House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Wednesday, 15 March 2006

Land Transport Amendment Bill

Proposed amendments

Hon Jim Anderton, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 3: new section 29A(3)

To omit paragraph (a) (lines 11 to 13 on page 3).

To omit from *paragraph* (b) the words "an offence under section 134 or 135 of the Crimes Act 1961" (lines 14 to 16 on page 3), and substitute the words "a specified serious offence".

To add to *paragraph* (b) the words "for a term exceeding 12 months" (line 16 on page 3).

Clause 4: new section 29B(1)(b)

To omit subparagraph (i) (lines 2 to 6 on page 5).

To omit from subparagraph (ii) the words "under section 134 or 135 of the Crimes Act 1961" (lines 8 and 9 on page 5), and substitute the words "specified in paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of the definition of specified serious offence in section 29A(4)".

To add to *subparagraph* (*ii*) the words "for a term exceeding 12 months" (line 9 on page 5).

Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper amends the Land Transport Amendment Bill. The amendment to clause 3: new clause 29A(3) would allow individuals sentenced to a term of imprisonment not exceeding 12 months for a conviction for a specified serious offence to hold passenger endorsements if the Director of Land Transport is, having regard to specified criteria, satisfied that allowing those individuals to hold passenger endorsements would not be contrary to the public interest and would not pose an undue risk to public safety or security. The amendment to clause 4: new clause 29B(1)(b) would allow individuals sentenced to a term of imprisonment not exceeding 12 months for a conviction

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for certain specified serious offences to apply for reinstatement of their passenger endorsements if their passenger endorsements are deemed to be expired under section 29A(2) of the Land Transport Act 1998 or their passenger endorsements expired during the period beginning on 22 June 2005 and ending with the close of 15 January 2006.

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