



PARLIAMENTARY JOINT COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS

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Mr Graham Perrett MP
Chair
House of Representatives Standing Committee on
Social Policy and Legal Affairs
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Mr Perrett *Graham*

Courts and Tribunals Legislation Amendment (Administration) Bill 2012

I am writing on behalf of the Parliamentary Joint Committee on Human Rights in relation to the above bill.

As you would be aware, the committee has functions to examine bills and legislative instruments for compatibility with human rights as defined in the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*.

The committee tabled its Seventh Report of 2012 yesterday. The report includes the committee's views on the above bill which may assist in your committee's inquiry into the bill. A copy of the report is enclosed and can also be accessed online at:
http://www.aph.gov.au/joint_humanrights/.

Should you have any questions regarding the committee's comments on the bill, please contact the Committee Secretary,

Yours sincerely

Harry Jenkins MP
Chair