

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON PROCEDURE AND PRIVILEGES**

*Twenty-fifth Report — “Reference from the House — Auditor General Act 2006” — Tabling*

**THE PRESIDENT (Hon Barry House):** Members, I will take this opportunity to present a report. I am directed to present the twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Procedure and Privileges, “Reference from the House — Auditor General Act 2006”.

[See paper 5403.]

*Motion*

**HON MATT BENSON-LIDHOLM (Agricultural)** [5.03 pm] — without notice: I move —

That the twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Procedure and Privileges, “Reference from the House — Auditor General Act 2006”, be adopted and agreed to.

*Point of Order*

**Hon NORMAN MOORE:** Mr President, I do not want to be pedantic, but there is a matter before the house, and that is the bill that we are currently dealing with. I did not think we can do this sort of thing and deal with other matters unless we get out of the debate that we are currently having.

**The PRESIDENT:** I took the end of question time to be a gap in proceedings and took that opportunity to table a report. If the Leader of the House insists that that is not a technical gap in proceedings, we will put aside the last few comments and we will come back to them.

**Hon NORMAN MOORE:** Mr President, if I may, I have just been trying to work out how I can get a report tabled, recognising that we are in the middle of a debate. So I was just sending a message to the member to finish five minutes early so that we can do that, and I then find that you are presenting a report and Hon Matt Benson-Lidholm is moving a motion, so I am a little confused about what the rules provide for.

**The PRESIDENT:** I had taken it that question time and the subsequent issues surrounding the tabling of answers had come to an end and there was a gap before we went back to the previous proceedings. Technically, the Leader of the House is correct. So we will go back to the technical functioning of the agenda. Therefore, we go back to order of the Day 14, Criminal Law Amendment (Out-of-Control Gatherings) Bill 2012. The question is that the bill be read a second time.

Debate interrupted.

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