

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 208

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT

TUESDAY, 14 JUNE 2016

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 Minister for Training and Workforce Development on the Construction Industry Training Fund Career Information Centre.

The Minister for Environment on the appointment of the inaugural Conservation and Parks Commission of Western Australia.

The Minister for Community Services on the launch of the WA Carers Strategy.

The Minister for Child Protection on her recent trip to the Kimberley as part of her role in the Regional Services Reform Project.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum on the rehabilitation of the Pro-Force mine site at Coolgardie.

3. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Paper

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

By the Minister for Innovation –

Innovation, Minister for – Digital WA: Western Australian Government, Information and Communications Technology (ICT) Strategy, 2016–2020 (4215).

Questions on Notice Nos 5475 to 5482 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 4969, 5387, 5389, 5390, 5392 to 5403, 5408 to 5410, 5412, 5413, 5416, 5417, 5420, 5421, 5425 to 5427, 5429, 5431, 5433, 5434, 5437 to 5440, 5442 to 5444, 5446, 5449, 5452, 5454 to 5457, and 5469 were answered.

Paper tabled by the Minister for Local Government –

Question on Notice No. 5387 – List of percentage increases in council rates, by council, in Western Australia (4213).

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

Question on Notice No. 4969 – Details of conferences, seminars or workshops organised by a private organisation attended by officers or board members of departments, agencies, Commissions or Government Trading Enterprises under the Minister for Environment's portfolio of responsibilities since 1 July 2014 (4214).

4. Unanswered Questions on Notice

The following members asked why no answer had been received in respect of their Questions on Notice –

Mr M. McGowan – Question on Notice No. 5445.

Mr C.J. Tallentire – Question on Notice No. 5458.

5. Additional Information

The Minister for Health provided additional information relating to Question on Notice No. 4803 from Mr R.H. Cook.

6. Health Services Bill 2016

Message No. 131 dated 19 May 2016 from the Legislative Council was reported agreeing to the bill without amendment.

7. Message from the Governor

Message No. 14 from Her Excellency the Governor was reported assenting to the Health Services Act 2016, Act No. 11 of 2016.

8. Petition

Northam Regional Hospital – Ms M. Davies presented a petition from 18 persons asking the Legislative Assembly to provide an appropriate obstetrics service at Northam Regional Hospital (P. 379).

9. 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 – Recruitment and Retention of Aboriginal Staff in the Department of Corrective Services (4190).

By the Clerk –

Auction Sales Act 1973, Building Act 2011, Building Services (Complaint Resolution and Administration) Act 2011, Building Services (Registration) Act 2011, Construction Contracts Act 2004, Debt Collectors Licensing Act 1964, Electricity Act 1945, Employment Agents Act 1976, Gas Standards Act 1972, Land Valuers Licensing Act 1978, Motor Vehicle Dealers Act 1973, Motor Vehicle Repairers Act 2003, Occupational Safety and Health Act 1984, Plumbers Licensing Act 1995, Real Estate and Business Agents Act 1978, Residential Tenancies Act 1987, Retirement Villages Act 1992, Settlement Agents Act 1981 – Regulations (Commerce Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2016 G.G. 3/06/2016) (4191).

Auditor General, Office of the – Delivering Services Online – Report 8: May 2016 (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and deemed tabled on 25 May 2016) (4183).

Auditor General, Office of the – Opinions on Ministerial Notifications – Report No. 10: June 2016 (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and deemed tabled on 8 June 2016) (4186).

Auditor General, Office of the – Payment of Construction Subcontractors – New Perth Children’s Hospital – Report 9: June 2016 (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and deemed tabled on 8 June 2016) (4185).

Auditor General, Office of the – Supplementary Report: Health Department’s Procurement and Management of its Centralised Computing Services Contract Report 1A (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and deemed tabled on 8 June 2016) (4187).

Cat Act 2011 – Local Laws (Shire of Donnybrook–Balingup Cat Local Law 2016 G.G. 27/05/2016) (4192).
Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 – Lease No. 2358/100 between the Department of Parks and Wildlife and Suzanne Mary Cybula, Kathleen Mary Britza, Kylie Marie Britza, Matthew Gary Britza and Carl Gary Britza for an Existing Recreational Hut Located along the Lower Reaches of the Donnelly River in the D’Entrecasteaux National Park (4193).

Country Areas Water Supply Act 1947 – By-laws (Country Areas Water Supply Amendment By-laws 2016 G.G. 7/06/2016) (4194).

Duties Act 2008 – Regulations (Duties Amendment Regulations 2016 G.G. 24/05/2016) (4195).

Electricity Industry Act 2004 – Rules (Wholesale Electricity Market Rules Amending Rules 2016 G.G. 31/05/2016) (4196).

Financial Management Act 2006 – Notice Given Under Section 82 of the Financial Management Act by the Minister for Tourism in Relation to Legislative Council Question on Notice 3949 (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and deemed tabled on 2 June 2016) (4184).

Fish Resources Management Act 1994 – Management Plans (West Coast Demersal Gillnet and Demersal Longline Interim Managed Fishery Management Plan Amendment 2016 [1279] G.G. 27/05/2016) (4197).

Fish Resources Management Act 1994 – Management Plans (West Coast Rock Lobster Managed Fishery Management Plan Amendment (No. 3) 2016 [1280] G.G. 24/05/2016) (4198).

Government Employees Superannuation Board – Statement of Corporate Intent 2016/2017 (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly and deemed tabled on 10 June 2016) (4189).

Government of Western Australia – Quarterly Financial Results Report – March 2016 (4199).

Inspector of Custodial Services, Office of the – Fine Defaulters in the Western Australian Prison System (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly on 20 April 2016 and deemed tabled on 20 May 2016) (4182).

