in early April 2024.