

POLITICAL PARTIES — INCORPORATION

1487. Hon Ben Dawkins to the Minister for Commerce:

I refer to my inaugural speech on 14 June 2023, and I ask, in relation to political parties incorporated under the *Associations Incorporation Act 2015* (Act):

- (a) how many have been issued an exemption by the Commissioner under s.23 of the Act, and what are the reasons for those exemptions;
- (b) what conditions, if any, has the Commissioner attached to the exemptions under s.23(3) of the Act;
- (c) which, if any, political parties incorporated under the Act applied for incorporation with the statement that the model rules for incorporation have been adopted; and
- (d) how many variations has the Commissioner approved under s.25 of the Act, and what are the nature of those variations?

Hon Sue Ellery replied:

Please refer to Legislative Council Question without Notice 660.