

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 168

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-FIRST PARLIAMENT

TUESDAY, 12 MARCH 2024

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 1.00 pm pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

2. Speaker's Statement – Acting Speaker

The Speaker advised that the member for Cockburn had been released from the office of Acting Speaker and that she had appointed the member for Rockingham as an Acting Speaker for the remainder of the present session.

3. Petition

Indian Ocean Drive in the town site of Leeman – Mr R.S. Love presented a petition from 252 people asking the Legislative Assembly to recommend support for both reducing the speed limit and the installation of slip lanes on Indian Ocean Drive within the Leeman town site (P. 51).

4. Messages from the Governor

Messages from His Excellency the Governor were reported recommending that appropriations be made for the purposes of the following bills –

Firearms Bill 2024 (Message No. 3).

Short-Term Rental Accommodation Bill 2024 (Message No. 4).

Petroleum Legislation Amendment Bill 2023 (Message No. 5).

5. Message from the Governor

Message No. 6 from His Excellency the Governor was reported assenting to the following bills –

Electricity Industry Amendment (Distributed Energy Resources) Bill 2023, Act No. 1 of 2024.

Perth Parking Management Bill 2023, Act No. 2 of 2024.

Perth Parking Management Amendment Bill 2023, Act No. 3 of 2024.

6. Messages from the Legislative Council

Messages from the Legislative Council were reported returning the following bills without amendment –

27 February 2024

Electricity Industry Amendment (Distributed Energy Resources) Bill 2023 (Message No. 120).

28 February 2024

Perth Parking Management Bill 2023 (Message No. 121).

Perth Parking Management Amendment Bill 2023 (Message No. 122).

7. Papers

The following papers were presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Clerk –

CBH Group – Annual Report 2023 (2659).

Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) Enforcement Act 1996 – Codes (Guidelines for the Classification of Computer Games 2023 G.G. 05/03/2024) (2660).

Coal Miners' Welfare Act 1947 – Regulations (Coal Miners' Welfare Amendment Regulations 2024) (2661).

Community Development and Justice Standing Committee – Government Response to Report No. 5 – Seeking Justice: Improving options for survivors of institutional child abuse; Volume 1: Legislative and high-level administrative matters (2662).

Criminal Procedure Act 2004; Fines, Penalties and Infringement Notices Enforcement Act 1994 – Regulations (Attorney General Regulations Amendment (Workers Compensation) Regulations (No. 2) 2024) (2663).

Dangerous Goods Safety Act 2004 – Regulations (Dangerous Goods Safety (Road and Rail Transport of Non-explosives) Amendment Regulations 2024) (2664).

District Court of Western Australia Act 1969 – Regulations (District Court (Fees) Amendment Regulations 2024) (2665).

Electricity Industry Act 2004 – Wholesale Electricity Market Amendment (Reserve Capacity Reform) Rules 2023 (2666).

Energy, Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety, Department of – Energy Safety Business Plan 2024–2025 (2667).

Fish Resources Management Act 1994 – Management Plans (West Coast Deep Sea Crustacean Managed Fishery Management Plan Amendment 2024 G.G. 20/02/2024) (2668).

Fish Resources Management Act 1994 – Orders (Prohibition on Taking Southern Garfish (Perth Metropolitan Waters) Revocation Order 2024 G.G. 27/02/2024) (2669).

Government Trading Enterprises Act 2023 – Ministerial Direction under section 108 of the Act in relation to outage payments (2670).

Government Trading Enterprises Act 2023 – Regulations (Government Trading Enterprises Amendment Regulations 2024) (2671).

Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1911; Health and Disability Services (Complaints) Act 1995; Public Health Act 2016 – Regulations (Health Regulations Amendment (Abortion Legislation Reform) Regulations 2024) (2672).

Human Tissue and Transplant Act 1982 – Codes (Supply of Processed Donor Human Milk in Western Australia – Code of Practice 2024 G.G. 19/02/2024) (2673).

Industrial Relations Act 1979 – Regulations (Industrial Relations (General) Amendment Regulations 2024) (2674).

Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission – Government Response to Report No. 11 – What happens next? Beyond a finding of misconduct (2675).

Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission – Minister for Police response to Report No. 10 – Annual Report 2022–23 (2676).

