Statement of compatibility with human rights

Prepared in accordance with the Thirteenth Assembly Sessional Orders (part 12.3) as adopted on 24 August 2017.

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This Bill is compatible with the human rights and freedoms recognised or declared in the international instruments listed in section 3 of the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act* 2011 (Cth).

Overview of the Bill

This Bill amends the *Liquor Act 2019* to clarify that the Liquor Commission may approve substitution of premises despite where the proposed premises are yet to be constructed, amends the *Liquor Act 2019* to remove the 'like for like' requirement for a substitution of premises application, and clarifies that the Liquor Commission may impose conditions on the grant of approval of a substitution of premises application.

Human rights implications

This Bill does not engage any of the applicable rights or freedoms.

Conclusion

This Bill is considered compatible with human rights as it does not raise any human rights issues.