

House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, 10 September 2019

End of Life Choice Bill

Proposed amendment

Hon Maggie Barry, in Committee, to move the following amendment:

Clause 21

Replace *clause 21(5)(c)* (page 15, line 23) with:

- (c) the number and nature of complaints received about alleged breaches of this Act:

Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper amends the End of Life Choice Bill by ensuring that the reporting requirement does not apply only to complaints that resulted in a “breach” finding.

The number of complaints that did not result in the Registrar determining that a breach occurred is at least as significant a detail, to the extent that it may reflect public understanding (or otherwise) of the regime and also the Registrar’s decision making patterns.