



Justice, Integrity and Community Safety Committee

Penalties and Sentences (Sexual Offences) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2025

Wednesday, 18 June 2025

Public hearing: 9:10am – 11:10am

Public briefing: 11:45am - 12:45pm

Parliamentary Annexe, Brisbane
Committee Room 1

Time	Witness	Submission
Public Hearing		
9.10am – 9.30am	Queensland Sexual Assault Network <ul style="list-style-type: none">Angela Lynch, Executive OfficerKatherine Hills-Vink, Management Committee Member Rape and Sexual Assault Research and Advocacy (via Videoconference) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dr Rachael Burgin, Chief Executive Officer	2 6
9:30am – 9:50am	Victim's Commissioner (via Videoconference) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Beck O'Connor	8
9:50am – 10:10am	Archdiocese of Brisbane <ul style="list-style-type: none">Will Redmond, Policy and Submissions ManagerJames OBrien, Safeguarding Advisor	196
10:10am - 10:30am	#Your Reference Aint Relevant campaign (via Videoconference) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Harrison James, Co-Founder	7

10.30am – 10.50am	Queensland Family and Child Commission <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Luke Twyford, Principal Commissioner 	<u>4</u>
10.50am – 11.10am	Queensland Law Society <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bridget Cook, Senior Policy Solicitor • Kristy Bell, Chair of the QLS Criminal Law Committee 	<u>12</u>
<i>Break (35 minutes)</i>		
Public Briefing		
11:45am – 12.45pm	Department of Justice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leanne Robertson, Assistant Director-General, Strategic Policy and Legislation • Sally McCone, Acting Director, Strategic Policy and Legislation • Jo Hughes, Director, Strategic Policy and Legislation • Trudy Struber, Principal Legal Officer, Strategic Policy and Legislation 	

Public Hearing & Briefing:

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