



**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY**

12<sup>th</sup> Assembly

**Select Committee on Action to Prevent Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder**

**Terms of Reference**

The Legislative Assembly resolved on 26 March 2014 that:

1. A Select Committee on Action to Prevent Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder be appointed.
2. The Committee shall inquire into and report on:
  - a. The prevalence in the Northern Territory of Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD);
  - b. The nature of the injuries and effects of FASD on its sufferers; and
  - c. Actions the Government can take to reduce FASD based on evidence and consultation.
3. The Committee's membership shall comprise three Government Members, two Opposition Members and one Independent Member.
4. The Committee may elect a Deputy Chair of the Committee, who may act as the Chair when the Chair is absent from a meeting or there is no Chair of the Committee.
5. A quorum of the Committee shall be three members of the Committee.
6. The committee is to report in the October sittings.
7. The provisions of this resolution, insofar as they are inconsistent with the Standing Orders, have effect notwithstanding anything contained in the Standing Orders.