

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 22

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-NINTH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 27 JUNE 2013

1. Meeting of Assembly

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

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Petitions

Churchlands Senior High School – Mr S.K. L'Estrange presented a petition from 52 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly directs the Education Department architects to increase the proposed boundary and road setbacks in the building of a classroom block at Churchlands Senior High School, and to consult with residents on this process (P. 22).

Guildford Road and Colstoun Road intersection – Mr D.J. Kelly presented a petition from 459 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly agrees to install traffic lights and provide better access on the footpath and bikepath at the intersection of Guildford Road and Colstoun Road in Ashfield (P. 23).

Disability Justice Centres – Mr D.J. Kelly presented a petition from 69 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly finds more appropriate locations for two disability justice centres to be located at Lord Street and Altone Road in Lockridge (P. 24).

Drovers Place and Joondalup Drive intersection – Mr P.T. Miles presented a petition from 1,856 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly makes provision for an urgent meeting between Main Roads and the City of Wanneroo's Director of Roads in order to instruct the City to improve the road network and install traffic lights at the intersection of Drovers Place and Joondalup Drive (P. 25).

Australian Marine Complex – Mr F.M. Logan presented a petition from 439 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly establishes a permanent, full staffed emergency medical facility within the Australian Marine Complex (P. 26).

Disability Justice Centres – Ms R. Saffioti presented a petition from 26 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly finds more appropriate locations for two disability justice centres to be located at Lord Street and Altone Road in Lockridge (P. 27).

3. Papers

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

By the Speaker –

Auditor General, Office of the – Information Systems Audit Report: Report 11, June 2013 (420).

By the Clerk –

Official Travel – Report of interstate and overseas travel undertaken by members of Parliament funded by the IMPREST system for the three months ended 30 September 2012 (421).

Official Travel – Report of interstate and overseas travel undertaken by ministers, members of Parliament and officers on official business for the three months ended 30 September 2012 (422).

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Energy on the decommissioning of the Kwinana Power Station.

The Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Commerce on a briefing on the Wheatstone Liquefied Natural Gas Project organised by the Mining and Energy Services Council of Australia.

5. Grievances

The Acting Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

6. Procedure and Privileges Committee

Ms W.M. Duncan, as Deputy Speaker, presented the following report which was ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

Procedure and Privileges Committee – Report on a Person Adversely Referred to in the Legislative Assembly – Lynette Quinlivan, Report No. 1 (423).

Ms W.M. Duncan moved, That the report be adopted.

Question put and passed.

7. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission

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

Corruption and Crime Commission, Joint Standing Committee on – Acting Parliamentary Inspector's Report on a Complaint by the Commissioner of Police against the Corruption and Crime Commission, Report No. 3 (424).

8. Petroleum and Geothermal Energy Legislation Amendment Bill 2013

The Order of the Day for the further consideration in detail of the bill was read.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 7 and 8 agreed to.

Clause 9.

The Leader of the House moved, That the debate be adjourned until a later stage of the day's sitting.

Question put and passed.

9. Ministerial Statement

The Minister for Energy was granted leave to make a Ministerial Statement on the Muja AB Power Station refurbishment project.

10. 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 Barnett Government for its whitewash of the Muja AB scandal and failure to provide a full and comprehensive report, and therefore calls on the Government to hold an independent inquiry into the loss of taxpayers' funds incurred.

Debate ensued.

Sitting suspended from 2.33 p.m. to 2.35 p.m.

Debate resumed.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (18)

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 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.C. Blayney
Mr I.M. Britza
Mr T.R. Buswell
Mr G.M. Castrilli
Mr V.A. Catania
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
Mrs L.M. Harvey
Mr C.D. Hatton
Dr G.G. Jacobs
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 A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Question thus negatived.

11. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 816 to 935 were asked.

Question on Notice No. 560 was answered.

Paper tabled by the Speaker –

Question on Notice No. 560 – Accommodation expenses claimed by the Member for Dawesville between 23 September 2008 and 14 June 2013 (425).

12. Unanswered Questions on Notice

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

Mr W.J. Johnston – Questions on Notice Nos 1, 7, 12, 72, 76, 85, 203, 246, 247 and 253.

13. Members' Statements

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

14. Ministerial Statement – Opposition Reply

Mr W.J. Johnston spoke on the statement made earlier in the day by the Minister for Energy.

15. Variation to the Order of Business

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

16. Petroleum and Geothermal Energy Legislation Amendment Bill 2013

The Order of the Day for the further consideration in detail of the bill was read.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 9 to 10 agreed to.

Clause 11.

Clause put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (27)

Mr P. Abetz
Mr F.A. Alban
Mr C.J. Barnett
Mr I.C. Blayney
Mr I.M. Britza
Mr T.R. Buswell
Mr G.M. Castrilli
Mr V.A. Catania
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 G.G. Jacobs
Mr S.K. L'Estrange
Mr W.R. Marmion

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 A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Noes (14)

Dr A.D. Buti
Mr R.H. Cook
Mr M.J. Cowper
Ms J. Farrer
Ms J.M. Freeman

Mr W.J. Johnston
Mr D.J. Kelly
Mr F.M. Logan
Mr R.S. Love
Ms S.F. McGurk

Mr M.P. Murray
Ms R. Saffioti
Mr C.J. Tallentire
Mr D.A. Templeman (*Teller*)

Clause agreed to.

Clauses 12 to 74 agreed to.

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

Question put and passed.

17. Special Adjournment

The Leader of the House moved, That the House at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, 6 August 2013 at 2.00 p.m.

Question put and passed.

18. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 5.55 p.m. until Tuesday, 6 August 2013 at 2.00 p.m.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr A.P. Jacob, Mr J.R. Quigley, Ms M.M. Quirk, Mrs M.H. Roberts and Mr T.K. Waldron.

PETER J. McHUGH
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHAEL SUTHERLAND
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly