

**VAPE STORES**

*Petition*

**HON DR BRIAN WALKER (East Metropolitan)** [2.09 pm]: I present an e-petition containing 1 183 signatures couched in the following terms —

To the President and Members of the Legislative Council of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled. We the undersigned ...

Believe the current regulations on vaping products in Western Australia are inadequate and unnecessarily harm legally owned and operated specialist vape stores in Western Australia. We believe urgent legislative changes are required to regulate for, and provide consumer protections to, Western Australian adults who wish to access safe and effective vaping products sold and distributed by specialist vape stores in Western Australia. We the undersigned: Call on the Legislative Council to recommend that the State Government allow Western Australian adults access to vaping products by: - Ending the Western Australian Health Department's crackdown on legally owned and operated specialist vape stores in Western Australia; - Introducing urgent legislative changes to regulate for, and provide consumer protections to, Western Australian adults who wish to access safe and effective vaping products sold and distributed by specialist vape stores in Western Australia.

And your petitioners as in duty bound, will ever pray.

[See paper 2000.]