



Speech by

# Hon. Robert Swarten

MEMBER FOR ROCKHAMPTON

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## MOTION

### Amendment to Standing Orders

**Hon. RE SCHWARTEN** (Rockhampton—ALP) (Leader of the House) (10.21 am),  
by leave: I move—

That standing orders be amended by the insertion of new clauses in Part 3 of Schedule 2 to the standing orders, regarding the keeping and inspection of the registers of interests, circulated in my name.

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#### SCHEDULE 2—REGISTERS OF INTERESTS

Schedule 2, Part 3, section 9 (Keeping of Registers)—

At page 75, after 9.(3)—

Insert—

- (4). As soon as practicable after a member resigns, dies or is removed from office during the course of a parliament, the Registrar must—
  - (a) in the case of the member—remove from the Register of Members' Interests details of the member's interests; and
  - (b) in the case of the member's related persons—remove from the Register of Related Persons' Interests details of the related persons' interests.
- (5). As soon as practicable after the dissolution of a parliament, the Registrar must—
  - (a) in the case of members of that parliament—remove from the Register of Members' Interests details of all members' interests; and
  - (b) in the case of the members' related persons—remove from the Register of Related Persons' Interests details of all related persons' interests.

Schedule 2, Part 3, section 13 (Inspection of Registers)—

At page 76, after 13.(2)(f)—

Insert—

- (3). The Registrar must, on request, make details removed from the registers in accordance with 9.(4) or 9.(5) available to—
  - (a) the Speaker;
  - (b) the Premier;
  - (c) any other Leader in the Legislative Assembly of a political party;
  - (d) the Chairperson and members of the Members' Ethics and Parliamentary Privileges Committee;
  - (e) the Crime and Misconduct Commission; and
  - (f) the Auditor-General.
- (4). The Registrar must advise the relevant member or former member, in writing, that details removed from the registers have been inspected in accordance with 13.(3)(a)-(d) or (f).

Motion agreed to.