

SELECT COMMITTEE INTO FISHERIES

Notice of Motion

Hon Murray Criddle gave notice that at the next sitting of the house he will move -

- (1) That a select committee of three members is appointed, any two of whom constitute a quorum, to inquire and report on the effectiveness of the Fish Resources Management Act 1994 in conserving, developing and sharing the fish resources of the state for the benefit of present and future generations and including the ability -
 - (a) to conserve fish and to protect their environment;
 - (b) to ensure that the exploitation of fish resources is carried out in a sustainable manner;
 - (c) to enable the management of fishing and associated industries, aquatic ecotourism and other tourism reliant on fishing;
 - (d) to foster the development of commercial and recreational fishing for community or commercial purposes;
 - (e) to achieve the optimum economic, social and other benefits from the use of fish resources;
 - (f) to enable the allocation of fish resources between users of those resources;
 - (h) to enable the management of fish habitat protection areas and the Abrolhos Islands reserve.
- (2) The committee have power to send for persons, papers and records and to travel from place to place.

Standing orders 322, 323, 330 and 331 apply to the proceedings of the committee and any contrary or inconsistent provision of chapter XXIII is modified accordingly.
- (3) The committee may present interim reports without a requirement for leave and is to report finally not later than 24 November 2005.