

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

**OFFICIAL CORRUPTION
COMMISSION AMENDMENT
ACT 1991**

No. 35 of 1991

AN ACT to amend the *Official Corruption Commission Act 1988*.

[Assented to 4 December 1991]

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the *Official Corruption Commission Amendment Act 1991*.

Commencement

2. This Act comes into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Commission may report to Parliament

3. Section 7 of the *Official Corruption Commission Act 1988* is amended by—

(a) adding the following subsections—

“ (6) The Commission may at its discretion after an investigation under subsection (3), report to each House of Parliament—

(a) in respect of any findings of illegality; or

(b) matters where a person under investigation requests public disclosure of a clearance arising out of, or concerned with, the investigation. The report may be accompanied by a recommendation for further action where the Commission sees fit. The Commission may also at any time during an investigation report to each House of Parliament if it considers that the investigation is not being properly, efficiently or expeditiously conducted.

(7) No report made under subsection (6) shall reflect adversely on a person or body without that person or body first having been given the right to be heard.

(8) In making a report under subsection (6) the Commission may report facts only and not express ethical or other judgments. ”;

(b) deleting from the third line of subsection (1) (b) the word “and” and substituting “or”.
