WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 49

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 15 FEBRUARY 2018

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 9.00 am pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

2. Petition

Community Resource Centres – Mr R.S. Love presented a petition from 70 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly call upon the Premier Mark McGowan to ensure adequate funding to support the ongoing operation of all Community Resource Centres, without reducing service delivery (P. 62).

3. Notices of Motion

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Culture and the Arts on the West Australian Symphony Orchestra's 90th Anniversary Season launch.

The Minister for Tourism on Tourism Western Australia's marketing activity in support of the hotel sector.

The Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests on the Chinese New Year 2018.

The Minister for Veterans Issues on the 54th anniversary of the HMAS Voyager disaster.

The Minister for Community Services on the Department of Communities' 2018 Graduate Program.

5. Community Development and Justice Standing Committee

Mr P.A. Katsambanis, as Chair, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Community Development and Justice Standing Committee – 2017 WA State Election: Maintaining confidence in our electoral process, Report No. 2 (1142).

Community Development and Justice Standing Committee – 2017 WA State Election: Maintaining confidence in our electoral process, Submissions (1143).

Mr M.J. Folkard and Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup spoke on the report.

6. Premier's Statement

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the question, That the Premier's Statement be noted, was read.

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr T.J. Healy speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

7. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 2477 to 2561 were asked.

8. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 1 be resumed.

9. Premier's Statement

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the question, That the Premier's Statement be noted, was read.

Debate resumed.

The Leader of the House moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

10. Adjournment

The Leader of the House moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 5.08 pm until Tuesday, 20 February 2018 at 2.00 pm.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr I.C. Blayney, Mrs R.M.J. Clarke, Ms J. Farrer, Mr W.R. Marmion and Mr D.T. Punch.

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HON. PETER WATSON

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