

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 101

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT

TUESDAY, 16 SEPTEMBER 2014

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 2.00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Acting Minister for Police on the raising of the National Terrorism Public Alert level from medium to high.

The Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests on the Western Australian Chinese Chamber of Commerce Annual Gala Ball 2014.

The Minister for Local Government on the dismissal of the Council of the City of Canning.

3. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 2549, 2670 to 2677, 2679 to 2682, 2687, 2688, 2691, 2693 to 2699, 2704 to 2711, 2714 to 2716, 2718, 2720, 2721, 2723, 2725 to 2733, 2737, 2738, 2742 to 2747, 2750, 2751, 2753 to 2759, 2761, 2765, 2769, 2770, 2772 to 2783, 2785, 2787, 2788, 2791 and 2796 were answered.

Papers tabled by the Minister for Housing –

Question on Notice No. 2676 – Details of Planned Future Public Housing for the Kwinana Electorate (2010).

Question on Notice No. 2706 – Details of Vacant Department of Housing Properties (2011).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Energy –

Question on Notice No. 2677 – Details of the Western Australian Government's Feed-in Tariff Scheme Applications in the Perth Metro Area (2012).

Papers tabled by the Treasurer; Minister for Energy; Citizenship and Multicultural Interests –

Question on Notice No. 2687 – Details of Gifts and Hospitality Accepted by Departments and Agencies in the Minister's Portfolio (2013).

Question on Notice No. 2714 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2014).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Planning; Culture and the Arts –

Question on Notice No. 2688 – Details of Gifts and Hospitality Accepted by Departments and Agencies in the Minister's Portfolio (2015).

Paper tabled by the Minister Representing the Attorney General; Minister for Commerce –

Question on Notice No. 2691 – Details of Gifts and Hospitality Accepted by Departments and Agencies in the Minister's Portfolio (2016).

Papers tabled by the Minister for Sport and Recreation; Racing and Gaming –

Question on Notice No. 2694 – Details of Gifts and Hospitality Accepted by Departments and Agencies in the Minister's Portfolio (2017).

Question on Notice No. 2721 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2018).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Environment; Heritage –

Question on Notice No. 2697 – Details of Gifts and Hospitality Accepted by Departments and Agencies in the Minister's Portfolio (2019).

Paper tabled by the Premier; Minister for State Development; Science –

Question on Notice No. 2710 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2020).

Paper tabled by the Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Training and Workforce Development –

Question on Notice No. 2711 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2021).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Police; Tourism; Road Safety; Women's Interests –

Question on Notice No. 2716 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2022).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Mines and Petroleum; Housing –

Question on Notice No. 2720 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2023).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Local Government; Community Services; Seniors and Volunteering; Youth –

Question on Notice No. 2723 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2024).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services; Small Business; Veterans –

Question on Notice No. 2725 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2025).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Water; Forestry –

Question on Notice No. 2726 – Details of Ministerial Air Charter Services for the Period 21 February 2014 to 31 July 2014 (2026).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Corrective Services –

Question on Notice No. 2746 – Details of Incarceration Figures, for Fine Defaulters for the Years 2008 to 2013 (2027).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Emergency Services –

Question on Notice No. 2750 – Details of Approved Allocations for the Local Government Grants Scheme in 2013/2014 (2028).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Emergency Services; Corrective Services; Small Business; Veterans –

Question on Notice No. 2754 – Details of Employment Levels and Positions of Aboriginal Health Workers in the Kimberley (2029).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Police –

Question on Notice No. 2791 – Details of all Crime Statistics by Suburb in the Electorate of Kwinana, for the 2013–2014 Financial Year (2030).

Paper tabled by the Premier –

Question on Notice No. 2679 – Dates of Meetings of the Independent Communications Review Committee Since 1 January 2012 (2031).

4. Unanswered Question on Notice

Mr W.J. Johnston asked why no answer had been received in respect of his Question on Notice No. 2784.

5. Petition

Motorcycling Western Australia – Mr M.J. Cowper presented a petition from 57 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly supports the campaign for the Government to invest in Motorcycling Western Australia's plan to purchase land and establish a multi-function ride facility near Pinjarra as a home for motorcycling in Western Australia (P. 168).

6. Papers

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

By the Speaker –

Inspector of Custodial Services, Office of the – Assaults on Staff in Western Australian Prisons, July 2014 (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly on 13 August 2014 and Held for a Period of Thirty Days (2001).

By the Clerk –

Bail Act 1982 – Regulations (Bail Amendment Regulations 2014 G.G. 12/09/2014) (2002).

Fish Resources Management Act 1994 – Regulations (Fish Resources Management Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2014 G.G. 9/09/2014) (2003).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (Shire of Toodyay Repeal Local Law 2014 G.G. 12/09/2014) (2004).

Racing Bets Levy Act 2009 – Regulations (Racing Bets Levy Amendment Regulations 2014 G.G. 9/09/2014) (2005).

Road Traffic Act 1974 – Regulations (Road Traffic (Infringements) Amendment Regulations 2014 G.G. 9/09/2014) (2006).

Road Traffic Act 1974 – Regulations (Road Traffic (Licensing) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2014 G.G. 9/09/2014) (2007).

Road Traffic Act 1974 – Regulations (Road Traffic Code Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2014 G.G. 9/09/2014) (2008).

Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Levy Act 2007 – Regulations (Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Levy Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2014 G.G. 12/09/2014) (2009).

7. Notices of Motion

8. Removal of Order of the Day

The Speaker advised members that the Order of the Day that appeared on the last Notice Paper as No. 1 under Private Members' Business, Public Education, had not been debated for more than 12 calendar months and had been removed from the Notice Paper.

9. Matter of Public Interest – Pelago East Complex – Karratha

The Speaker informed the Assembly that he was in receipt of a notice from Mr M. McGowan that he intended to move a motion on a matter of public interest.

At least five members having risen in support,

Mr M. McGowan moved,

That the House condemns the Barnett Government's mismanagement of taxpayers' money through the speculative purchase of apartments in Karratha's Pelago East complex.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (18)

Ms L.L. Baker

Dr A.D. Buti

Mr R.H. Cook

Ms J.M. Freeman

Mr W.J. Johnston

Mr D.J. Kelly

Mr F.M. Logan

Mr M. McGowan

Ms S.F. McGurk

Mr M.P. Murray

Mr P. Papalia

Ms M.M. Quirk

Mrs M.H. Roberts

Ms R. Saffioti

Mr P.C. Tinley

Mr P.B. Watson

Mr B.S. Wyatt

Mr D.A. Templeman (*Teller*)

Noes (33)

Mr P. Abetz

Mr F.A. Alban

Mr C.J. Barnett

Mr I.C. Blayney

Mr I.M. Britza

Mr G.M. Castrilli

Mr M.J. Cowper

Ms M.J. Davies

Mr J.H.D. Day

Ms W.M. Duncan

Ms E. Evangel

Mr J.M. Francis

Mrs G.J. Godfrey

Mr B.J. Grylls

Dr K.D. Hames

Mr C.D. Hatton

Mr A.P. Jacob

Mr R.F. Johnson

Mr S.K. L'Estrange

Mr R.S. Love

Mr W.R. Marmion

Mr J.E. McGrath

Mr P.T. Miles

Ms A.R. Mitchell

Mr N.W. Morton

Dr M.D. Nahan

Mr D.C. Nalder

Mr J. Norberger

Mr D.T. Redman

Mr A.J. Simpson

Mr M.H. Taylor

Mr T.K. Waldron

Mr A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Question thus negated.

10. Message from the Administrator

Message No. 23 from the Administrator was reported recommending that appropriations be made for the purposes of the Associations Incorporation Bill 2014.

11. Bill to Proceed Through All Remaining Stages

The Leader of the House, pursuant to notice, moved,

That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as is necessary to enable the Environmental Protection Amendment (Validation) Bill 2014 to proceed through all remaining stages without delay between the stages.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

12. Environmental Protection Amendment (Validation) Bill 2014

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

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 and 2 agreed to.

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

Question put and passed.

13. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 10.59 p.m. until Wednesday, 17 September 2014 at 12.00 noon.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mrs L.M. Harvey, Dr G.G. Jacobs and Mr J.R. Quigley.

PETER J. McHUGH

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHAEL SUTHERLAND

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly