

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Supplementary Order Paper

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PARENTAL LEAVE AND EMPLOYMENT PROTECTION BILL

Proposed Amendments

Hon. STAN RODGER, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 2: To omit paragraph (b) of the definition of the term "State employee" (all the words in lines 14 to 16 on page 6).

Clause 47E: To omit subsection (1) (all the words in lines 17 to 28 on page 33), and substitute the following subsection:

47E. Failure to notify employer—(1) Subject to section 65 of this Act, where an employee fails to give notice under section 47A (1) of this Act within the time required by section 47A (3) or section 47C of this Act, that employee shall not be entitled to take extended leave under this Act unless—

- (a) That employee gives a written notice under section 47A (1) of this Act to his or her employer and a period of 3 months beginning with the date of the giving of that notice has expired; or
- (b) The employer of that employee agrees that the employee may take extended leave under this Act.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Clause 2: This amendment alters the definition of the term "State employee" by removing the reference to those persons whose rate of remuneration is determined under section 6 (3) of the Post Office Act 1959. The persons referred to are certain officers appointed by the Governor-General to positions in what was formerly the Post Office.

The Post Office Act Repeal Act 1987, which repeals the Post Office Act 1959, takes effect on 1 January 1988.

Clause 47E: This effects a drafting amendment. The amendment does not alter the substance of the proposed clause.