| From: | Leanne Robertson |
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| Sent: | Thursday, 17 August 2017 7:48 AM |
| To: | Sarah Kay; Mardi Sheraton; Michelle Pickering; Michael Shears |
| Cc: | Lyndelle Forrest |
| Subject: | FW: For approval by 14 August 2017 - PPQ - No body no parole |
| Attachments: | JAG-3362343.docx.DRF |

Sarah - what I was trying to get at was NP_Sch3(6)(c)(i)
$\square$ - see what I have done this morning and if it is OK let Michelle/ Mardi know (Lyndelle is not in today) - if still concerns you shd be able to change (the only reason you couldn't do earlier is because what was there had been cut and pasted from elsewhere.

Leanne

From: Sarah Kay
Sent: Thursday, 17 August 2017 6:55 AM
To: Leanne Robertson [Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au); PolicyADG [PolicyADG@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:PolicyADG@justice.qld.gov.au);
Michelle Pickering [michelle.pickering@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:michelle.pickering@justice.qld.gov.au); Mardi Sheraton [mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au); Lyndelle Forrest [Lyndelle.Forrest@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Lyndelle.Forrest@justice.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Michael Shears [Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: RE: For approval by 14 August 2017 - PPQ - No body no parole
Leanne - actually the tracked change on that one isn't right.

| Lyndelle or Michelle maybe it will let you undo it? |
| :--- | :--- |

## From: ADG Approvals

Sent: Tuesday, 15 August 2017 7:02 PM
To: PolicyADG [PolicyADG@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:PolicyADG@justice.qld.gov.au); Michelle Pickering [michelle.pickering@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:michelle.pickering@justice.qld.gov.au); Mardi
Sheraton [mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au); Lyndelle Forrest [Lyndelle.Forrest@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Lyndelle.Forrest@justice.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Sarah Kay [Sarah.Kav@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Sarah.Kav@justice.qld.gov.au); Michael Shears [Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: FW: For approval by 14 August 2017 - PPQ - No body no parole
Importance: High

Approved subject to sarah/ Michael being ok with the minor changes.

Leanne

From: CrimTeam ForApproval
Sent: Monday, 14 August 2017 3:34 PM
To: ADG Approvals [ADG.Approvals@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:ADG.Approvals@justice.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Lyndelle Forrest [Lyndelle.Forrest@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Lyndelle.Forrest@justice.qld.gov.au); Michael Shears [Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: For approval by 14 August 2017 - PPQ - No body no parole
Importance: High

Dear Leanne,

Please find attached for your consideration and approval the PPQ for 'No Body, No Parole'. This PPQ has been amended to reflect the Bill's passing in the last parliamentary sittings.

Kind Regards,

## Sarah Kay

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Emma Rickuss

| From: | CrimTeam Allocation |
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| Sent: | Friday, 11 August 2017 2:29 PM |
| To: | Michael Shears |
| Subject: | FW: FYI MCAR 3878416- Palaszczuk Annastacia MP Premier and Minister for the Arts re |
|  | Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill |
| Attachments: | JAG-3878416.PDF.DRF |
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| Importance: | High |
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Cc: PolicyADG [PolicyADG@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:PolicyADG@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: FW: FYI MCAR 3878416- Palaszczuk Annastacia MP Premier and Minister for the Arts re Corrective Services
(No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill
Importance: High
Good Afternoon

Please see attached MCAR 3878416 for your information. No further action required.
Please do let me know if you feel this would be best directed to an alternate team or requires a response.
Regards,

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Ph. 32393466 (Ext. 93466)

| From: | Shelley Francis <Shelley.Francis@ premiers.qld.gov.au> |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sent: | Thursday, 10 August 2017 9:12 AM |
| To: | Sarah Kay |
| Cc: | Leanne Robertson; Michael Shears |
| Subject: | RE: Replacement explanatory notes for ACiDs for No Body, No Parole |

Sensitivity: Confidential

Thanks Sarah

From: Sarah Kay [mailto:Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Thursday, 10 August 2017 9:10 AM
To: Shelley Francis [Shelley.Francis@premiers.qld.gov.au](mailto:Shelley.Francis@premiers.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Leanne Robertson [Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au); Michael Shears
[Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: Replacement explanatory notes for ACiDs for No Body, No Parole
Sensitivity: Confidential

Shelley,

Just confirming we have supplied our replacement ex-notes for the ACiDs on No Body, No Parole. We anticipate they will be at the house by 10:15am.

