

CORRUPTION AND CRIME COMMISSION AMENDMENT (MISCONDUCT) BILL 2014

1263. Hon ADELE FARINA to the Attorney General:

- (1) Is the Attorney General aware that the position of Corruption and Crime Commissioner has been vacant since April this year and the urgent passage of the Corruption and Crime Commission Amendment (Misconduct) Bill 2014 is needed to address a significant problem in filling the position and that efforts to fill the position have stalled pending enactment of the bill?
- (2) Why has the government failed to identify the bill as a priority bill requiring passage through Parliament before Parliament retires for the summer recess?
- (3) What action has the Attorney General taken to inform the Leader of the House of the urgency of the bill?

Hon KEN BASTON replied:

I do not have an answer in this folder. The honourable member is out of the chamber on urgent parliamentary business. I am sorry.

The PRESIDENT: I think the minister will endeavour to get the question before the end of question time; and, if not, it will be dealt with later.