

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 194

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 14 MAY 2020

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 9.00 am pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

2. Notices of Motion Lapsed

The Speaker advised that Private Members' Business Notices of Motion Nos 1, and 3 to 12 had lapsed and, unless the members indicated otherwise, would be removed from the Notice Paper.

3. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Emergency Services on International Firefighters' Day.

The Treasurer on the delay to the 2020–21 State Budget.

The Minister for Small Business on the Small Business Development Corporation's response to COVID-19.

The Minister for Fisheries on support for developing the tropical rock oyster industry.

The Minister for Community Services on family and domestic violence specialist services during the COVID-19 pandemic.

4. Grievances

The Acting Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

5. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission

Ms M.M. Quirk, as 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 – Red flags...red faces, Corruption risk in public procurement in Western Australia, Report No. 14 (3392).

Corruption and Crime Commission, Joint Standing Committee on the – Red flags...red faces, Corruption risk in public procurement in Western Australia, Report No. 14: Submissions (3393).

6. Prisons Amendment Bill 2020

The Order of the Day for the consideration in detail of Legislative Council Message No. 120 was read. The Message was as follows –

The Legislative Council acquaints the Legislative Assembly that it has agreed to the *Prisons Amendment Bill 2020* subject to the amendments contained in the Schedule annexed; in which amendments the Legislative Council desires the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

Schedule indicating the amendments made by the Legislative Council in the Prisons Amendment Bill 2020

No. 1

Page 4, line 23 — To insert after “**blood**”:

or other body

No. 2

Page 5, lines 6 and 7 — To delete the lines and insert:

the purpose of having a blood or other body sample taken to test the sample for the presence of an infectious

No. 3

Page 5, line 11 — To delete “blood”

No. 4

Page 5, line 13 — To delete “blood”

No. 5

Page 5, line 18 — To delete “blood sample; and” and insert:

sample taken; and

No. 6

Page 5, line 24 — To delete “blood sample.” and insert:

sample taken.

No. 7

Page 5, after line 24 — To insert:

46B. Review of s. 46A

- (1) The Inspector of Custodial Services must review compliance with, and the operation and effectiveness of, section 46A, and prepare a report based on the review, as soon as practicable after the 5th anniversary of the day on which the *Prisons Amendment Act 2020* section 12 comes into operation.
- (2) The Inspector of Custodial Services must furnish a copy of the report to the Minister as soon as practicable after it is prepared.
- (3) The Minister must cause the report to be laid before each House of Parliament as soon as practicable after the Minister receives it, but not later than 12 months after the 5th anniversary.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

The Minister for Corrective Services moved, That amendment Nos 1 to 7 be agreed to.
Amendments agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded and the Legislative Council acquainted accordingly.

7. Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Amendment Bill 2020

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 (Dr D.J. Honey speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

8. Members' Statements

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

9. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Question on Notice No. 6121 was asked.

10. Matter of Public Interest – Early Release of Dangerous Sex Offenders and Criminals

The Speaker informed the Assembly that he was in receipt of a notice from Mr P.A. Katsambanis that he intended to move a motion on a matter of public interest.

At least five members having risen in support,

Mr P.A. Katsambanis moved,

That this House expresses its deep concern that the public of Western Australia are threatened by dangerous sex offenders and other dangerous criminals due to early release, lack of electronic tracking on release or being able to taunt victims and their families from prison.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (14)

Ms M.J. Davies
Mrs A.K. Hayden
Dr D.J. Honey
Mr P.A. Katsambanis
Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup

Mr S.K. L'Estrange
Mr R.S. Love
Mr W.R. Marmion
Mr J.E. McGrath
Ms L. Mettam

Dr M.D. Nahan
Mr D.C. Nalder
Mr P.J. Rundle
Mr A. Krsticevic (*Teller*)

Noes (33)

Ms L.L. Baker
Dr A.D. Buti
Mr J.N. Carey
Mrs R.M.J. Clarke
Mr R.H. Cook
Mr M.J. Folkard
Ms J.M. Freeman
Ms E.L. Hamilton
Mr T.J. Healy
Mr M. Hughes
Mr W.J. Johnston

Mr D.J. Kelly
Mr F.M. Logan
Mr M. McGowan
Ms S.F. McGurk
Mr S.A. Millman
Mr Y. Mubarakai
Mrs L.M. O'Malley
Mr P. Papalia
Mr S.J. Price
Mr J.R. Quigley
Ms M.M. Quirk

Mrs M.H. Roberts
Ms C.M. Rowe
Ms R. Saffioti
Ms A. Sanderson
Ms J.J. Shaw
Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
Mr C.J. Tallentire
Mr P.C. Tinley
Mr R.R. Whitby
Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr D.R. Michael (*Teller*)

Question thus negated.

11. Message from the Governor

Message No. 21 from His Excellency the Governor was reported recommending that appropriations be made for the purposes of the Procurement Bill 2020.

12. Variation to the Order of Business

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

13. Corruption, Crime and Misconduct Amendment Bill 2020

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.

14. Mandatory Testing (Infectious Diseases) Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Bill 2020

Message No. 121 dated 14 May 2020 from the Legislative Council was reported agreeing to the bill without amendment.

15. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 5.03 pm until Tuesday, 19 May 2020 at 2.00 pm.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr I.C. Blayney, Ms J. Farrer, Mr K.J.J. Michel, Mr M.P. Murray, Mr D.T. Punch and Ms S.E. Winton.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. PETER WATSON
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly