

House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Wednesday, 17 August 2016

Evidence Amendment Bill

Proposed amendment

Jan Logie, in Committee, to move the following amendment:

New clause 25A

After *clause 25* (page 10, after line 26), insert:

25A Section 85 amended (Unacceptable questions)

In section 85(1), after “misleading,” insert “intimidating.”

Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper inserts *new clause 25A* to amend section 85(1) of the Evidence Act 2006 to add the word “intimidating” to the list of unacceptable questions that a Judge may disallow or direct that a witness is not obliged to answer.