




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MEMBER FOR CLAYFIELD

Record of Proceedings, 17 October 2018

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Reports

 **Mr NICHOLLS** (Clayfield—LNP) (10.12 am): I table the following Crime and Corruption Commission reports pursuant to sections 314 and 358 of the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000 and sections 138 and 146ZQ of the Crime and Corruption Act 2001:

- annual reports to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee for the periods 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2018 and 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017 on compliance requirements under the Crime and Corruption Act 2001 for assumed identities in relation to corruption offences;
- annual reports to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee for the periods 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2018 and 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017 on compliance requirements under the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000 for assumed identities in relation to criminal activity;
- schedule of controlled operations applications for corruption offences for the period 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2018;
- schedule of controlled operations applications for corruption offences for the period 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017; and
- surveillance device warrants, annual report 2017-18.

Tabled paper: Crime and Corruption Commission: 2017-18 and 2016-17 Annual Reports to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee on authorities for assumed identities for corruption offences pursuant to section 146ZQ of the Crime and Corruption Act 2001 [1653](#).

Tabled paper: Crime and Corruption Commission: 2017-18 and 2016-17 Annual Reports to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee on authorities for assumed identities relating to criminal activity pursuant to section 314 of the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000 [1654](#).

Tabled paper: Crime and Corruption Commission: 2017-18 Annual Report to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee on controlled operations applications for corruption offences [1655](#).

Table paper: Crime and Corruption Commission: 2016-17 Annual Report to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee on controlled operations applications for corruption offences [1656](#).

Tabled paper: Crime and Corruption Commission: 2017-18 Annual Report to the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Committee on aspects of surveillance device warrants pursuant to section 358 of the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000 [1657](#).

The committee is required to table the reports within 14 sitting days of receipt. The committee received six reports on 23 July 2018 and one report on 10 September 2018 following additional inquiries. Three reports for the 2016-17 financial year were provided by the CCC outside of the statutory time frame. The CCC chairperson could not provide a reason for two of the three reports being late other than simply an oversight. For the third report, the CCC chairperson advised the committee that the failure to meet the 2016-17 reporting requirements appears to be due to the departure of an officer from the legal services area in 2017 who had responsibility for coordinating the annual report and a failure to ensure this responsibility was handed over to a new employee.

The CCC chairperson, under questioning, advised the committee that continued improvements to document and monitor the CCC's compliance obligations will reduce the likelihood of the oversight occurring in the future. At the committee's request, the committee secretariat will also establish a monitoring system to oversee the CCC's ongoing requirements in this respect. I should point out that there were no issues of concern identified in the CCC's reports. The committee will continue to monitor the CCC's compliance with their statutory reporting responsibilities.

I also table the Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Commissioner's report titled *Report on the results of the inspection of the records of the Crime and Corruption Commission pursuant to section 362 of the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000: September 2018*. The committee is required to table the report within 14 sitting days. The committee received the report on 14 September 2018.

Tabled paper: Parliamentary Crime and Corruption Commissioner: Report on the results of the inspection of the records of the Crime and Corruption Commission pursuant to section 362 of the Police Powers and Responsibilities Act 2000, September 2018 [1658](#).