

# Minutes of Proceedings

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

TUESDAY, 15 MARCH 2022

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. Messages from His Excellency the Governor — Assent to Bills

The President reported the receipt of Messages from His Excellency the Governor assenting to the following Bills —

### 28 February 2022 — Message No. 3

Courts Legislation Amendment (Magistrates) Bill 2021

Act No.

2 of 2022

### 1 March 2022 — Message No. 4

Poseidon Nickel Agreement Amendment (Termination) Bill 2021

Act No.

3 of 2022

## 3. Statement by President — Appointment of Clerk of the Legislative Council and Clerk of the Parliaments

The President made the following Statement —

Last year I advised the House that I had received a letter of resignation from Mr Nigel Pratt as the Clerk of the Legislative Council and Clerk of the Parliaments. Mr Pratt well-served the Council and the Legislative Council of Tasmania for many years. Mr Pratt's tenure will end on 31 March 2022.

During the summer recess I convened a panel to assist with the selection of the new Clerk. The panel comprised myself, a former President, a distinguished Clerk of another Australian Upper House and an executive with substantial experience in workforce planning and policy. The panel had the opportunity to review all applications, select candidates for interview and interview several high quality candidates.

I am delighted to advise that I have formally recommended to His Excellency the Governor the appointment of Sam Hastings as the Clerk of the Legislative Council and Clerk of the Parliaments for an initial period of seven years.

Members will be very familiar with Sam through his work as the Clerk Assistant (House) and at the Legislative Council Committee Office. I am sure Members will attest to his demonstrated commitment to this place, its Members and its work. Sam also brings extensive experience from outside of Parliament as a leader and senior lawyer in the public sector with previous roles at Landgate, Curtin University, the DPP and the State Solicitor's Office. Sam is well qualified for the role as he holds a Bachelor of Laws with Honours and a Bachelor of Economics. Sam has published papers in several international journals with a focus on legislative scrutiny and he continues to research in this area.

The Council is fortunate to attract a candidate of Sam's calibre to lead the Department of the Legislative Council and all Members will have the benefit of working closely with Sam as he fulfils the role of Clerk with integrity, independence, fidelity and his renowned sense of humour.

Sam will continue to hold the position of Acting Clerk until he formally assumes the role upon receiving his commission from His Excellency on or after 31 March 2022.

#### **4. Statement by President — COVID-19 Sitting Arrangements**

The President made the following Statement —

I advise that following consultation with the Party Leaders, the COVID-19 sitting arrangements in place for the February sittings have been extended to apply to these March sittings with a few minor alterations.

##### **1. Seating Arrangements**

The altered seating arrangements will remain in place to ensure social distancing. Party Leaders, Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Whips have allocated seats from which they can speak at any time. If an allocated seat is temporarily unoccupied other Members may sit in that seat until the Member with the allocated seat returns to the Chamber.

The President's Gallery will continue to be designated as the Floor of the House and other Members may also use this seating or the unallocated seats designated as "Member" on the seating plan.

##### **2. Speaking Arrangements**

There has been a small but likely popular change to the place where Members can speak from. If a Member is occupying a place in the Chamber that is equipped with a microphone that Member may speak from that place. I ask that you wait for the light on the microphone to turn on as this will indicate that the Broadcasting unit has found you. Members not occupying a seat in the Chamber proper may speak from the lectern as per the February sittings.

Members may speak from any place with a microphone during the Committee of the Whole House.

##### **3. Bar of the House**

The Bar of the House will remain open at all times.

##### **4. Hygiene and Social Distancing**

Admission to the Chamber is subject to all persons strictly adhering to hygiene requirements including the use of hand sanitiser prior to entering the Chamber. Please continue to follow other health guidelines including only attending if you are well, coughing

and sneezing into your elbow or a tissue and immediately discarding it in a bin, and maintaining appropriate social distance.

It would assist if Members only attend in the Chamber if they intend to speak, in cases where an absolute majority is required, or for Divisions and quorum requirements.

Masks must be worn in the Chamber, with an exception if Members wish to remove it when speaking.

