

HOW A BILL BECOMES AN ACT

in South Australian Parliament

02 | SECOND READING

A Member gives their main speech to a Bill on purpose, objectives, & benefits to the community. Other Members can follow.

04 | THIRD READING

Members decide if a Bill should pass. Agreement by the House completes a Bill's passage through that House.

06 | ASSENT

After a Bill is passed by both Houses it is presented to the Governor to sign & seal - representing a Bill converting to an Act.

01 | INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING

A Member of either House presents a Bill & it is read a first time.

* *Money Bills' that concern taxation, revenue, public funds or loan must be introduced to the House of Assembly first!*

03 | IN COMMITTEE

Each clause is read & either agreed to, amended then agreed to, or rejected. Any Member of the House can table amendments.

05 | THE OTHER HOUSE

A Bill is read three times & possibly reviewed in committee in the other House of Parliament. If amendments are made, it returns to the original House again.