1. The Sustainable Planning and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2011 amends a range of legislation as outlined below.
2. The *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008* will be amended to enable Local Government officers to access the Queensland Motor Vehicle Registry to investigate an alleged dog attack which caused death, grievous bodily harm or bodily harm to a person or animal.
3. The *Local Government Act 2009* will be amended to enable the LG Super trust deed to provide for Brisbane City Council accumulation benefit members’ superannuation contributions to be reduced in cases of financial hardship on a case by case basis and if additional tax would be incurred by a member under the Commonwealth Government’s Concessional Contributions Cap.
4. The *Plumbing and Drainage Act 2002* amendments achieve red tape reduction for plumbers, relate to membership of the Plumbing Industry Council and enable the recovery of disciplinary fines imposed by the Plumbing Industry Council as debts.
5. The first review of the *Sustainable Planning Act 2009* proposes amendments that clarify, simplify or improve operational arrangements for planning and development decision-making.
6. The Bill proposes the repeal of the *Planning (Urban Encroachment – Milton Brewery) Act 2009*. Protection for Milton Brewery and the State-wide expansion of the urban encroachment policy will be transitioned to the *Sustainable Planning Act* *2009*.
7. The amendments will also clarify the relationship between building assessment provisions and local planning instruments.
8. Amendments to the *Urban Land Development Authority Act 2007* streamline particular planning and development assessment processes for Urban Development Areas, and facilitate the delivery of commercially viable developments throughout Queensland using best-practice urban design.
9. Cabinet approved the introduction of the Sustainable Planning and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2011 into the Legislative Assembly.
10. Cabinet approved the creation of a criminal offence in the *Criminal Code Act 1899* for dog owners who allow a dog to cause serious injury or death to a person and public release of a draft exposure Bill.
11. Cabinet noted that the Bill will be supported by amendments to the *Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003*, *Standard Plumbing and Drainage Regulation 2003* and *Sustainable Planning Regulation 2009*.
12. *Attachments*
* [Sustainable Planning and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2011](Attachments/SPOLAmdtB11.pdf)
* [Explanatory Notes](Attachments/SPOLAmdtB11Exp.pdf)