#### **5. Committee of the Whole**

The Chair of Committees and Deputy Chairs will continue to sit in the President's Chair during Committee of the Whole House.

#### **6. Divisions**

Divisions will be conducted with Members voting with the Ayes standing and those voting with the Noes to remain seated.

#### **7. Question Time**

Hard copy answers will not be distributed in the Chamber. Answers will be provided to Members by email by a Parliamentary Liaison Officer. Should you require a hard copy answer, please advise the Parliamentary Liaison Officer who will make collection arrangements with you.

Parties are encouraged to arrange for their Leader or other Member deputed to ask all questions on behalf of other Party Members. Reporting Services have made special arrangements for these circumstances and *Hansard* searches will also reflect the name of the Member on whose behalf a question without notice is asked.

#### **8. Hansard**

Hansard will continue to report remotely and will not be present on the floor of the House. Please email *Hansard* any speech notes at the conclusion of your speech.

#### **9. Public Gallery**

Other public health and safety measures around Parliament will continue to remain in effect including the temporary closure of the public gallery.

### **5. Ministerial Statement — Mobile Network Hardening Program**

The Minister for Regional Development made a Ministerial Statement with respect to the outcome of round two of the Mobile Network Hardening Program.

### **6. Papers**

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### 7. Mutual Recognition (Western Australia) Amendment Bill 2021

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

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

The President left the Chair.

### In Committee

(Hon Steve Martin in the Chair)

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 2 to 5 agreed to.

Clause 6.

Debate ensued.

The Deputy Chair moved the following Committee recommendation —

Page 6, after line 19 — To insert:

### 7A. Tabling documents relating to scheme reviews

(1) In this section —

***intergovernmental agreement*** means the Intergovernmental Agreement on the Automatic Mutual Recognition of Occupational Registration entered into by the Commonwealth, the States and the Northern Territory on 11 December 2020, as in force from time to time;

***scheme review*** means a review of the operation and effectiveness of the intergovernmental agreement and the Commonwealth Act carried out under clause 12 of the intergovernmental agreement.

(2) Subsection (3) applies if —

- (a) a scheme review is carried out; and
- (b) a report is prepared by the person carrying out the review; and
- (c) the Minister receives the report.

(3) The Minister must cause the report to be laid before each House of Parliament as soon as practicable after the Minister receives the report, but not later than 6 sitting days of the House after the Minister receives it.

- (4) If a report to which subsection (3) applies contains sensitive, confidential or personal information, the Minister may comply with subsection (3) by removing the sensitive, confidential or personal information from the report before causing the document to be laid before each House.

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and negatived.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier moved —

Page 6, after line 19 — To insert:

#### **7A. Tabling documents relating to scheme reviews**

- (1) In this section —  
***intergovernmental agreement*** means the Intergovernmental Agreement on the Automatic Mutual Recognition of Occupational Registration entered into by the Commonwealth, the States and the Northern Territory on 11 December 2020, as in force from time to time;  
***scheme review*** means a review of the operation and effectiveness of the intergovernmental agreement and the Commonwealth Act carried out under clause 12 of the intergovernmental agreement.
- (2) Subsection (3) applies if —
  - (a) a scheme review is carried out; and
  - (b) a report is prepared by the person carrying out the review; and
  - (c) the Minister receives the report.
- (3) The Minister must cause the report to be laid before each House of Parliament as soon as practicable after the Minister receives the report.
- (4) If a report to which subsection (3) applies contains sensitive, confidential or personal information, the Minister may comply with subsection (3) by removing the sensitive, confidential or personal information from the report before causing the document to be laid before each House.

Amendment — put and passed.

Hon Donna Faragher moved the following Committee recommendation —

Page 6, lines 29 to 31 — To delete the lines and insert:

- (2) However, the Governor cannot —
  - (a) make a proclamation under subsection (1) unless a draft of the proclamation has first been approved by a resolution passed by both Houses of Parliament; or
  - (b) fix a day under subsection (1)(b) that is before a day fixed under subsection (1)(c).

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put.

The Committee divided.

