House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, 26 August 2003

Health Practitioners Competence Assurance Bill

Proposed amendments

Hon Annette King, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 240(3)

To omit from the definition of **dentist** the word "continued" (lines 32 to 33 on page 170), and substitute the word "established".

Clause 252

To omit *new section* 55A(3) (lines 4 to 13 on page 180), and substitute the following subsections:

- "(3) If, after giving the holder of a licence to operate a pharmacy whose licence is suspended under **subsection (2)** a reasonable opportunity to be heard and after considering any evidence adduced or submissions made by the licensee, the licensing authority is not satisfied that the holder satisfies all of the criteria set out in **subsection (1)**, the licensing authority may cancel the licence.
- "(4) If, after giving the holder of a licence to operate a pharmacy whose licence is suspended under subsection (2) a reasonable opportunity to be heard and after considering any evidence adduced or submissions made by the licensee, the licensing authority is satisfied that the holder satisfies all of the criteria set out in subsection (1), the licensing authority must reinstate the licence.

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Explanatory note

The purpose of the Supplementary Order Paper is to correct errors in *clause* 240(3) and *new section* 55A.