Kind Regards,

## Sarah Kay

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Sent: Thursday, 10 August 2017 6:53 AM
To: Sarah Kay [Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Leanne Robertson [Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au); Mardi Sheraton
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Subject: Re: Revised ACiDs for No Body, No Parole
Sensitivity: Confidential

Thanks Sarah

On 10 Aug 2017, at 6:50 am, Sarah Kay [Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au) wrote:

Mardi - just confirming that the ex-notes I sent you this morning are headed 'Replacement Explanatory Notes'.

Kind Regards,

Sarah Kay
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Cc: Mardi Sheraton [mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au); Sarah Kay
[Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au); Michael Shears [Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: Re: Revised ACiDs for No Body, No Parole
Sensitivity: Confidential

Hi again - if not too late could the ex note please say Replacement rather than revised

Thanks

Shelley

From:<br>Sent:<br>To:<br>Subject:<br>Attachments:<br>Michelle Freeney [Michelle.Freeney@oqpc.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michelle.Freeney@oqpc.qld.gov.au)<br>Thursday, 10 August 2017 8:34 AM<br>Sarah Kay; Michael Shears<br>FW: [C17_0043 cor] Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill 2017 ACiD - (v10) image002.png; image001.png; C17_0043<br>_Corrective_Services_(No_Body_No_Parole)_Amendment_Bill_2017_ACi....pdf

Hello Sarah and Michael,

The ACID for the Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill 2017 has been supplied.

Attached is a copy of the supplied version.

Kind regards,


Michelle Freeney
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The following legislation has been re-supplied and is now being printed -

Short title:

Project number:
Corrective Services
(No Body, No
Parole) Amendment
Bill 2017 (Version
2)

Date Supplied:
C17_0043
10/08/17
Requestor

| MATTER REFERENCE | ACiD | LIT ID | 563227 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| JOB DESCRIPTION NARRATIVE V02 Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill 2017 ACiD | LOGGED | $10 / 08 / 2017$ |  |
| CONTACT NAME | Kate Quinn |  | $08: 15$ AM |
| FIRM | Office of Queensland Parliamentary Counsel | REQUIRED | $10 / 08 / 2017$ |
| LOCATION | Brisbane |  |  |

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| From: | Leanne Robertson |
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| Sent: | Thursday, 10 August 2017 7:39 AM |
| To: | Shelley Francis (shelley.francis@premiers.qld.gov.au) |
| Cc: | Sarah Kay; Mardi Sheraton; Brian McFadyen; Michael Shears |
| Subject: | Today |

Hi Shelley

NB, NP: We will get the Replacement Ex Notes sent off to LitSupport for 10.30am delivery to the House when Mardi gets in.
NP_73(2)

Regards

Leanne


## Leanne Robertson

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| From: | Sarah Kay |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sent: | Thursday, 10 August 2017 6:31 AM |
| To: | Clemence Webb; Kate Petrie |
| Cc: | Michael Shears |
| Subject: | RE: QCS contact - No Body No Parole bill |

Thanks for everything last night Clem.
FYI - movement of the ACiDs should commence around 10:30-11:00am this morning.
From: WEBB, Clemence [mailto:Clemence.Webb@dcs.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Wednesday, 9 August 2017 7:38 PM
To: Sarah Kay [Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au); Kate Petrie [kate.petrie@dcs.qld.gov.au](mailto:kate.petrie@dcs.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Michael Shears <Michael. Shears@justice.qld.gov.au>
Subject: RE: QCS contact - No Body No Parole bill
Hi Sarah,
As discussed Kate is on her emails at home and her mobile is NP_49-Sch4
Thanks Clem
NP_73(2)

| From: | James Sullivan [James.Sullivan@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:James.Sullivan@ministerial.qld.gov.au) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sent: | Thursday, 10 August 2017 8:35 AM |
| To: | Sarah Kay; Fiona Furguson |
| Cc: | Michael Shears; Leanne Robertson |
| Subject: | RE: ACiDs for No Body, No Parole |

## That's fine thanks

From: Sarah Kay [mailto:Sarah.Kay@justice.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Thursday, 10 August 2017 8:34 AM
To: James Sullivan [James.Sullivan@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:James.Sullivan@ministerial.qld.gov.au); Fiona Ferguson
[Fiona.Ferguson@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Fiona.Ferguson@ministerial.qld.gov.au)
Cc: Michael Shears [Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au); Leanne Robertson
[Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: ACiDs for No Body, No Parole

Jimmy and Fiona,

Michael and I are planning to come down to the house just after 11:00am to update your Bill Books and assist if necessary with the ACiDs.

Please let us know if you want us to come down earlier or later.

Kind Regards,

## Sarah Kay

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| From: | PETRIE, Kate [Kate.Petrie@dcs.qld.gov.au](mailto:Kate.Petrie@dcs.qld.gov.au) |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sent: | Monday, 21 August 2017 4:07 PM |
| To: | Michael Shears |
| Subject: | RE: No body no parole committee hearing - Question on Notice |
| Attachments: | Fwd: No body no parole committee hearing - Question on Notice |

Hi Michael

Please see the attached email which includes an email from the President, Parole Board Queensland regarding the below issue.

## Kate

Kate Petrie
Director, Policy and Legislation | Strategy and Governance
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Queensland Corrective Services
Department of Justice and Attornev-General \| Queensland Government
From: Michael Shears [mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Monday, 21 August 2017 3:57 PM
To: PETRIE, Kate
Subject: RE: No body no parole committee hearing - Question on Notice

Hi Kate,
The Attorney-General has received an MCAR regarding the below issue. Can I please confirm that my understanding as outlined in the below email is correct?

Many thanks,
Michael.
Michael Shears
Senior Legal Officer
Strategic Policy
Department of Justice and Attorney-General
Ph: 30064515


Hi Sarah,
DP response attached (3896068). It is essentially a Nil response - but for a request to update the status of the NBNP Bill.

I spoke to Jo and she didn't identify any issues.
Michael.

From: CrimTeam Allocation
Sent: Friday, 11 August 2017 2:20 PM
To: Michael Shears [Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Michael.Shears@justice.qld.gov.au)
Cc: PolicyADG <PolicyADG @justice.qld.gov.au>
Subject: FW: In confidence: Discussion Paper - $\qquad$ **due 12 noon Thursday 17/08** Importance: High
Sensitivity: Confidential
Michael,
Can you take this one please?
Kind Regards,
Sarah

From: PolicyADG
Sent: Thursday, 10 August 2017 11:09 AM
To: CrimTeam Allocation [CrimTeam.Allocation@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:CrimTeam.Allocation@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: In confidence: Discussion Paper NP_Sch3(2)(1)(b) **due 12noon Thursday 17/08** Importance: High
Sensitivity: Confidential
Good Morning
Please find attached a discussion paper entitled $\square$ for your consideration and comment (or advice of a nil response).

Could you please provide any comments/feedback to me using the attached template by, Wednesday, 16 August 2017, or advise if a nil response is more appropriate.

Please do

Thank you

let me know if you feel this would be best directed to an alternate team.
kindly,

Lyndelle Forrest
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Department of Justice and Attorney-General Level 17, State Law Building, 50 Ann Street, Brisbane Qld 4000

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From: Mardi Sheraton
Sent: Thursday, 10 August 2017 10:46 AM
To: PolicyADG <PolicyADG @justice.qld.gov.au>
Subject: FW: In confidence: Discussion Paper $\square$ **due 12noon Thursday 17/08** Importance: High
Sensitivity: Confidential

Hi Lyndelle

Can you please process as a discussion paper. It's for the Crim Team.
Kind regards

## Mardi Sheraton

Principal Executive Officer
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Department of Justice and Attorney-General
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From: PATTERSON, Fiona [mailto:Fiona.Patterson@dcs.qld.gov.au]
Sent: Thursday, 10 August 2017 10:42 AM
To: Mardi Sheraton [mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:mardi.sheraton@justice.qld.gov.au)
Subject: FW: In confidence:NP_Sch3(2)(1)(b) ${ }^{* *}$ due 12 noon Thursday 17/08** Importance: High
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Good morning Mardi

The attached Discussion Paper was circulated through the CLLO network yesterday afternoon as per the below email. In case it was not provided to Strategic Policy I wanted to ensure you received a copy for consideration by the relevant officers.

Any questions please let me know.

Thanks
(07) 32252368

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From:
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Cc:
Subject:

## David Mackie

Thursday, 10 August 2017 12:57 PM
Leanne Robertson
DL-Strategic Policy; Tom Humphreys; Kate Petrie; Clemence Webb;
Carolyn.McAnally@dcs.qld.gov.au; John Forster
Re: Passage of the Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill 2017

Fantastic work to all - I realise the leg requirements just keep coming at us, but you are all amazing in making it happen at the get the result (in a robust legislative framework).

Fingers crossed it slows down in coming months as we get through some significant pieces of work - but thank you for another job well done.