**Ayes (8)**

Hon Martin Aldridge  
Hon Peter Collier  
Hon Donna Faragher  
Hon Nick Goiran

Hon James Hayward  
Hon Steve Martin  
Hon Tjorn Sibma  
Hon Colin de Grussa (*Teller*)

**Noes (20)**

Hon Klara Andric  
Hon Dan Caddy  
Hon Sandra Carr  
Hon Stephen Dawson  
Hon Kate Doust  
Hon Sue Ellery  
Hon Peter Foster  
Hon Lorna Harper  
Hon Jackie Jarvis  
Hon Alannah MacTiernan

Hon Kyle McGinn  
Hon Shelley Payne  
Hon Martin Pritchard  
Hon Samantha Rowe  
Hon Rosie Sahanna  
Hon Matthew Swinbourn  
Hon Dr Sally Talbot  
Hon Dr Brian Walker  
Hon Darren West  
Hon Pierre Yang (*Teller*)

Amendment thus negatived.

The Deputy Chair moved the following Committee recommendation —

Page 7, after line 9 — To insert:

- (1A) However, the Governor cannot make a revoking proclamation unless a draft of the revoking proclamation has first been approved by a resolution passed by both Houses of Parliament.

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put.

The Committee divided.

**Ayes (8)**

Hon Peter Collier  
Hon Donna Faragher  
Hon Nick Goiran  
Hon James Hayward

Hon Steve Martin  
Hon Tjorn Sibma  
Hon Dr Steve Thomas  
Hon Colin de Grussa (*Teller*)

**Noes (20)**

Hon Klara Andric  
 Hon Dan Caddy  
 Hon Sandra Carr  
 Hon Stephen Dawson  
 Hon Kate Doust  
 Hon Sue Ellery  
 Hon Peter Foster  
 Hon Lorna Harper  
 Hon Jackie Jarvis  
 Hon Alannah MacTiernan

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 Hon Samantha Rowe  
 Hon Rosie Sahanna  
 Hon Matthew Swinbourn  
 Hon Dr Sally Talbot  
 Hon Dr Brian Walker  
 Hon Darren West  
 Hon Pierre Yang (*Teller*)

Amendment thus negatived.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 7 to 54 agreed to.

New Part 3 Division 14.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier moved —

Page 30, after line 27 — To insert:

**Division 14 — *Veterinary Practice Act 2021* amended**

**55. Act amended**

This Division amends the *Veterinary Practice Act 2021*.

**56. Section 3 amended**

- (1) In section 3 delete the definitions of:

***category***

***corresponding law***

***interstate veterinarian***

***specialty***

- (2) In section 3 insert in alphabetical order:

***category***, in relation to registration, means —

- (a) a category listed in section 5(1); or
- (b) the category of registration as an interstate veterinarian;

***corresponding law*** means a law of another jurisdiction that provides for the registration of veterinarians (however described);

***interstate veterinarian*** means a person registered under section 22(1) as an interstate veterinarian;

***specialty*** means a branch of veterinary medicine that is —

- (a) accredited as a specialty under, or in the manner prescribed by, the regulations; or
  - (b) a specialty (however described) under a corresponding law;
- (3) In section 3 in the definition of **registration** delete paragraph (a) and insert:
  - (a) in relation to a person — means registration under Part 2 as —
    - (i) a WA veterinarian in 1 or more categories of registration listed in section 5(1); or
    - (ii) an interstate veterinarian; or
    - (iii) a veterinary nurse;
  - or
- (4) In section 3 in the definition of **veterinary specialist** delete paragraph (b) and insert:
  - (b) an interstate veterinarian who holds their interstate registration in a specialty;

**57. Section 19 amended**

In section 19 delete "interim registration)" and insert:

interim registration or registration as an interstate veterinarian)

**58. Part 2 Division 4 heading replaced**

Delete the heading to Part 2 Division 4 and insert:

**Division 4 — Interstate veterinarians**

**59. Section 21 amended**

In section 21 delete the definition of **corresponding specialty**.

Note: The heading to amended section 21 is to read:

**Term used: interstate registration**

**60. Section 22 replaced**

Delete section 22 and insert:

**22. Registration as interstate veterinarian**

- (1) A person is registered as an interstate veterinarian if —
  - (a) the person holds interstate registration; and
  - (b) the participating jurisdiction in which the person holds interstate registration is —
    - (i) if the participating jurisdiction is a participating jurisdiction under the *Mutual Recognition Act 1992* (Commonwealth) section 5(4) but is not a pre-adoption State under section 4(1) of that Act — the person's home State under section 42A of that Act for the occupation of carrying out veterinary medicine; or
    - (ii) otherwise — the participating jurisdiction in which the person has their principal place of residence or principal place of work in relation to carrying out veterinary medicine;

and

  - (c) the person practises veterinary medicine in this State.
- (2) Subject to section 26, it is a condition of registration under subsection (1) that the person must not carry out an act of veterinary medicine in this State unless the law of the participating jurisdiction in which they hold interstate registration authorises or permits the person to carry out that act in that jurisdiction.

**61. Section 24 amended**

In section 24(1)(c) delete "section 27" and insert:

section 22(2) or 27

**62. Section 26 amended**

Delete section 26(1) and insert:

- (1) The Board may, if it considers there are reasonable grounds for doing so —
  - (a) in relation to the condition referred to in section 22(2) —
    - (i) modify the condition to authorise the person to carry out an act of veterinary medicine that they would otherwise be prohibited from carrying out under the condition; or
    - (ii) remove the condition;

or

- (b) otherwise — modify or remove another condition imposed on the registration of a person.

**63. Section 54 amended**

In section 54:

- (a) delete paragraph (b) and insert:
  - (b) if the person holds interstate registration in a particular specialty — that specialty;
- (b) in paragraph (c) delete “is registered (however described);” and insert:
  - holds interstate registration;

**64. Section 65 amended**

- (1) After section 65(3)(b) insert:

- (ba) in the case of an interstate veterinarian — are permitted to be used in connection with the practice of veterinary medicine by the interstate veterinarian in the participating jurisdiction in which they hold interstate registration; or

- (2) After section 65(4)(b) insert:

- (ba) if the person employed or engaged in the veterinary practice business is an interstate veterinarian — are permitted to be used in connection with the practice of veterinary medicine by the interstate veterinarian in the participating jurisdiction in which they hold interstate registration; or

**65. Section 79 amended**

In section 79(b) delete “WA”.

**66. Section 112 amended**

In section 112(b) delete “granted under Part 2 or 3”.

New Part — put and passed.

Title agreed to.

The Acting President resumed the Chair.

Bill reported with amendments.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier, by leave, moved, That the report be adopted.  
Report adopted.

Ordered — That the third reading of the Bill be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting.

**8. Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Bill 2021 and Legal Profession Uniform Law Application (Levy) Bill 2021**

The Orders of the Day for the consideration of these Bills, in Committee of the Whole House, having been read.

The Acting President left the Chair.

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(Hon Steve Martin in the Chair)

***Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Bill 2021***

Clause 1.

Debate ensued.

**9. Questions Without Notice**

Questions without notice were taken.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* a breakdown of funding for level two of the COVID-19 Business Assistance Package, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to applications received for support under the Safe Transition Industry Support Package, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas.

The Leader of the House representing the Premier; Minister for Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations tabled documents in relation to permanent FTE annual salaries of agencies and departments within the Ministers portfolio, in response to question on notice 514 asked by Hon Tjorn Sibma. (Tabled Paper 1120).

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Environment tabled Quokka, Carnaby's and Forest Black Cockatoos Recovery Plans, in response to question on notice 530 asked by Hon Dr Brad Pettitt. (Tabled Paper 1121).

The Minister for Regional Development representing the Minister for Forestry, by leave, incorporated into *Hansard* information in relation to individual customer volumes of sawmills with current Forest Products Commission contracts, in response to a question without notice asked by Hon Dr Steve Thomas.

**10. Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Bill 2021 and Legal Profession Uniform Law Application (Levy) Bill 2021**

Resumption of consideration of this Bill in Committee of the Whole House (*see item 8 above*).

The President left the Chair.

