



## Speech by

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## **CONSUMER CREDIT (QUEENSLAND) AMENDMENT BILL**

Mr DAVIDSON (Noosa—LP) (12.49 p.m.): The Opposition will not be opposing this Bill, given that the former Attorney-General and Minister for Consumer Affairs introduced it into the House earlier this year. We understand that there is some urgency for this Bill to be passed, given that the deadline is 1 November this year. It has taken some time, I understand, to have all States and Territories agree to this legislation. I note that Western Australia has drafted its own legislation and has since passed that legislation, but we will not be opposing the Bill. We support the Minister in her endeavours to ensure that the Consumer Credit (Queensland) Amendment Bill is passed and we applaud her for reintroducing a Bill that was introduced previously by the former Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Consumer Affairs.