

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 25

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 7 SEPTEMBER 2017

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 9.00 am pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Speaker's Statement – Committee Membership

The Speaker advised members that he had received a letter dated 6 September 2017, in which Ms M.J. Davies resigned as a member of the Parliamentary Services Committee.

3. Notice of Motion

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Emergency Services on his recent meetings with more than 45 volunteer emergency services groups in the South West.

The Minister for Housing on the East Green housing project in the electorate of Kingsley.

5. Grievances

The Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

Speaker's Statement – Reminder of budget day arrangements

6. Community Development and Justice Standing Committee

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

Community Development and Justice Standing Committee – Annual Report 2016–2017 (576).

7. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Bills Notices of Motion Nos 1 and 2 be postponed to a later stage of the sitting.

8. Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017

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

Debate resumed.

Papers

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

By the Attorney General –

Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017
– Briefing note to the Attorney General on unexplained wealth (577).

Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017
– Unexplained wealth investigative team (578).

Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017
– Letter from the Commissioner of the Corruption and Crime Commission, to the Attorney General (579).

Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017
– Letter from the Attorney General, to the Commissioner of the Corruption and Crime Commission (580).

Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017
– Briefing note from the Solicitor General to the Attorney General (581).

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 to 4 agreed to.

Clause 5.

Debate interrupted by the Chair and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

9. Members' Statements

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

10. Speaker's Statement – Media presence for the budget

The Speaker advised members that he had approved the presence of television cameras and photographers from 2.00 pm today to enable coverage of the handing down of the state budget.

11. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 1981 to 2082 were asked.

12. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Bills Notices of Motion Nos 1 and 2 be next considered.

13. Appropriation (Recurrent 2017–18) Bill 2017

The Treasurer, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to grant supply and to appropriate and apply out of the Consolidated Account certain sums for the recurrent services and purposes of the year ending 30 June 2018.” 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.

Papers

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

By the Treasurer –

Budget 2017–18 – Budget Paper No. 1: Budget Speech (582).

Budget 2017–18 – Budget Paper No. 2: Budget Statements Volume 1 (583).

Budget 2017–18 – Budget Paper No. 2: Budget Statements Volume 2 (584).

Budget 2017–18 – Budget Paper No. 3: Economic and Fiscal Outlook (585).

Ms L. Mettam moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

14. Appropriation (Capital 2017–18) Bill 2017

The Treasurer, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to grant supply and to appropriate and apply out of the Consolidated Account certain sums for the capital purposes of the year ending 30 June 2018.” 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.

Ms L. Mettam moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

15. Variation to the Order of Business

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

16. Corruption, Crime and Misconduct and Criminal Property Confiscation Amendment Bill 2017

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

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clause 5.

The Attorney General moved,

Page 4, lines 1 to 3 – To delete the lines.

Amendment put and passed.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 6 to 36 agreed to.

Clause 37.

The Attorney General moved,

Page 18, line 7 – To delete “and (5)(a)”.

Amendment put and passed.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Clauses 38 to 77 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

Ordered, That the third reading of the bill be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting of the Assembly.

17. Petroleum Legislation Amendment Bill 2017

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.

Leave was granted to proceed forthwith to the third reading of the bill.

The Minister for Mines and Petroleum moved, That the bill be now read a third time.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time 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 4.55 pm until Tuesday, 12 September 2017 at 2.00 pm.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr P.J. Rundle.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. PETER WATSON
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly