

## HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY SELECT COMMITTEE ON WORK CHOICES LEGISLATION

The House of Assembly has established a Select Committee to inquire into and report upon the effect of recently enacted Commonwealth industrial relations legislation with particular emphasis on:

- (1) The operation in Tasmania of the Commonwealth Workplace Relations Amendment (Work Choices) Act 2005.
- (2) Labour market changes in Tasmania, with particular reference to the identification of incidents where the 'Work Choices' legislation has resulted in employment relationships that are inconsistent with Tasmanian industrial relations legislation and minimum standards.
- (3) Any other matters incidental thereto.

The Committee intends to conduct public (or where deemed necessary private) hearings across the State.

The Committee invites individuals and organizations who wish to participate to contact the Secretary, Work Choices Legislation Committee, Parliament House, Hobart 7000 - telephone 03) 6233 3098 or e-mail <u>committees@parliament.tas.gov.au</u> Submissions close on Friday 17 November 2006.

Submissions become Committee documents and are made public only after a decision by the Committee. Persons making submissions must not release them without the approval of the Committee. Submissions are protected by parliamentary privilege but the unauthorised release of them is not. The Committee encourages the lodgement of submissions in electronic form. Emailed submissions must include name, phone number and postal address. Guidelines for witnesses and the preparation of a submission are available on the internet at <u>http://www.parliament.tas.gov.au/</u>, or by contacting the Secretary.