EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

RAILWAY (BUTLER TO BRIGHTON) BILL 2009

The purpose of this Bill is to authorise the construction of a railway from Butler to Brighton.

This new railway will be an extension of the urban passenger railway network's Joondalup line and will provide for a new urban passenger railway service to operate from Perth to Brighton.

Following are the contents of the Bill, described clause by clause:

Section 1: The short title of the bill

Section 2: This section provides that the proposed Act will come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Section 3: This section gives the authority to construct the proposed Butler to Brighton section of the railway.

The authority extends to construction and maintenance of the proposed railway with all the proper and usual works and facilities along the line which is specified in the schedule to the Bill.

Schedule 1: This schedule sets out the line of the proposed Butler to Brighton section of the railway.