

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AMENDMENT (GOVERNANCE AND INTEGRITY) BILL  
2024(Amendments to be moved by Mr Sam Hibbins)

1. Clause 1, page 2, lines 4 to 7, omit all words and expressions on these lines.
2. Clause 1, page 2, line 13, omit "changes;" and insert "changes."
3. Clause 1, page 2, lines 14 to 17, omit all words and expressions on these lines.
4. Clause 6, lines 11 to 14, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—  
"(2) Section 34(2)(i) of the Principal Act is **repealed**."
5. Clause 6, line 17, after "years" insert "and the period during which the person may apply under section 170 to VCAT for a review of those findings has expired".
6. Clause 6, lines 24 to 28, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—  
*'adverse decision* means a finding of serious misconduct under section 167.'*!*
7. Clause 7, omit this clause.
8. Clause 12, omit this clause.
9. Clause 14, omit this clause.
10. Clause 15, omit this clause.
11. Clause 19, page 13, lines 10 to 34 and page 14, lines 1 to 7, omit all words and expressions on these lines.
12. Clause 26, line 17, omit "functions." and insert 'functions.'*!*
13. Clause 26, lines 18 to 31 and page 21, lines 1 to 5, omit all words and expressions on these lines.
14. Clause 31, omit this clause.
15. Clause 45, omit this clause.
16. Clause 46, omit this clause.
17. Clause 58, lines 32 to 34 and page 43, lines 1 to 15, omit all words and expressions on these lines and insert—

'For section 149(3) of the Principal Act **substitute**—

- "(3) Without limiting subsection (2), the Principal Councillor Conduct Registrar may do any of the following—
- (a) request information from a Council that the Principal Councillor Conduct Registrar considers necessary to make a determination under section 144(1)(c) or 155(1)(c);
  - (b) request information from a Council or another person or body that the Principal Councillor Conduct Registrar considers necessary to make a determination under section 144(1B) or 155(2);
  - (c) disclose information in an application made under section 143 or 154 to a person or body that the Principal Councillor Conduct Registrar is satisfied under section 144(1B) or 155(2) is dealing with or would more appropriately deal with the matter the subject of the application.".'.

- 18. Clause 66, omit this clause.
- 19. Clause 69, page 48, lines 17 to 18, omit all words and expressions on these lines.
- 20. Clause 70, omit this clause.
- 21. Clause 72, omit this clause.
- 22. Part heading preceding clause 74, omit this heading.
- 23. Clause 74, omit this clause.
- 24. Clause 75, omit this clause.

#### AMENDMENT OF LONG TITLE

- 25. Long title, omit ", to make consequential amendments to the **Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 1998**".