Inspector of Custodial Services, Office of the – Inspection Report No. 102 – Announced Inspection of Hakea Prison (Received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly on 9 May 2016 and deemed tabled on 9 June 2016) (4188).

Liquor Control Act 1988 – Regulations (Liquor Control (Bayulu Restricted Area) Amendment Regulations 2016 G.G. 27/05/2016) (4200).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (Town of East Fremantle Penalty Units Local Law 2016 G.G. 31/05/2016) (4201).

Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage, and Drainage Act 1909 – By-laws (Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Amendment By-laws 2016 G.G. 7/06/2016) (4202).

Official Travel – Report of Overseas Travel Undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on Official Business for the Three Months Ended 31 December 2015 (4203).

Parliamentary Travel Allowance – Report of Overseas Travel Undertaken by Members of Parliament funded by the Parliamentary Travel Allowance for the Three Months Ended 31 March 2016 (4204).

Poisons Act 1964 – Regulations (Poisons Amendment Regulations 2016 G.G. 17/05/2016) (4205).

Premier and Cabinet, Department of – Report on Consultants Engaged by Government for the Six Months Ended 30 June 2015 (4206).

Professional Standards Act 1997 – Schemes (Queensland Law Society Professional Standards Scheme (2016) G.G. 27/05/2016) (4207).

Residential Tenancies Act 1987 – Regulations (Residential Tenancies Amendment Regulations 2016 G.G. 3/06/2016) (4208).

Road Traffic (Authorisation to Drive) Act 2008, Road Traffic (Vehicles) Act 2012, Shipping and Pilotage Act 1967 – Regulations (Transport Regulations Amendment (Fees and Charges) Regulations 2016 G.G. 27/05/2016) (4209).

Road Traffic Act 1974 – Regulations (Road Traffic (Events on Roads) Amendment Regulations 2016 G.G. 27/05/2016) (4210).

State Administrative Tribunal Act 2004 – Rules (State Administrative Tribunal Amendment Rules (No. 2) 2016 G.G. 17/05/2016) (4211).

Taxi Act 1994, Transport Co-ordination Act 1966 – Regulations (On-demand Transport Regulations Amendment (Fees) Regulations 2016 G.G. 27/05/2016) (4212).

10. Notices of Motion

11. Matter of Public Interest – Perth Freight Link

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 this House condemns the West Australian and Federal Liberal Parties for their rushed and shambolic plans for the Perth Freight Link, which has shown a complete disregard for Western Australia's needs and priorities.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (20)

Ms L.L. Baker

Dr A.D. Buti

Mr R.H. Cook

Ms J. Farrer

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 C.J. Tallentire

Mr P.C. Tinley

Mr P.B. Watson

Mr B.S. Wyatt

Mr D.A. Templeman (*Teller*)

Noes (34)

Mr P. Abetz
 Mr F.A. Alban
 Mr C.J. Barnett
 Mr I.M. Britza
 Mr G.M. Castrilli
 Mr V.A. Catania
 Mr M.J. Cowper
 Ms M.J. Davies
 Mr J.H.D. Day
 Ms E. Evangel
 Mr J.M. Francis
 Mrs G.J. Godfrey

Mr B.J. Grylls
 Dr K.D. Hames
 Mrs L.M. Harvey
 Mr C.D. Hatton
 Mr A.P. Jacob
 Dr G.G. Jacobs
 Mr R.F. Johnson
 Mr S.K. L'Estrange
 Mr R.S. Love
 Mr W.R. Marmion
 Mr J.E. McGrath
 Ms L. Mettam

Mr P.T. Miles
 Ms A.R. Mitchell
 Mr N.W. Morton
 Dr M.D. Nahan
 Mr D.C. Nalder
 Mr J. Norberger
 Mr A.J. Simpson
 Mr M.H. Taylor
 Mr T.K. Waldron
 Mr A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Question thus negated.

12. Appropriation (Recurrent 2016–17) Bill 2016 Appropriation (Capital 2016–17) Bill 2016

The Order of the Day for the presentation of the reports and minutes of Estimates Committees A and B was read.

Papers

The following papers were presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –
 By Ms L.L. Baker –

Estimates Committee A – Report and Minutes (4216).
 Estimates Committee B – Report and Minutes (4217).

Question proposed, That the report of Estimates Committee A be adopted.

The report of Estimates Committee A was as follows –

The Estimates Committee has considered and recommended the Appropriations for the following Divisions of the Estimates of Expenditure under the *Appropriation (Recurrent 2016–17) Bill 2016* and the *Appropriation (Capital 2016–17) Bill 2016*:

Division Nos 1 to 8;
 28 to 31;
 32 (Except items 51 and 62);
 33, 34 and 36 (Service 5);
 47 to 62;
 68 (Service 5); and
 71 to 77,

and agreed to the clauses, schedules and titles of the Bills without amendment.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

Question proposed, That the report of Estimates Committee B be adopted.

The report of Estimates Committee B was as follows –

The Estimates Committee has considered and recommended the Appropriations for the following Divisions of the Estimates of Expenditure under the *Appropriation (Recurrent 2016–17) Bill 2016* and the *Appropriation (Capital 2016–17) Bill 2016*:

Division Nos 9 to 27;
 32 (Items 51 and 62);
 35 and 36 (Except service 5);
 37 to 46;
 63 to 67;
 68 (Except service 5); and
 69 to 70.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

The Minister for Environment moved, That the Appropriation (Recurrent 2016–17) Bill 2016 be now read a third time.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and forwarded to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

13. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 10.55 p.m. until Wednesday, 15 June 2016 at 12.00 noon.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr I.C. Blayney, Ms W.M. Duncan and Mr D.T. Redman.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHAEL SUTHERLAND
 Speaker of the Legislative Assembly