





2010

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

REPORT

OF

# ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B

#### FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

The Estimates Committee has considered and recommended the Appropriation for the following Divisions of the Estimates of Expenditure under the Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2010-11 Bill 2010 and the Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Capital Bill 2010 -

> Division Nos 7; 9, Items 31 and 126; 18 to 36; 38 to 39; 43 to 45; 47 to 56; and

> > 61 to 71.

PETER WATSON, MLA

TO ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B



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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

## **MINUTES**

OF

# **ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B**

# **TUESDAY, 1 JUNE 2010**

### **CHAIRMEN:**

	From	To
Mr P.B. Watson	9.00 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
Mrs L.M. Harvey	10.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	11.00 a.m.	12.00 p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis	12.00 p.m.	1.00 p.m.
Mrs L.M. Harvey	2.00 p.m.	3.00p.m.
Mr P.B. Watson	3.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.
Ms L.L. Baker	4.00 p.m.	5.00 p.m.
Mr A.P. O'Gorman	5.00 p.m.	6.00p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis	7.00 p.m.	8.00 p.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	8.00 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Mr P.B. Watson	9.00 p.m.	10.00p.m.

### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

	From	To
Mr C. J. Porter (Minister)	9.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
Mr F.A. Alban	9.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
Mr P.T. Miles	9.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
Mr J.R. Quigley	9.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
Mr P. Papalia	9.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
Mrs C.A. Martin	9.00 a.m.	3.00 p.m.
Dr G.G. Jacobs (Minister)	3.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Mr I.C. Blayney	3.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.
Mr J.E. McGrath	3.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Mr M.J. Cowper	3.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.
Mr F.M. Logan	3.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Mr D.A. Templeman	3.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Mr C.J. Tallentire	3.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Dr M.D. Nahan	7.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.
Ms M.M. Quirk	7.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.

	From	To
Mr P.C. Tinley	7.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.
Mr J.C. Kobelke	7.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.
Mr R.F. Johnson (Minister)	7.00 p.m.	10.00 p.m.

#### 1. Meeting of the Committee

The Committee met at 9.00 a.m. in the Legislative Council Chamber.

Mr P.B. Watson took the Chair.

2. Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2010–11 Bill 2010 and Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Capital 2010–11 Bill 2010 - Estimates of Expenditure for Year Ending 30 June 2011.

The Committee considered the Estimates.

The Attorney General, Minister for Corrective Services.

Division 48 – Attorney General.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 49 – Corruption and Crime Commission.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Committee suspended at 10.52a.m. to 11.05 a.m.

Division 50 – Commissioner for Equal Opportunity.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 51 – Law Reform Commission of Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

Division 52 – Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 53 – Commissioner for Children and Young People.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 54 – Office of the Information Commissioner.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 55– Corrective Services.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 56 - Office of the Inspector of Custodial Services.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 7 – Parliamentary Inspector of the Corruption and Crime Commission.

Appropriation recommended.

### The Minister representing the Minister for the Environment

Division 67 – Environment and Conservation

Debate ensued.

Division postponed until later stage of the sitting.

Division 71 - Zoological Parks Authority

Division 67 - Environment and Conservation

Consideration resumed.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 70 - Swan River Trust.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 69 – Office of the Environmental Protection Authority.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 68 – Botanic Gardens and Parks Authority.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Minister for Police, Emergency Services, Road Safety.

Division 39 – Fire and Emergency Services Authority of Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended

Division 38 – Western Australia Police.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended

Division 35 - Service 7 - Commissioner of Main Roads, Office of Road Safety.

Debate ensued.

# 3. Adjournment.

The Committee adjourned at 10.00 p.m., until Wednesday, 2 June 2010 at 9.00 a.m.

PETER WATSON, MLA

CHAIRMAN TO ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B

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CLERK TO ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

## **MINUTES**

OF

# **ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B**

# WEDNESDAY, 2 JUNE 2010

## **CHAIRPERSONS:**

	From	To
Mr M W Sutherland	9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Ms L.L. Baker	10:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	11:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mrs L.M. Harvey	12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Mr A.P. O'Gorman	2:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis	3:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Mr A.P. O'Gorman	4:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	5:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis	7:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Mr P.B. Watson	8:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.

### MEMBERS PRESENT:

	From	To
Dr M.D. Nahan	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr J.H.D. Day	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr P.T. Miles	9:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
Mr M. McGowan	9:00 a.m.	11:00a.m.
Mr C.J. Tallentire	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr J.N. Hyde	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr A.J. Simpson	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Ms M.M. Quirk	11:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr V.A. Catania	12:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Mr M.P. Murray	12:00 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Mr B.J. Grylls (Minister)	12:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Mr M. McGowan	12:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Ms A.J.G. MacTiernan	12:15 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Mr I.C. Blayney	12:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Mr T.G. Stephens	12:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Dr M.D. Nahan	2:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
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	From	To
Mr P.B. Watson	4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Mr F.A. Alban	4:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Mr C.J. Tallentire	5:00 p.m.	8:30 p.m.
Mr D.T. Redman (Minister)	5:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Mr M.P. Murray	5:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Mr A.J. Simpson	7:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Mr M.J. Cowper	7:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	8:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Ms A.J.G. MacTiernan	8:30 p.m.	9:00 p.m.

### 1. Meeting of the Committee

The Committee met at 9.00 a.m. in the Legislative Council Chamber.

Mr M W Sutherland took the Chair.

2. Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2010-11 Bill 2010 and Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Capital 2010-11 Bill 2010 - Estimates of Expenditure for Year Ending 30 June 2011.

The Committee further considered the Estimates.

## Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts.

Division 43 – Planning.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

[Committee suspended 10:30 a.m. to 10:41 a.m.]

Division 44 – Western Australian Planning Commission.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 45 – Culture and the Arts.

Debate ensued.

Minister for Regional Development; Lands; Minister Assisting the Minister for State Development.

Division 18 – Regional Development and Lands.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

[Committee suspended 3:48 p.m. to 3:55 p.m.]

Division 19 – Gascoyne Development Commission.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 20 – Goldfields-Esperance Development Commission.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 21 - Great Southern Development Corporation.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 22 – Kimberley Development Corporation.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 23 – Mid West Development Corporation.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 24 – Peel Development Corporation.

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# THURSDAY, 3 JUNE 2010

## **CHAIRPERSONS:**

	From	To
Mr M W Sutherland	9.00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Mr A.P. O'Gorman	10:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	11:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis	12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Ms L.L. Baker	2:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Mr P.B. Watson	3:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Mrs L.M. Harvey	4:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Mr A.P. O'Gorman	5:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis	7:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Ms L.L. Baker	8:00 p.m.	8:50 p.m.
Mr M.W. Sutherland	8:50 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
Mr J.M. Francis Ms L.L. Baker Mr P.B. Watson Mrs L.M. Harvey Mr A.P. O'Gorman Mr J.M. Francis Ms L.L. Baker	12:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	1:00 p 3:00 p 4:00 p 5:00 p 6:00 p 8:00 p 8:50 p

### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

	From	To
Dr E Constable (Minister)	9.00 a.m.	3:00 p.m.
Mr P. Abetz	9:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
Ms A.R. Mitchell	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr A.J. Simpson	9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Mrs M.H. Roberts	9:00 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr D.A. Templeman	9:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Ms A.J.G. MacTiernan	9:00 a.m.	10:40 a.m.
Ms M.M. Quirk	10:40 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Mr I.C. Blayney	10:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
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Mr A.J. Simpson	2:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
Mr F.A. Alban	2:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
Mr R.H. Cook	2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
Mr J.N. Hyde	2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.

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	From	To
Mr M.J. Cowper (Parliamentary	3:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Secretary)	_	-
Ms R. Saffioti	3:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Mr W.J. Johnston	3:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Mr C.J. Tallentire	3:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Mr I.C. Blayney	5:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Ms A.J.G. MacTiernan	5:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Mr J.N. Hyde	5:30 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
Mr G.M. Castrilli (Minister)	7:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
Mr A.P. Jacob	7:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
Mr P. Papalia	7:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
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The Committee further considered the Estimates.

Minister for Education; Tourism.

Division 29 – Education.

Debate ensued.

[Committee suspended 11:00 a.m. to 11:10 a.m.]

Appropriation recommended.

Division 30 – Education Services.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 31 – Curriculum Council.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

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Division 32 – Country High School Hostels Authority.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 33 – Western Australian Tourism Commission.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Minister representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development.

Division 47 – Training and Workforce Development.

Appropriation recommended.

Minister for Tourism.

Rottnest Island Authority.

Debate ensued.

Consideration concluded.

Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister Transport.

Division 34 Transport.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 35, Services 1 to 6 - Commissioner for Main Roads.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 36 - Public Transport Authority

Debate ensued.

Geraldton Port Authority.

Debate ensued.

Consideration concluded.

Minister for Local Government, Heritage.

Division 61 - Local Government.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 62 - Heritage Council of Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

Division 63 - National Trust of Australia (WA).

Debate ensued.

Appropriation recommended.

## 3. Adjournment.

The Committee adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

PETER WATSON, MLA

CHAIRMAN TO ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B

CLERK TO ESTIMATES COMMITTEE B

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