



MESSAGE No. 132

Mr Speaker

The Legislative Council acquaints the Legislative Assembly that it has agreed to the *Legal Profession Amendment Bill 2016* subject to the amendments contained in the Schedule annexed; in which amendments the Legislative Council desires the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

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Hon Adele Farina
Deputy President of the Legislative Council

Legislative Council Chamber
Perth, 21 June 2016

Schedule indicating the amendments made by the Legislative Council in the Legal Profession Amendment Bill 2016

No. 1

Clause 5, page 2, after line 21 — To insert —

CPI means the all groups consumer price index for Perth published by the Australian Statistician referred to in the *Australian Bureau of Statistics Act 1975* (Commonwealth) section 5, or if the index is not published, another similar index nominated by the Minister;

No. 2

Clause 5, page 2, line 25 — To delete “calculated”.

No. 3

Clause 5, page 3, line 2 — To insert before “method” —

amount of the contribution or the

No. 4

Clause 5, page 3, after line 22 — To insert —

- (5A) Unless agreement is obtained as mentioned in subsection (5)(a), neither regulations specifying an amount of contribution to be paid nor regulations specifying a method by which the amount of contribution is to be calculated in any year (the *calculation regulations*) can be amended so as to increase the amount required to be paid in any year to an amount that is greater than the amount that would have been payable in that year, if calculated under the calculation regulations and adjusted for any CPI increase plus 2.5% per annum, pro rata, from the date on which the calculation regulations were made or last amended (whichever is later) to the date of the proposed amendment.



Clerk of the Legislative Council