Liquor Control Act 1988 – Regulations (Racing and Gaming Regulations Amendment (Liquor Control) Regulations 2024) (2677).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (City of Bunbury Parking Amendment Local Law 2023 G.G. 20/02/2024) (2678).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (City of Nedlands Dogs Local Law 2023 G.G. 20/02/2024) (2679).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale Cat Local Law 2023 G.G. 23/02/2024) (2680).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (Shire of Serpentine Jarrahdale Dogs Local Law 2023 G.G. 23/02/2024) (2681).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (Shire of West Arthur Animals, Environment and Nuisance Local Law 2024 G.G. 08/03/2024) (2682).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (Shire of Williams Cats Local Law 2024 G.G. 23/02/2024) (2683).

Mental Health Act 2014 – Regulations (Mental Health Amendment Regulations 2024) (2684).

Metropolitan Redevelopment Authority Act 2011; Strata Titles Act 1985 – Regulations (Lands Regulations Amendment Regulations 2024) (2685).

Motor Vehicle Dealers Act 1973 – Regulations (Motor Vehicle Dealers (Sales) Amendment Regulations 2024) (2686).

Planning and Development Act 2005 – Regulations (Planning and Development (Development Assessment Panels) Amendment Regulations 2024) (2687).

Planning and Development Act 2005 – Regulations (Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Amendment Regulations 2024) (2688).

Planning and Development Act 2005 – Regulations (Planning and Development (Planning Codes) Regulations 2024) (2689).

Planning and Development Act 2005 – Regulations (Planning and Development (Significant Development) Regulations 2024) (2690).

Planning and Development Act 2005 – Regulations (Planning and Development (State Planning Policies) Regulations 2024) (2691).

Professional Standards Act 1997 – Schemes (The Law Society of Western Australia Professional Standards Scheme (2024) G.G. 08/03/2024) (2692).

Professional Standards Act 1997 – Schemes (The Victorian Bar Professional Standards Scheme (Extension) G.G. 23/02/2024) (2693).

Swan Valley Planning Act 2020 – Regulations (Swan Valley Planning Regulations 2024) (2694).

8. Notice of Motion

9. Removal of Order of the Day

The Speaker advised that Government Business Order of the Day, Crime and Crucial Services, had not been debated for more than 12 calendar months and had been removed from the Notice Paper.

10. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Culture and the Arts on the death of Andre Steyl.

The Minister for Sport and Recreation on the Western Australian Institute of Sport Annual Awards of Excellence and the 2023 SportWest Awards.

The Attorney General on the Family Violence Restraining Order Conferencing.

The Minister for Veterans Issues on the Veterans' Transition Centre in Jarrahdale.

The Minister for Education on public school infrastructure upgrades.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Minister for Education –

Education, Minister for – List of new or upgraded STEM facilities at 33 public schools in Western Australia (2696).

The Minister for Planning on the revised Residential Design Codes Volume 1.

The Minister for Road Safety on the 'Streets Alive' initiative and funding, over five years, to the Town Team Movement.

11. Petroleum Legislation Amendment Bill 2023

Petroleum and Geothermal Energy Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2023

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bills was read.

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Ms M.J. Davies speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

12. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 993 to 1004 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 953 to 969, 971, 973 to 975 and 980 were answered.

Paper tabled by the Premier; Minister for State and Industry Development, Jobs and Trade; Public Sector Management; Federal-State Relations –

Question on Notice No. 962 – How long each office in Invest and Trade in Western Australia has been operational (2695).

13. Additional Information

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance provided additional information relating to Question on Notice No. 875 from Dr D.J. Honey.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance –

Finance, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for– Question on Notice No. 875, amended answer (2697).

14. Matter of Public Interest – WA Police Force

The Speaker informed the Assembly that she was in receipt of a notice from Ms L. Mettam that she intended to move a motion on a matter of public interest.

