

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 210

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

WEDNESDAY, 13 JUNE 2012

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 12.00 noon pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Death of Rex Geoffrey Williams – a former Member of the Legislative Assembly

The Premier, without notice, moved,

That this House records its sincere regret at the death of Rex Geoffrey Williams and tenders its deep sympathy to his family.

The motion was supported by Mr M. McGowan and Mr D.T. Redman.

Question put and passed unanimously with members and officers of the Assembly standing in their places as a mark of respect.

3. Petitions

Prostitution Bill 2011 – Mr P. Abetz presented a petition from 124 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly fully investigates the Swedish law and commits to phasing out all brothels (P. 606).

Smart Rider Terminal Kelmscott – Dr A.D. Buti presented a petition from 339 persons requesting that a Smart Rider terminal at Kelmscott Newsagency, situated at the Kelmscott Village Shopping Centre, be provided (P. 607).

4. Papers

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

By the Speaker –

Auditor General, Office of the – Pharmaceuticals: Purchase and Management of Pharmaceuticals in Public Hospitals, Report 7 – June 2012 (4893).

By the Clerk –

Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 – Lease No. 2335/97 between the Department of Environment and Conservation and Murray Districts Carriage Driving Club Inc. for the purpose of equestrian, recreation and purposes incidental thereto within a portion of State Forest No. 23 (4894).

Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 – Lease No. 2346/100 between the Department of Environment and Conservation and Kimberley Wilderness Adventures Pty Ltd for Mt Hart Wilderness Lodge King Leopold Ranges Conservation Park (4895).

Corruption and Crime Commission, Joint Standing Committee on the – Government Response to Report No. 23: The Post-CHOGM Technological Capability of the WA Police (4896).

5. Notices of Motion

6. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Education on the Kalbarri District High School launch of their first Firebug sailing boat.

The Minister for Local Government on the ministerial powers under the *Local Government Act 1995* to intervene in local government matters.

The Minister for Environment on the official launch of new facilities and programs for the Kings Park education service conducted by the Botanic Gardens and Parks Authority.

7. Public Accounts Committee – Leave to Meet When the House is Sitting

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

That leave be given to the Public Accounts Committee to meet when the House is sitting on Thursday, 14 June 2012 from 10.00 am to 12.00 noon.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

8. Economics and Industry Standing Committee – Extension of Reporting Date

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

That the date for presentation of the report of the Economics and Industry Standing Committee on its inquiry into the 2011 Kimberley Ultramarathon be extended to 16 August 2012.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

9. Skilled Jobs (Benefits from the Boom) Bill 2012

Mr P.C. Tinley, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to provide for agreements about skilled work requirements for major projects in this State.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

Mr P.C. Tinley presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

Ordered, That the second reading of the bill be made an Order of the Day for a later stage of the sitting.

10. Bank of Western Australia Amendment Bill 2012

The Treasurer, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Bank of Western Australia Act 1995* and to make a consequential amendment to the *Freedom of Information Act 1992*.” 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.

Mr D.A. Templeman moved, That the debate be adjourned.
Question put and passed.

11. Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2012-13 Bill 2012

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

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

12. Speaker's Statement – Mobile Phones

The Speaker reminded members that mobile phones in the Chamber should be switched off or on silent mode.

13. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 8220 to 8228 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 7523, 7611, 7776, 7803, 7816, 7845, 7874, 7898, 7919 and 7976 were answered.

Paper tabled by the Minister representing the Minister for Finance –

Question on Notice No. 7898 – Total size, in square metres of training and meeting rooms in Dumas House (4897).

Paper tabled by Deputy Premier; Minister for Health; Tourism –

Question on Notice No. 7611 – Details of travel, hospitality or accommodation accepted by any officer above level 3.1 from a private company or individual since 1 November 2011 (4898).

14. Variation to the Order of Business

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

15. Appropriation (Consolidated Account) Recurrent 2012-13 Bill 2012

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

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

16. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Private Members' Business Order of the Day for the second reading of the Skilled Jobs (Benefits from the Boom) Bill 2012, Private Members' Business Order of the Day No. 12 and Private Members' Business Notices of Motion Nos 24 and 25 be next considered.

17. Skilled Jobs (Benefits from the Boom) Bill 2012

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

Mr P.C. Tinley moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

Mr D.A. Templeman moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

18. Local Government Amendment (Regional Subsidiaries) Bill 2010

Mr J.N. Hyde, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Local Government Act 1995*.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

Mr J.N. Hyde presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

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

19. Apprenticeships and Traineeships

Mr M. McGowan, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House calls on the Barnett Government to ensure that State Government construction projects provide a greater number of apprenticeships and traineeships.

Debate ensued.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Parliamentary Secretary representing the Minister for Training and Workforce Development speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

20. Message from the Legislative Council

Message No. 215 dated 13 June 2012 from the Legislative Council was reported as follows –

The Legislative Council acquaints the Legislative Assembly that Hon. Linda Savage has been appointed to fill the vacancy on the Joint Standing Committee on the Commissioner for Children and Young People following the resignation of Hon. Helen Bullock.

21. Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission – Extension of Reporting Date

The Speaker advised members that he had received a letter dated 13 June 2012 from the Chairman of the Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission, advising that the Committee had resolved to extend the reporting date for its Inquiry into whether the Corruption and Crime Commission should have the jurisdiction to recover proceeds of crime and unexplained wealth, to 9 August 2012.

22. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.01 p.m. until Thursday, 14 June 2012 at 9.00 a.m.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr I.M. Britza and Mr T.K. Waldron.

PETER J. McHUGH
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. GRANT WOODHAMS
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly