

# House of Representatives

## Supplementary Order Paper

Thursday, 17 March 2005

### Lawyers and Conveyancers Bill

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#### *Proposed amendments*

Hon Phil Goff, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

#### *Part 1*

#### *Clause 6*

To omit the definition of **relative** (lines 9 to 13 on page 21), and substitute the following definition:

**relative**, in relation to a shareholder in an incorporated firm, means any of the following:

- (a) a spouse, civil union partner, or de facto partner of the shareholder:
- (b) a parent or grandparent of the shareholder:
- (c) a step-parent of the shareholder:
- (d) a brother, sister, half-brother, or half-sister of the shareholder:
- (e) a child of the shareholder:
- (f) a step-child of the shareholder:
- (g) a parent of the shareholder's spouse, civil union partner, or de facto partner

#### *Clause 13*

To omit from *clause 13(3)(c)(ii)* (as set out on page 6 of Supplementary Order Paper No 289) the word "lawyer", and substitute the words "conveyancing practitioner".

#### *Part 6*

#### *Clause 102*

To insert in paragraph (u), after the expression "(if any)" in line 18 on page 105, the words "in which".

*Clause 103*

To insert in subclause (2) (lines 11 to 40 on page 106 and lines 1 and 2 on page 107), after the word “spouse” whenever it appears, the words “or partner”.  
To omit subclause (3) (lines 3 to 6 on page 107), and substitute the following subclause:

- (3) In **subsection (2), partner**, in relation to a person, means a civil union partner or de facto partner of that person.

*Part 10**Clause 294*

To insert in *clause 294(5)(d)(ii)*, after the word “spouse” in line 5 on page 256, the words “or civil union partner”.

*Clause 299*

To insert in *clause 299(2)*, after the word “recovers” in line 27 on page 258, the words “(other than from that fund)”.

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### Explanatory note

The proposed amendments to *clauses 6, 103, and 294* are consequential on the passing of the Civil Union Act 2004 and the Relationships (Statutory References) Bill (151-2).

The proposed amendments to *clauses 13(3), 102(u), and 299(2)* are of a tidying-up nature.

The proposed amendment to *clause 13(3)(c)* makes *clause 13(3)(c)(ii)* consistent with the proposed amendment to *clause 13(3)(c)(i)*.

The proposed amendment to *clause 102(u)* improves the drafting of that clause.

The proposed amendment to *clause 299(2)* makes *clause 299(2)* consistent with *clause 299(1)*.

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