

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT — REFORM

536. Dr D.J. Honey to the Minister for Local Government:

I refer to the government's intention to release a green bill for local government reform, and ask:

- (a) When does the Minister expect to release the green bill;
- (b) What is the purpose of the green bill;
- (c) Will there be any public input to the green bill before it is released; and
- (d) Will the green bill encompass the various reform proposed in the Local Government Reforms report?

**Mr J.N. Carey replied:**

- (a)–(d) On 10 November 2021, the State Government announced a significant package of reforms to the system of local government in Western Australia. A detailed list of more than forty reform proposals, grouped in six themes, was open for public comment from 10 November 2021 to 25 February 2022.

This consultation has informed the Government's work to progress this legislation, which the Government intends to introduce as soon as practicable.