

# **Food Amendment Bill 2006**

## **Explanatory Notes for amendments to be moved during consideration in detail by the Honourable Stephen Robertson MP**

### **Title of the Bill**

Food Amendment Bill 2006

### **Objectives of the Amendments**

The amendment is intended to remove any doubt about the definition of intentional contamination of food.

### **Achievement of the Objectives**

The definition of “intentional contamination” is to be amended by inserting the words “or thing” to clarify that contamination includes putting an object, as well as a substance, in food.

### **Estimated Cost for Government Implementation**

There are no costs associated with the amendment.

### **Consistency with Fundamental Legislative Principles**

The amendment raises no fundamental legislative principles issues.

### **Consultation**

No consultation was undertaken on the amendment.

## **Notes on Provisions**

Clause 3, The definition of **intentional contamination** in proposed section 271A is to be amended by inserting the words “or thing” after “substance” in line 16 of page 4 of the Bill.