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## LEGAL STUDIES

### Practice Written Examination

READING TIME: 15 MINUTES

WRITING TIME: 2 HOURS

### QUESTION AND ANSWER BOOK

*Structure of book*

| Number of questions: | Number of questions to be answered: | Number of marks: |
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| 11                   | 11                                  | 70               |

- Students are permitted to bring into the examination room: pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers, sharpeners and rulers.
- Students are NOT permitted to bring into the examination room: blank sheets of paper and/or white out liquid/tape.
- No calculator is allowed in this examination.

#### Materials supplied

- Question and answer book of 18 pages.
- Additional space is available at the end of the book if you need extra paper to complete an answer.

#### Instructions

- Write your **student name** in the space provided above on this page.
- You should make use of stimulus material where it is included. However, it is not intended that this material will provide you with all the information to fully answer the question.
- All written responses must be in English.

**Students are NOT permitted to bring mobile phones and/or any other unauthorised electronic devices into the examination room.**

**Instructions**  
Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

**Question 1**

Mr Robert Clark, Attorney General of Victoria said the following:

‘This bill will deliver on the government’s election commitment to legislate to allow criminal bikie and similar organisations to be outlawed where they are used for serious criminal activity and the organisation’s continued operation represents a serious threat to public order and safety. The bill will do so while ensuring these decisions are made by the courts, after a robust assessment of the evidence and with affected parties having the opportunity to be heard.’

Source: Hansard, 15<sup>th</sup> November 2012 page 5070.

**a.** Identify the stage that the bill is currently at.

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1 mark

**b.** Provide two reasons to justify your selection.

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2 marks





























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10 marks

**END OF PAPER**





