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Report

- 1.1 On 3 February 2006 and 11 March 2006 the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, the Hon. John Aquilina MP, received submissions from Mr Gino Mandarino, requesting the incorporation of a response under the resolution of the Legislative Assembly relating to a citizen's right of reply.
- 1.2 The submission referred to statements made by Ms Peta Seaton MP, on:
- 3 September 2003 during questions without notice;
 - 4 September 2003 during Private Members' Statements;
 - 16 September 2003 during questions without notice;
 - 12 November 2003 during the consideration of Urgent Motions; and
 - 22 September 2004 during Business of the House.
- 1.3 The Committee met in private session on 22 and 28 September 2006, and decided to consider the submission. After deliberation the Committee determined that no further action should be taken by the Committee or the Legislative Assembly in relation to the submission.
- 1.4 The Committee recommends:

RECOMMENDATION 1: That no further action be taken by the Committee or the Legislative Assembly in relation to the submission.

John Aquilina MP
Speaker