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The Honourable Dean Wells MP
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Legal Affairs, Police, Corrective Services and
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Department of Justice and Attorney-General

Dear Mr Wells

I refer to your letter of 14 September 2011 in relation to my Department's assistance in examining the *Civil Proceedings Bill 2011*.

I enclose my Department's initial overview and information on prior consultation. This includes a number of attachments including copies of advices from the Rules Committee about the Bill which have now been tabled in Parliament. These advices are:

- Advice of the Rules Committee pursuant to section 118C(2)(a) of the Supreme Court of Queensland Act 1991; and
- Advice of the Rules Committee pursuant to section 118C(2)(a) of the Supreme Court of Queensland Act 1991 specifically in relation to each section of the Supreme Court Act 1995.

To assist the Committee, I nominate Ms Imelda Bradley, Director, Strategic Policy, to be the Committee Secretariat's point of communication on the Bill. Ms Bradley may be contacted by telephone on 07 3239 3299 or by email at imelda.bradley@justice.qld.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

Director General

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