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**In Committee**

(Hon Jackie Jarvis in the Chair)

***Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Bill 2021***

Clause 1.

Debate resumed.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled a flowchart in relation to amending a uniform law. (Tabled Paper 1122).

Debate resumed.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 2.

Debate ensued.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General moved —

Page 2, after line 7 — To insert:

(aa) section 356B(2) —

- (i) if the *Industrial Relations Legislation Amendment Act 2021* section 69 comes into operation on or before the day fixed under paragraph (b) — on the day fixed under paragraph (b); or
- (ii) otherwise — immediately after the *Industrial Relations Legislation Amendment Act 2021* section 69 comes into operation;

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and passed.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 3 and 4 agreed to.

Clause 5.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 6.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 7 agreed to.

Clause 8.

Debate ensued.

The Chair of Committees moved the following Committee recommendation —

Page 8, line 19 — To delete "Assent." and insert:

Assent and upon being laid before each House is taken to be published under this Act.

Debate ensued.

Amendment — put and negatived.

Question, That the clause stand as printed — put and passed.

Clause 9.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 10 agreed to.

New Clause 10A.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General moved —

Page 10, after line 12 — To insert:

**10A. Tabling of amending Act taken to be publication for Standing Orders**

(1) In this section —

***parliamentary committee*** means a committee established by either or both of the Houses of Parliament.

(2) If a Standing Order of a House of Parliament provides that on the publication of an instrument under a written law the instrument is referred to a parliamentary committee for consideration, the laying of an amending Act before the House under section 8 is taken to be publication of the amending Act for the purposes of the Standing Order.

(3) This section does not apply if the Standing Orders of the House provide specifically for an amending Act to be considered by a parliamentary committee.

Debate ensued.

New Clause — put and passed.

Clause 11 agreed to.

Clause 12.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 13 agreed to.

Clause 14.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 15 to 28 agreed to.

Clause 29.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 30 and 31 agreed to.

Clause 32.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 33 agreed to.

Clause 34.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 35 and 36 agreed to.

Clause 37.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 38 to 54 agreed to.

Clause 55.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 56.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 57 to 81 agreed to.

Clause 82.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 83 to 99 agreed to.

Clause 100.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clause 101 agreed to.

Clause 102.

Debate ensued.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 103 to 111 agreed to.

Clause 112.

Debate ensued.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled a flowchart entitled *Amending the Uniform General Rules under the Uniform Law*. (Tabled Paper 1123).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-246]. (Tabled Paper 1124).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Admission Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-240]. (Tabled Paper 1125).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Conduct (Barristers) Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-243]. (Tabled Paper 1126).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Continuing Professional Development (Barristers) Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-241]. (Tabled Paper 1127).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Continuing Professional Development (Solicitors) Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-242]. (Tabled Paper 1128).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Law Australian Solicitors' Conduct Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-244]. (Tabled Paper 1129).

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Attorney General tabled the Legal Profession Uniform Legal Practice (Solicitors) Rules 2015 (New South Wales) [2015-245]. (Tabled Paper 1130).

Debate resumed.

Clause agreed to.

*Interruption pursuant to order.*

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The President resumed the Chair.

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

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

## **11. Members' Statements**

Statements were taken.

## **12. Animal Resources Authority Amendment and Repeal Bill 2021**

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 51 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

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

The Minister for Emergency Services representing the Minister for Science tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 1131).

Debate stands adjourned.

## **13. Small Business Development Corporation Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Bill 2022**

The President reported the receipt of Message No. 52 from the Legislative Assembly forwarding the Bill for concurrence.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Small Business moved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Question — put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Small Business moved, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Small Business tabled an Explanatory Memorandum relating to the Bill. (Tabled Paper 1132).

Debate stands adjourned.

**14. Adjournment**

The Council adjourned at 10.22pm until Wednesday, 16 March 2022 at 1.00pm.

**Members present during the day's proceedings**

Attendance: Present all Members except Hon Ayor Makur Chuot, Hon Sophia Moermond (*suspended*) and Hon Stephen Pratt.

**SAM HASTINGS**

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Council

**HON ALANNA CLOHESY MLC**

President of the Legislative Council