Regards

David

## David Mackie

Director-General
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On 10 Aug 2017, at 12:52 pm, Leanne Robertson [Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au](mailto:Leanne.Robertson@justice.qld.gov.au) wrote:

## Dear all

This morning the Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill 2017 was passed with amendment.
There have been a number of SP crim team and QCS officers involved in the development of this Bill - including in the threshold consideration of the Sofronoff Parole Report and its recommendation for this law reform; and then the development of the Bill and its passage through the House. Officers involved along the way included Jo, Brian, Carolyn, Michael and Sarah from SP; and Tom, Kate and Clem from QCS.
Also a big thank you as always to the admin team - in particular Mardi and Michelle - for that behind the scenes work that is so important to bringing it all together.
Without in any way taking away from everyone's contribution, special mention must be of the seamless transition of the lead on this from Carolyn to Sarah; and also to Sarah and Michael's work over the past few days in relation to amendments moved during consideration in detail.
If I have not mentioned anyone who should have been mentioned please be assured this oversight was not intentional.
Thank you all for your hard work, and well done to all concerned both in SP and QCS.
Regards
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| From: | Justine Hodgman |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sent: | Thursday, 10 August 2017 8:57 AM |
| To: | Michael Shears; Sarah Kay |
| Cc: | Leanne Robertson |
| Subject: | Brief for Decision re ADCID in NBNP Bill |
| Attachments: | JAG-3863490.DOC.DRF |

Good morning,
Please see AG's office comments on this BN
NP_Sch3(2)(1)(b)

Justine Hodgman
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| Subject: | Re: Revised ACiDs for No Body, No Parole |
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| Sensitivity: | Confidential |

## Thanks Sarah

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Shelley

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| To: | Mardi Sheraton |
| Cc: | Leanne Robertson; Michael Shears |
| Subject: | Replacement Explanatory Notes for the Revised ACiDs on No Body, No Parole |
| Attachments: | JAG-3878816.docx.DRF |

## Sarah Kay

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Many thanks,

Michael.

Michael Shears
Senior Legal Officer
Strategic Policy
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Ph: 30064515

# Office of the Attorney-General and Minister for Justice Minister for Training and Skills 

In reply please quote: $582059 / 1,3866335$


Thank you for your email dated 27 July 2017 regarding $\qquad$ being released on parole and seeking a meeting with the Attorney-General. The Honourable Yvette D'Ath MP, Attorney-General and Minister for Justice and Minister for Training and Skills, has asked me to respond on her behalf.
$\square$
Unfortunately, due to other working commitments, the Attorney-General is unable to meet with you at this time.

The Attorney-General appreciated the your attendance alongside other impacted families at Queensland Parliament to witness the passage of the Corrective Services (No Body, No Parole) Amendment Bill 2017 (the Bill) on 10 August 2017.

Upon commencement, the Bill will apply a No Body, No Parole policy to applications for a parole order from prisoners serving a period of imprisonment for a prescribed homicide offence where the body or remains of the victim of the offence have not been located; or because of an act or omission of the prisoner or another person, parts of the body or remains of the victim have not been located.

The term homicide offence is particularly broad, and is defined to capture the offences of murder, manslaughter, conspiring to murder, misconduct with regard to corpses, unlawful striking causing death; an offence of being an accessory after the fact or any of these offences; or an offence of counselling or procuring the commission of, or conspiring the commission of, any of these offences.

The definition also captures offences from another jurisdiction that substantially correspond with a Queensland offence prescribed in the definition of homicide offence, in circumstances where the applicant prisoner has been transferred to a Queensland prison under the Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act 1982.

The Bill provides that if the parole board is not satisfied the prisoner has cooperated satisfactorily in the investigation of the offence to identify the victim's location, the parole board must refuse the application. Importantly, the No Body, No Parole policy
in the Bill also applies to a parole application whether the prisoner was convicted of, or sentenced for, the offence before or after commencement.

Although I note the specific concerns raised in your correspondence, the AttorneyGeneral cannot interfere with individual parole applications, regardless of the circumstances. As individual parole matters fall under the ministerial responsibilities of the Honourable Mark Ryan MP, Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services and Minister for Corrective Services, I have referred a copy of your email to the office of Minister Ryan for his consideration.

On behalf of the Attorney-General, I thank you again for your tireless efforts in advocating the implementation of this reform.

Yours sincerely

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Hi Sarah,
This is the MCAR we discussed this morning regarding No Body, No Parole.
Happy to discuss the wording etc.
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