

**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL****TUESDAY, 13 JUNE 2023****2.00pm****1. Meeting of Council**

The Council assembled at 2.00pm pursuant to order.

The President, Hon Alanna Clohesy, took the Chair.

Prayers and an Acknowledgement of Country were read.

2. Message from the Deputy of the Governor — Assent to Bill

The President reported the receipt of a Message from the Deputy of the Governor assenting to the following Bill —

22 May 2023 — Message No. 16

Major Events Bill 2023

Act No.

12 of 2023

3. Ministerial Statement — Reconstitution of Ministry

The Leader of the House made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the reconstitution of the Ministry following the resignation of the Premier, Hon Mark McGowan.

The Leader of the House tabled a document detailing the changes to the reconstituted Ministry. (Tabled Paper 2272).

4. Ministerial Statement — Select Committee into Cannabis and Hemp — Government Response

The Leader of the House made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the expected tabling date of the Government Response to the report of the Select Committee into Cannabis and Hemp.

5. Ministerial Statement — Contractual Indemnity — Hon Mark McGowan

The Leader of the House made a Ministerial Statement with respect to a deed that the State Government has entered into to provide the former Premier, Hon Mark McGowan, with a contractual indemnity in respect of matters indemnified under the *Iron Ore Processing (Mineralogy Pty Ltd) Agreement Act 2022* and other matters connected with Mr Clive Palmer.

6. Ministerial Statement — Investment and Trade mission to India

The Minister for Emergency Services made a Ministerial Statement with respect to his recent travel to India and Singapore to strengthen government relationships and promote trade and investment.

The Minister for Emergency Services tabled a report in relation to his recent travel to India and Singapore. (Tabled Paper 2273).

7. Statement by President — Staff appointments

The President made the following Statement —

I wish to advise Members of a number of recent staff appointments.

Ms Thabiya Faizan has commenced as a Parliamentary Officer in the Administration Office for the remainder of the year. I welcome Thabiya, who joins us in the Chamber today.

In May, Mr Daniel Hawkett joined the Committee Office as a Research Officer and will provide research support to committees undertaking their inquiries.

In July, Ms Katrina Keegan will join the Committee Office as a Committee Clerk. I welcome all staff to the Department.

8. Statement by President — Members' Survey

The President made the following Statement —

Today, the Clerk emailed Members web links to complete the annual performance surveys for the Department of the Legislative Council and the Parliamentary Services Department. Hard copies of these surveys have been distributed in the Chamber and to Members' offices. These surveys are critical in assisting the departments to provide better services to you, and the results will be incorporated into the 2022–23 Annual Reports.

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10. Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure — Consolidated Account Estimates 2023–2024

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the motion of the Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer as follows —

That pursuant to Standing Order 69(1) the Legislative Council take note of Tabled Paper 2203A-E (2023–2024 Budget Statements), laid upon the Table of the House on 11 May 2023.

Debate resumed.

On the motion of Hon Peter Foster the debate was adjourned to the next sitting.

11. Collie Coal (Griffin) Agreement Amendment Bill 2023

The Order of the Day having been read for the adjourned debate on the second reading of this Bill. Debate ensued.

12. Questions Without Notice

Questions without notice were taken.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Corrective Services, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* a response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Brad Pettitt.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* a response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer, in accordance with Standing Order 108(2), advised that an answer to question on notice 1391 asked by Hon Nick Goiran will be provided on 20 June 2023.

The Minister for Emergency Services, representing the Minister for Tourism, in accordance with Standing Order 108(2), advised that an answer to question on notice No. 1422 asked by Hon Martin Aldridge will be provided on 20 June 2023.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Corrective Services, in accordance with Standing Order 108(2), advised that answers to questions on notice 1421 and 1425 asked by Hon Dr Brad Pettitt will be provided on 20 June 2023.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Fisheries tabled a corrected answer to a question without notice asked by Hon Donna Faragher on (Tabled Paper 2275).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Regional Development, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* a response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Regional Development, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* a response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas.

13. Collie Coal (Griffin) Agreement Amendment Bill 2023

Debate resumed on the second reading of this Bill (*see item 11 above*).

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The Deputy President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Martin Aldridge in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 2 to 7 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

The Acting President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade moved, That the Bill be read a third time.

The Acting President announced that the Deputy Chair of Committees had certified that this was a true copy of the Bill as agreed to in Committee of the Whole House and reported.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a third time and passed.

14. Appropriation (Recurrent 2023–24) Bill 2023

The Acting President reported the receipt of Message No. 109 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 2276).

Debate stands adjourned.

15. Appropriation (Capital 2023–24) Bill 2023

The Acting President reported the receipt of Message No. 110 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 2277).

Debate stands adjourned.

16. Young Offenders Amendment Bill 2023

The Acting President reported the receipt of Message No. 111 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Corrective Services moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Corrective Services moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Corrective Services tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 2274).

Debate stands adjourned.

17. Government Trading Enterprises Bill 2022

The Order of the Day for the further consideration of this Bill, in Committee of the Whole House, having been read.

The Acting President left the Chair.

In Committee

(Hon Sandra Carr in the Chair)

Clause 17.

Debate resumed.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 18.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 19 agreed to.

Clause 20.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 21 and 22 agreed to.

Clause 23.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 24.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 25.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 26 to 36 agreed to.

Clause 37.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 38 to 42 agreed to.

Clause 43.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 44 to 58 agreed to.

Clause 59.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 60 agreed to.

Clause 61.

Debate ensued.

Question — put.

The Committee divided.

Ayes (18)

Hon Klara Andric
Hon Dan Caddy
Hon Sandra Carr
Hon Stephen Dawson
Hon Kate Doust
Hon Sue Ellery
Hon Lorna Harper
Hon Jackie Jarvis
Hon Ayor Makur Chuot

Hon Kyle McGinn
Hon Shelley Payne
Hon Martin Pritchard
Hon Samantha Rowe
Hon Matthew Swinbourn
Hon Dr Sally Talbot
Hon Darren West
Hon Pierre Yang
Hon Peter Foster (*Teller*)

Noes (7)

Hon Martin Aldridge
Hon Donna Faragher
Hon Steve Martin
Hon Tjorn Sibma

Hon Dr Steve Thomas
Hon Neil Thomson
Hon Colin de Grussa (*Teller*)

Question thus passed.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 62 and 63 agreed to.

Clause 64.

Debate ensued.

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Treasurer moved, That the Deputy Chair report progress and seek to sit again.

Question — put and passed.

The President resumed the Chair.

The Deputy Chair of Committees reported that the Committee of the Whole House had considered the Bill, made progress, and seeks to sit again.

Ordered — That the Committee of the Whole House sit again.

18. Members' Statements

Statements were taken.

19. Adjournment

The Council adjourned at 9:59pm until Wednesday, 14 June 2023 at 1.00pm.

Members present during the day's proceedings

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Ben Dawkins, Hon Rosetta Sahanna and Hon Wilson Tucker.

SAM HASTINGS

Clerk of the Legislative Council

HON ALANNA CLOHESY MLC

President of the Legislative Council