

SENATE LEGAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION COMMITTEE
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

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Question No. 21

Senator Carr asked the following question in writing at the hearing on 25 May 2006:

National Uniform Tenancy Database:

- a) The media release from the Queensland AG, Linda Lavarch, released after SCAG, indicates that SCAG agreed to develop national uniform tenancy database laws. Is that correct?
- b) Is this essentially option (ii) of the Working Party report, as identified in response to Question No. 22 from February 2006?

The answer to the honourable senator's question is as follows:

- a) Standing Committee of Attorneys General (SCAG) Ministers agreed, at their meeting in April 2006, to the development of model uniform legislation for residential tenancy databases based on the final report of the joint SCAG/ Ministerial Council on Consumer Affairs working party, *Report on Residential Tenancy Databases* and the Regulation Impact Statement.
- b) Yes.