At least five members having risen in support,

Ms L. Mettam moved,

That this House condemns the Minister for Police for his refusal to accept there is plummeting morale amongst WA Police, and for overseeing an exodus of police leaving the force.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (6)

Ms M. Beard
Dr D.J. Honey

Mr R.S. Love
Ms L. Mettam

Mr P.J. Rundle
Ms M.J. Davies (*Teller*)

Noes (46)

Mr S.N. Aubrey
Mr G. Baker
Ms L.L. Baker
Ms H.M. Beazley
Dr A.D. Buti
Mr J.N. Carey
Mrs R.M.J. Clarke
Ms C.M. Collins
Mr R.H. Cook
Ms L. Dalton
Ms D.G. D'Anna
Mr M.J. Folkard
Ms K.E. Giddens
Ms E.L. Hamilton
Ms M.J. Hammat
Ms J.L. Hanns

Mr T.J. Healy
Mr M. Hughes
Mr W.J. Johnston
Mr H.T. Jones
Mr D.J. Kelly
Ms E.J. Kelsbie
Ms A.E. Kent
Dr J. Krishnan
Mr P. Lilburne
Ms S.F. McGurk
Mr D.R. Michael
Mr K.J.J. Michel
Mr S.A. Millman
Mr Y. Mubarakai
Mrs L.M. O'Malley
Mr P. Papalia

Mr S.J. Price
Mr D.T. Punch
Mr J.R. Quigley
Ms M.M. Quirk
Ms R. Saffioti
Ms A. Sanderson
Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
Dr K. Stratton
Mr D.A. Templeman
Mr P.C. Tinley
Ms C.M. Tonkin
Mr R.R. Whitby
Ms S.E. Winton
Ms C.M. Rowe (*Teller*)

Question thus negatived.

15. Messages from the Legislative Council

Messages from the Legislative Council were reported returning the following bills without amendment –

12 March 2024

Casino (Burswood Island) Agreement Amendment Bill 2023 (Message No. 123).
Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Amendment Bill 2023 (Message No. 124).

16. Variation to the Order of Business

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

17. Petroleum Legislation Amendment Bill 2023

Petroleum and Geothermal Energy Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2023

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bills was read.

Debate resumed.

Petroleum Legislation Amendment Bill 2023 read a second time.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 to 33 agreed to.

Clause 34.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 28, after line 10 — To insert:

- (2) Delete section 70(3)(c) and insert:

- (c) an authorisation referred to in section 67(2); and

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 34, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 35 to 38 agreed to.

Clause 39.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 33, after line 8 — To insert:

86AA. Term used: registered holder

In this Division —

registered holder, in relation to a title referred to in section 86A(2)(g), (n) or (o), means the person who holds the title.

Note for this definition:

In relation to the other titles referred to in section 86A(2), see the definition of **registered holder** in section 5(1).

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 39, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 40 to 43 agreed to.

Clause 44.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 37, after line 19 — To insert:

renewed, in the case of a petroleum drilling reservation, means extended.

Page 37, line 20 to page 38, line 5 — To delete the lines and substitute:

- (2) Subsections (3) and (3A) apply if, on its grant, a petroleum title includes an approval for the purposes of section 38(3)(a), 43D(1B)(a), 48C(1B)(a), 62(3)(a), 105(4AA)(a) or 106(5AA)(a).
- (3) If the petroleum title is renewed, the approval must be included in the petroleum title as renewed.
- (3A) The conditions which the Minister may impose on the petroleum title on its grant or renewal include conditions for purposes related to the approval or to anything that is authorised by virtue of the approval.

Page 38, lines 16 to 20 — To delete the lines and substitute:

- (6) If the petroleum title is renewed —
 - (a) the approval applies in relation to the petroleum title as renewed; and
 - (b) the conditions which the Minister may impose on the petroleum title on its renewal include conditions for purposes related to the approval or to anything that is authorised by virtue of the approval.
- (6A) The approval applies in relation to the petroleum title, or to the petroleum title as renewed, despite any change in the registered holder.

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 44, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 45 to 66 agreed to.

Clause 67.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 53, after line 3 — To insert:

- (ca) section 70(3)(c);

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 67, as amended, agreed to.

Clause 68 agreed to.

Clause 69.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 60, 1st column, 2nd row — To delete “s. 52(1), (3)(a) and (b)” and substitute:

s. 52(1) and (3)(b)

Page 61, 3rd column, 2nd row — To delete “that” and substitute:

for

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 69, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 70 to 106 agreed to.

Clause 107.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 119, after line 5 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Page 119, after line 18 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 107, as amended, agreed to.

