

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 218

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT

WEDNESDAY, 17 AUGUST 2016

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 12.00 noon pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Public Accounts Committee – Extension of Reporting Date

The Speaker advised that he had received a letter from the Chair of the Public Accounts Committee advising that the Committee had resolved to extend its reporting date to the House on its inquiry into Information and Communications Technology Procurement and Contract Management to 22 September 2016.

3. Papers

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

By the Clerk –

Auditor General, Office of the – Information and Communication Technology (ICT) in Education (4428).

Criminal Investigation (Covert Powers) Act 2012 – Western Australia Police – Report Pursuant to Section 103(1) of the Act – Witness Identity Protection Certificates 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2016 (4429).

Financial Management Act 2006 – Notice given under section 82 of the Act by the Attorney General; Minister for Commerce to Legislative Council Budget Estimates Question 1.9 (4431).

Financial Management Act 2006 – Notice given under section 82 of the Act by the Minister for State Development; Finance; Innovation to Legislative Council Budget Estimates Generic Question 1.9 (4430).

Terrorism (Preventative Detention) Act 2006 – Quarterly Report for the Quarter Ended 30 June 2016 (4432).

4. Notice of Motion

5. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for State Development on his recent visit to China with the Minister for Agriculture and Food.

Paper

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

By the Minister for State Development –

State Development, Minister for – Mission to China from 4 July to 8 July 2016 (4437).

The Minister for Small Business on the improvement of security of payments to sub-contractors.

6. Expiration of Notice of Motion

The Speaker advised that Private Members' Business Notice of Motion No. 1, notice of which was given on 11 August 2015 and renewed for a further 30 sitting days on 16 February 2016, would be removed and would not appear on the next Notice Paper.

7. Suspension of Standing Orders

Mr J.R. Quigley, 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 has no confidence in the Attorney-General and calls for his immediate removal due to his incompetent handling of the Ryan Clegg affair.

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.

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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.

8. No Confidence in the Attorney-General

Mr J.R. Quigley, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

That this House has no confidence in the Attorney-General and calls for his immediate removal due to his incompetent handling of the Ryan Clegg affair.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (18)

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
Mr M.P. Murray
Mr P. Papalia
Mr J.R. Quigley
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 (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 V.A. Catania
Mr M.J. Cowper
Ms M.J. Davies
Mr J.H.D. Day
Ms E. Evangel

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 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
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.

9. Suspension of Standing Orders to Speak to Committee Reports

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

That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as is necessary to allow the members of the Education and Health Standing Committee and the Community Development and Justice Standing Committee to speak in accordance with Standing Order No. 279 on Thursday, 18 August 2016 to their reports entitled “Report No. 8: *IPS Report Card: The Report of the Inquiry into the Independent Public Schools Initiative*” and “Report No. 13: *Cultivating Promise: Building Resilience and Engagement for At-Risk Youth Through Sport and Culture*” respectively, both of which were received by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly on 15 August 2016 and deemed tabled under Standing Order No. 278(4).

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

10. Road Traffic Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 2015

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

Debate resumed.

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

11. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 5797 to 5812 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 5478, 5485, 5502, 5505, 5516, 5517, 5525, 5526, 5528, 5531, 5542, 5545, 5546, 5548, 5551, 5555, 5576, 5577, 5600, 5605, 5618, 5621, 5623, 5624, and 5626 were answered.

Papers tabled by the Deputy Premier; Minister for Police; Road Safety; Training and Workforce Development; Women's Interests –

Question on Notice No. 5516 – Budget spending breakdown for Western Australia Police 2014–15 and 2015–16 budget allocations (4433).

Question on Notice No. 5623 – Grievances lodged and their progress as at 30 June 2016 for each department, agency and Government Trading Enterprise under the Minister for Police's portfolio of responsibilities (4434).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Regional Development –

Question on Notice No. 5626 – Breakdown of 2016–17 budget allocation to the Goldfields Esperance Revitalisation initiative (4435).

Paper tabled by the Minister for Water –

Question on Notice No. 5502 – Statistics relating to Water Corporation customer bill payment issues (4436).

12. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 1 be resumed.

13. Road Traffic Legislation Amendment Bill (No. 2) 2015

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

Debate resumed.

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

14. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Private Members' Business Order of the Day No. 14 and Private Members' Business Notice of Motion No. 8 be next considered.

15. Road Traffic Legislation Amendment (Disqualification for Life) Bill 2016

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

Debate resumed.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (19)

Mr R.H. Cook

Ms J. Farrer

Ms J.M. Freeman

Mr R.F. Johnson

Mr W.J. Johnston

Mr D.J. Kelly

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 Mr A.J. Simpson
 Mr M.H. Taylor
 Mr A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Question thus negatived.

Bill defeated.

16. Increase in Crime and Methamphetamine Use

Mrs M.H. Roberts, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House condemns the Liberal National Government for its unprecedented increases in crime, and the shocking rate of Methamphetamine use in Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Ms M.M. Quirk speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

17. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.00 p.m. until Thursday, 18 August 2016 at 9.00 a.m.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Ms W.M. Duncan, Mr J.M. Francis and Mr N.W. Morton.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHAEL SUTHERLAND
 Speaker of the Legislative Assembly