

LOCAL GOVERNMENT STANDARDS PANEL

4802. Mr A. Krsticevic to the Minister for Local Government:

I refer to Local Government Standards Panel and ask:

- (a) Does the Minister retain confidence in the current Standards Panel model:
  - (i) If not, why not;
- (b) Is the Minister's intention to overhaul the Standards Panel in his new or amended Local Government Act legislation; and
- (c) What model is the Minister considering for any changes to the Standards Panel?

**Mr D.A. Templeman replied:**

- (a)–(c) As the Member is aware, the *Local Government Act 1995* is currently under review. All Matters relating to the operation of the Act are being considered.

Any proposed changes will be dependent on the outcome of the consultation process, further considerations and decisions of Government.