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**Senator McLUCAS** (Queensland—Parliamentary Secretary for Disabilities and Carers and Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister) (10:07): On behalf of the President, I table a supplementary explanatory memorandum relating to the amendments circulated by the President. I seek leave to move amendments (1) and (2) proposed by the President together.

Leave granted.

**Senator McLUCAS:** I move:

(1) Schedule 1, item 44, page 26 (after line 6), after paragraph (a) of the definition of **entrusted person** in subsection 65AB(1), insert:

(aa) a delegate of the Merit Protection Commissioner;

(2) Schedule 1, item 46, page 33 (after line 24), after paragraph 70A(2)(a), insert:

(aa) a delegate of the Merit Protection Commissioner;

Question agreed to.

Bill, as amended, agreed to.

### PUBLIC SERVICE AMENDMENT BILL 2012

Bill—by leave—taken as a whole.