Clause 108.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 123, after line 21 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Page 124, after line 4 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 108, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 109 to 110 agreed to.

Clause 111.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 129, lines 14 and 15 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Page 129, lines 18 and 19 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Page 129, lines 22 and 23 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Page 129, line 32 and page 130, line 1 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 111, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 112 to 122 agreed to.

Clause 123.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 144, after line 6 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Page 144, after line 17 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 123, as amended, agreed to.

Clause 124.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 145, after line 30 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Page 146, after line 10 — To insert:

(ia) a GHG drilling reservation;

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 124, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 125 to 130 agreed to.

Clause 131.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 152, after line 31 — To insert:

(aa) delete “50A” and insert:

50A(1)

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 131, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 132 to 148 agreed to.

Clause 149.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 194, lines 5 to 10 — To delete the lines and substitute:

- (a) all petroleum operations;
- (b) all geothermal energy operations;

Page 194, line 21 — To delete “(2) and (2a)” and substitute:

(2), (2a) and (3)

Page 198, lines 12 to 14 — To delete “petroleum exploration operations, geothermal exploration operations or GHG exploration operations, as the case requires,” and substitute:

operations authorised by the special prospecting authority or access authority

Page 198, line 18 — To delete “exploration”.

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 149, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 150 to 152 agreed to.

Clause 153.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 201, after line 22 — To insert:

(1A) In section 106(1a):

- (a) delete “petroleum title outside the State” and insert:

national petroleum title

- (b) delete “that petroleum” and insert:

that national petroleum

(1B) In section 106(1c):

- (a) delete “geothermal title outside the State” and insert:

national geothermal title

(b) delete “that geothermal” and insert:

that national geothermal

Page 201, line 33 — To insert after “operations”:

related to the GHG operations carried on

Page 202, line 3 — To delete “outside the State”.

Page 202, line 6 — To insert after “operations”:

related to the operation carried on

Page 205, line 11 — To insert after “grant”:

or variation, as the case may be,

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 153, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 154 to 235 agreed to.

Clause 236.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 260, after line 10 — To insert:

74AAA. Term used: registered holder

In this Division —

registered holder, in relation to a title referred to in section 74A(2)(h), means the person who holds the title.

Note for this definition:

In relation to the other titles referred to in section 74A(2), see the definition of **registered holder** in section 4(1).

Page 260, line 17 — To delete the line and substitute:

operations that are equivalent to petroleum operations (whether carried out in an area that is equivalent to the adjacent area or otherwise);

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 236, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 237 to 241 agreed to.

Clause 242.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 268, lines 1 to 11 — To delete the lines and substitute:

- (2) Subsections (3) and (3A) apply if, on its grant, a title includes an approval for the purposes of section 28(2)(a), 38C(2)(a), 52(2)(a), 111(4A)(a) or 112(5AA)(a).
- (3) If the title is renewed, the approval must be included in the title as renewed.
- (3A) The conditions which the Minister may impose on the title on its grant or renewal include conditions for purposes related to the approval or to anything that is authorised by virtue of the approval.

Page 268, lines 22 to 25 — To delete the lines and substitute:

- (5A) If the title is renewed —
 - (a) the approval applies in relation to the title as renewed; and
 - (b) the conditions which the Minister may impose on the title on its renewal include conditions for purposes related to the approval or to anything that is authorised by virtue of the approval.
- (6) The approval applies in relation to the title, or to the title as renewed, despite any change in the registered holder.

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 242, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 243 to 259 agreed to.

Clause 260.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 284, 1st column, 3rd row — To delete “s. 126(1)(a)(i) and (ii)” and substitute:

s. 126(1)(a)(ii)

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 260, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 261 to 270 agreed to.

Clause 271.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 315, after line 17 — To insert:

(aa) in paragraph (b) delete “Part.” and insert:

Act.

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 271, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 272 to 291 agreed to.

Clause 292.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 336, lines 11 to 16 — To delete the lines.

Page 337, line 20 — To delete “38BC(1), (2) or (3)” and substitute:

38BC(1) or (2)

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 292, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 293 to 295 agreed to.

Clause 296.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 346, lines 18 and 19 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Page 346, lines 22 and 23 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Page 346, lines 26 and 27 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Page 347, lines 4 and 5 — To delete “the identified GHG storage” and substitute:

a geological

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 296, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 297 to 303 agreed to.

