

**STANDING COMMITTEE FOR THE SCRUTINY OF DELEGATED LEGISLATION—
INQUIRY INTO THE EXEMPTION OF DELEGATED LEGISLATION FROM
PARLIAMENTARY OVERSIGHT—CIRCULATED AMENDMENT TO
RECOMMENDATION 9**

(Circulated on behalf of the Standing Committee for the Scrutiny of Delegated Legislation)

Recommendation 9:

Noting that in its response to the committee's 2019 inquiry the government agreed that legislative instruments should only be exempted from disallowance in very limited circumstances, the committee recommends that the Senate adopt the following order for the production of documents:

That there be laid on the table, ~~by the Minister representing the Attorney-General, by no later than 5 pm on Tuesday, 3 August 2021~~ **by the Attorney-General, by no later than 5 pm on Tuesday, 31 August 2021**, a statement setting out:

- the rationale for specifying that each class of instrument and each particular instrument in Part 2 of the Legislation (Exemptions and Other Matters) Regulation 2015 are not legislative instruments; and
- the exceptional circumstances that justify each exemption from disallowance or sunsetting currently set out in Parts 4 and 5 of the Legislation (Exemptions and Other Matters) Regulation 2015.