

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 222

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT

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THURSDAY, 25 AUGUST 2016

**1. Meeting of Assembly**

The Assembly met at 9.00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

**2. Message from the Governor**

Message No. 19 from Her Excellency the Governor was reported recommending that appropriations be made for the purposes of the Heritage Bill 2016.

**3. Papers**

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

By the Clerk –

Delegated Legislation, Joint Standing Committee on – Government Response to Report No. 84: Access to Australian Standards in Delegated Legislation in WA (4463).

Western Power – Statement of Corporate Intent 2016–2017 (4464).

**4. Grievances**

The Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

**5. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission**

Mr P.B. Watson, as Deputy Chair, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Corruption and Crime Commission, Joint Standing Committee on the – Report No. 29: A Suppression Order in Regards to Two Former Officers of the Corruption and Crime Commission (4465).

## **6. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission**

Mr P.B. Watson, as Deputy Chair, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Corruption and Crime Commission, Joint Standing Committee on the – Report No. 30: Annual Report 2015–2016 (4466).

## **7. Joint Standing Committee on Audit**

Dr K.D. Hames, as Deputy Chair, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Audit, Joint Standing Committee on – Report No. 7: Review of the Operation and Effectiveness of the Auditor General Act 2006 (4467).

## **8. Loan Bill 2016**

The Treasurer, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to authorise the borrowing of one billion and seven hundred million dollars for public purposes.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Treasurer presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Treasurer moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr W.J. Johnston moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

## **9. Local Government Amendment (Auditing) Bill 2016**

The Minister for Local Government, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Local Government Act 1995* to provide for the auditing of local governments by the Auditor General and for related purposes.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Minister for Local Government presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Minister for Local Government moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr W.J. Johnston moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

## **10. Highways (Liability for Straying Animals) Amendment Bill 2016**

The Deputy Premier, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Highways (Liability for Straying Animals) Act 1983*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Deputy Premier presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Deputy Premier moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr W.J. Johnston moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

## **11. Misuse of Drugs Amendment (Search Powers) Bill 2016**

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

Debate resumed.

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*Suspension of Standing Orders*

Mr M. McGowan, without notice, moved, That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as is necessary to enable the following motion to be moved forthwith –

That this House condemns the Liberal National Government for the collapse of coherent cabinet government resulting in the lack of an economic and financial plan for Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

The Leader of the House moved, To add to the motion –

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, subject to the debate being limited to 20 minutes for government members and 20 minutes for non-government members and 5 minutes for independent members.

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Amendment put and passed.

On the question, That the motion, as amended, be agreed to,

Question put.

The Speaker having counted the House, and an absolute majority being present and there being no dissentient voice, declared the motion, as amended, to be carried with the concurrence of an absolute majority of the whole number of members of the House.

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*Financial Plan for Western Australia*

Mr M. McGowan, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

That this House condemns the Liberal National Government for the collapse of coherent cabinet government resulting in the lack of an economic and financial plan for Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (18)

Ms L.L. Baker	Mr F.M. Logan	Mrs M.H. Roberts
Mr R.H. Cook	Mr M. McGowan	Ms R. Saffioti
Ms J.M. Freeman	Ms S.F. McGurk	Mr P.C. Tinley
Mr R.F. Johnson	Mr M.P. Murray	Mr P.B. Watson
Mr W.J. Johnston	Mr P. Papalia	Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr D.J. Kelly	Ms M.M. Quirk	Mr D.A. Templeman ( <i>Teller</i> )

Noes (30)

Mr F.A. Alban	Mrs G.J. Godfrey	Ms A.R. Mitchell
Mr I.C. Blayney	Dr K.D. Hames	Mr N.W. Morton
Mr I.M. Britza	Mrs L.M. Harvey	Dr M.D. Nahan
Mr G.M. Castrilli	Mr C.D. Hatton	Mr D.C. Nalder
Mr V.A. Catania	Mr A.P. Jacob	Mr J. Norberger
Mr M.J. Cowper	Mr S.K. L'Estrange	Mr D.T. Redman
Ms M.J. Davies	Mr W.R. Marmion	Mr A.J. Simpson
Mr J.H.D. Day	Mr J.E. McGrath	Mr M.H. Taylor
Ms E. Evangel	Ms L. Mettam	Mr T.K. Waldron
Mr J.M. Francis	Mr P.T. Miles	Mr A. Krsticevic ( <i>Teller</i> )

Question thus negatived.

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On the question, That the bill be read a second time,  
Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr J.R. Quigley speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

## **12. Members' Statements**

The Acting Speaker called for members' statements which were then made.

## **13. Speaker's Statement – Media Presence**

The Speaker advised members that he had approved the presence of a photographer in the Press and Public Galleries for the first ten minutes of Question Time.

## **14. Questions**

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 5823 and 5824 were asked.

## **15. Variation to the Order of Business**

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 2 be resumed.

## **16. Misuse of Drugs Amendment (Search Powers) Bill 2016**

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

Debate resumed.

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

Question put and passed.

## **17. Variation to the Order of Business**

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No. 4 be next considered.

## **18. Road Traffic Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 2015**

The Order of the Day for the third reading of the bill having been read, the Minister for Road Safety moved, That the bill 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.

## **19. Messages from the Legislative Council**

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

25 August 2016

Appropriation (Recurrent 2016–17) Bill 2016 (Message No. 141).

Appropriation (Capital 2016–17) Bill 2016 (Message No. 142).

## **20. Special Adjournment**

The Leader of the House moved, That the House at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, 6 September 2016 at 2.00 p.m.

Question put and passed.

**21. Adjournment**

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 4.39 p.m. until Tuesday, 6 September 2016 at 2.00 p.m.

*Members present during any part of the day's proceedings* – All the members except Mr C.J. Barnett, Mr B.J. Grylls, Dr G.G. Jacobs, and Mr R.S. Love.

**KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON**  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

**HON. MICHAEL SUTHERLAND**  
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly