



Legislative Council
Parliament of South Australia
Statutory Authorities Review Committee
Inquiry into the Teachers' Registration Board

That pursuant to section 16(1)(a) of the *Parliamentary Committees Act 1991*, the Statutory Authorities Review Committee inquire into and report on the Teachers' Registration Board, and in particular—

1. The welfare and best interests of children as its primary consideration in the performance of its functions;
2. The manner and process by which ensures that a teacher registration system and professional standard are maintained to safeguard the public interest in there being a teaching profession whose members are competent educators and fit and proper persons to have the care of children;
3. The composition of the Board;
4. The manner and process by which evidence is gathered and presented to the Board, including the representation of parties to proceedings;
5. The relationship between the Department of Education and Children's Services and the Board; and
6. Any other relevant matters.

Any person or organisation wishing to submit evidence to the Committee in relation to the above Inquiry should contact the Secretary, Statutory Authorities Review Committee, Parliament House, North Terrace, Adelaide, SA 5000, Fax (08) 8231 9630 or email SARC [@parliament.sa.gov.au](mailto:SARC@parliament.sa.gov.au).

Further information on the Committee and its functions can be found at www.parliament.sa.gov.au then follow the prompts to 'Committees' then 'Standing'.

Written submissions should be lodged by Friday 31 July 2009.

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Secretary to the Committee