Clause 304.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 355, line 24 — To delete the line and substitute:

In section 39:

(a) in paragraph (a) before “licence; or” insert:

petroleum production

(b) in paragraph (b) delete “Part.” and insert:

Act.

(c) delete the Penalty and insert:

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 304, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 305 to 314 agreed to.

Clause 315.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 368, after line 5 — To insert:

(aa) delete “40A” and insert:

40A(1)

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 315, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 316 to 332 agreed to.

Clause 333.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 403, line 21 — To delete “GHG injection” and substitute:

petroleum production

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 333, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 334 to 341 agreed to.

Clause 342.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 439, lines 17 and 18 — To delete the lines and substitute:

(a) all petroleum operations;

Page 440, line 15 — To insert after “petroleum,”:

a regulated substance,

Page 441, line 7 — To delete “petroleum” and substitute:

petroleum, a regulated substance

Page 442, lines 8 and 9 — To delete “petroleum operations or GHG exploration operations, as the case requires,” and substitute:

operations authorised by the special prospecting authority or access authority

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 342, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 343 to 346 agreed to.

Clause 347.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 446, line 31 and page 447, line 1 — To delete “the GHG operations” and substitute:

the operation

Page 449, line 31 — To insert after “grant”:

or variation, as the case may be,

Amendments put and passed.

Clause 347, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 348 to 354 agreed to.

Clause 355.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 453, line 29 — To delete “permit, petroleum lease or petroleum” and substitute:

exploration permit, petroleum retention lease or petroleum production

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 355, as amended, agreed to.
Clauses 356 to 389 agreed to.
New Part 5 Division 5A.
The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 476, after line 26 — To insert:

Division 5A — *Gas Supply (Gas Quality Specifications) Act 2009* amended

389A. Act amended

This Division amends the *Gas Supply (Gas Quality Specifications) Act 2009*.

389B. Section 3 amended

- (1) In section 3(1) in the definition of **gas producer** paragraph (b) delete “production licence for petroleum” and insert:

licence, other than an infrastructure licence or pipeline licence,
- (2) In section 3(1) in the definition of **gas producer** paragraph (b) delete “licence, other than an infrastructure licence or pipeline licence,” and insert:

petroleum production licence
- (3) In section 3(1) in the definition of **pipeline** delete “all of the definition from and including “but does not include”” and insert:

paragraph (b) of the definition

New Part 5 Division 5A agreed to.
Clauses 390 to 417 agreed to.
New Part 5 Division 10A.
The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 488, after line 8 — To insert:

Division 10A — *Petroleum Titles (Browse Basin) Act 2014* amended

417A. Act amended

This Division amends the *Petroleum Titles (Browse Basin) Act 2014*.

417B. Section 6 amended

- (1) In section 6(3) delete “an exploration permit for petroleum” and insert:

a permit

- (2) In section 6(3) before “permit” (2nd occurrence) insert:

petroleum exploration

417C. Section 8 amended

- (1) In section 8(3) delete “an exploration permit for petroleum” and insert:

a permit

- (2) In section 8(3) before “permit” (2nd occurrence) insert:

petroleum exploration

New Part 5 Division 10A agreed to.

Clause 418 agreed to.

Clause 419.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 489, line 22 — To insert after “*geothermal*”:

energy

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 419, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 420 to 431 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

Ordered, That the third reading of the bill be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting of the Assembly.

18. Petroleum and Geothermal Energy Safety Levies Amendment Bill 2023

The Order of the Day for the second reading of the bill was read.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 to 8 agreed to.

Clause 9.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved,

Page 6, after line 24 — To insert:

- (g) an infrastructure licence granted under the *Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage (Submerged Lands) Act 1982* if the infrastructure facilities are for engaging in any of the activities mentioned in section 6B(3) of that Act;

Amendment put and passed.

Clause 9, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 10 to 16 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

Ordered, That the third reading of the bill be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting of the Assembly.

19. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.45 pm until Wednesday, 13 March 2024 at 12.00 noon.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mrs M.R. Marshall, Mr D.A.E. Scaife and Mr C.J. Tallentire.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHELLE H. ROBERTS
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly