

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 5

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

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TUESDAY, 23 MAY 2017

**1. Meeting of Assembly**

The Assembly met at 2.00 pm pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

**2. Brief Ministerial Statements**

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Premier on the recent Manchester bombing.

The Premier on the \$400 million philanthropic donation to Western Australian projects by Andrew and Nicola Forrest.

**3. Questions**

Questions without Notice were taken.

**4. Papers**

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

By the Clerk –

Government of Western Australia – 2016–2017 Quarterly Financial Results Report – December 2016 (269).

Government of Western Australia – Pre-Election Financial Projections Statement 2016–2017 (270).

Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1911 – Regulations (Health (Notifications by Midwives) Amendment Regulations 2017 G.G. 16/05/2017) (271).

Local Government Act 1995 – Local Laws (City of Mandurah Parking and Parking Facilities Amendment Local Law 2017 G.G. 19/05/2017) (272).

Official Travel – Report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business for the three months ended 30 June 2016 (273).

Official Travel – Report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business for the three months ended 30 September 2016 (274).

Official Travel – Report of overseas air travel undertaken by Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries and Government Officers on official business for the three months ended 31 December 2016 (275).

Premier and Cabinet, Department of the – Report on consultants engaged by Government for the six months ended 30 June 2016 (276).

Premier and Cabinet, Department of the – Report on consultants engaged by Government for the six months ended 31 December 2016 (277).

## **5. Appointment of Membership of Committees**

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

That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as is necessary to enable the motions for the establishment of standing committees, a sessional committee, the Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission and the Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People, to be moved forthwith.

Question put and passed.

## **6. Legislative Assembly Standing Committees**

The Leader of the House, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

That for the present Parliament –

- (1) the Procedure and Privileges Committee consists of the Speaker, Deputy Speaker and the members for Geraldton, Pilbara and Roe;
- (2) the Public Accounts Committee consists of the members for Armadale, Bateman, Darling Range, Mount Lawley and North West Central;
- (3) the Community Development and Justice Standing Committee consists of the members for Bunbury, Burns Beach, Carine, Dawesville and Hillarys;
- (4) the Economics and Industry Standing Committee consists of the members for Churchlands, Forrestfield, Jandakot, Swan Hills and Warren-Blackwood; and
- (5) the Education and Health Standing Committee consists of the members for Kimberley, Mirrabooka, Moore, Nedlands and Wanneroo.

Question put and passed.

## **7. Parliamentary Services Committee**

The Leader of the House, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

That –

- (1) for the present Session, the Parliamentary Services Committee consists of the Speaker and the members for Belmont, Central Wheatbelt, Geraldton, Girrawheen and Vasse; and
- (2) that the Legislative Council be acquainted accordingly.

Question put and passed.

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

The Leader of the House, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

That –

- (1) for the present Parliament, in accordance with Legislative Assembly Standing Orders 288 to 292, a Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission be appointed by the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council; and
- (2) the Legislative Assembly requests the Legislative Council to agree to a similar resolution.

Question put and passed.

## **9. Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People**

The Leader of the House, pursuant to the foregoing motion, moved,

- (1) That for the present Parliament –

- (a) pursuant to section 51 of the *Commissioner for Children and Young People Act 2006*, a Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People be appointed by the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council;
- (b) the Joint Standing Committee shall comprise 2 members appointed by the Legislative Assembly and 2 members appointed by the Legislative Council;
- (c) it is the function of the Joint Standing Committee to —
  - (i) monitor, review and report to Parliament on the exercise of the functions of the Commissioner for Children and Young People;
  - (ii) to examine Annual and other Reports of the Commissioner; and
  - (iii) to consult regularly with the Commissioner;
- (d) a report of the Joint Standing Committee will be presented to the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council by members of the Joint Standing Committee nominated by it for that purpose; and
- (e) the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly relating to Standing and Select Committees will be followed as far as they can be applied.

- (2) That the Legislative Assembly requests the Legislative Council to agree to a similar resolution.

Question put and passed.

## **10. Loan Bill 2017 – Suspension of Standing Orders**

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

That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as is necessary to enable the Loan Bill 2017 to be dealt with while the Address in Reply has priority and to proceed without delay between the stages.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

# 11. Loan Bill 2017

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

Mr R.S. Love moved, That the word “now” be deleted and the following words be added after the word “time”:

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only after the Treasurer agrees to amend the Loan Bill 2017 during consideration in detail to authorise the borrowing of \$3 800 000 000 for public purposes.

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Debate ensued.

On the question, That the word to be deleted, be deleted,

Amendment put.

The Assembly divided.

## Ayes (5)

Mr V.A. Catania  
Ms M.J. Davies

Mr D.T. Redman  
Mr P.J. Rundle

Mr R.S. Love (*Teller*)

## Noes (48)

Ms L.L. Baker  
Mr C.J. Barnett  
Mr I.C. Blayney  
Dr A.D. Buti  
Mr J.N. Carey  
Mr R.H. Cook  
Mr M.J. Folkard  
Ms J.M. Freeman  
Mrs L.M. Harvey  
Mr T.J. Healy  
Mr M. Hughes  
Mr W.J. Johnston  
Mr P. Katsambanis  
Mr D.J. Kelly  
Mr Z. R. F. Kirkup  
Mr S.K. L'Estrange

Mr F.M. Logan  
Mr W.R. Marmion  
Mr J.E. McGrath  
Ms S.F. McGurk  
Mr D.R. Michael  
Mr K.J.J. Michel  
Mr S.A. Millman  
Mr Y. Mubarakai  
Mr M.P. Murray  
Dr M.D. Nahan  
Mr D.C. Nalder  
Mr K. O'Donnell  
Mrs L.M. O'Malley  
Mr P. Papalia  
Mr S.J. Price  
Mr D.T. Punch

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 D.A. Templeman  
Mr P.C. Tinley  
Mr B. Urban  
Mr R.R. Whitby  
Ms S.E. Winton  
Mr B.S. Wyatt  
Ms L. Mettam (*Teller*)

Amendment thus negatived.

On the question, That the bill be now read a second time,

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

Ordered, That consideration in detail of the bill be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting of the Assembly.

**12. Adjournment**

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 11.13 pm until Wednesday, 24 May 2017 at 12 noon.

*Members present during any part of the day's proceedings* – All members present.

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

**HON. PETER WATSON**  
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly