

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 96

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-FIRST PARLIAMENT

WEDNESDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2022

1. Meeting of Assembly

The Assembly met at 12.00 noon pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

An Acknowledgement of Country and Prayers were read.

2. Papers

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

Architects Board of Western Australia – Annual Report 2019–2020 (1667).

Auditor General, Office of the – Forensic Audit – Forensic Audit Results 2022, Report No. 8, 15 November 2022 (1668).

Auditor General, Office of the – Performance Audit – Management of Long Stay Patients in Public Hospitals, Report No. 9, 15 November 2022 (1669).

Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1670).

Legal Contribution Trust – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1671).

Legal Contribution Trust – Financial Statements for Six Months Ended 30 June 2022 (1672).

National Health Funding Body – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1673).

National Health Funding Pool – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1674).

National Health Practitioner Ombudsman – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1675).

Professional Standards Councils – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1676).

Deed of Indemnity – By the Treasurer, on behalf of the State of Western Australia, in favour of various service providers providing Out of Home Care and/or Youth Homelessness Services (1677).

VenuesWest – Annual Report 2021–2022 (1678).

Western Australian Treasury Corporation – Quarterly Financial Results Report Ended 30 September 2022 (1679).

3. Land Tax Assessment Amendment Bill 2022

Message No. 79 dated 15 November 2022 from the Legislative Council was reported agreeing to the bill without amendment.

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Culture and the Arts on the recent launch of the Perth Festival program for 2023.

The Minister for Racing and Gaming on the termination of the sale of the WA TAB.

The Minister for Local Government on new regulations to allow local government council meetings to continue to be held electronically.

The Minister for Seniors and Ageing on the recent Seniors Week and Have a Go Day 2022.

The Minister for Fisheries on upgrades to the research facilities at Hillarys to support the Aquaculture Industry.

5. Withdrawal of Notice of Motion

Ms C.M. Rowe, on behalf of the Leader of the House, withdrew Business of the Assembly Notice of Motion No. 1.

6. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No. 2 be next considered.

7. Liquor Control Amendment (Protected Entertainment Precincts) Bill 2022

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.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 to 7 agreed to.

Clause 8.

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

8. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

9. Variation to the Order of Business

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

10. Liquor Control Amendment (Protected Entertainment Precincts) Bill 2022

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

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 8 to 15 agreed to.

Clause 16.

Mr P.J. Rundle moved,

Page 51, lines 23 to 32 — To delete the lines.

Amendment put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (6)

Ms M. Beard

Ms M.J. Davies

Dr D.J. Honey

Mr R.S. Love

Ms L. Mettam

Mr P.J. Rundle (*Teller*)

Noes (42)

Mr S.N. Aubrey

Mr G. Baker

Ms L.L. Baker

Ms H.M. Beazley

Dr A.D. Buti

Mr J.N. Carey

Mrs R.M.J. Clarke

Ms C.M. Collins

Mr R.H. Cook

Ms L. Dalton

Ms D.G. D'Anna

Mr M.J. Folkard

Ms K.E. Giddens

Ms M.J. Hammat

Ms J.L. Hanns

Mr T.J. Healy

Mr W.J. Johnston

Mr H.T. Jones

Ms E.J. Kelsbie

Ms A.E. Kent

Dr J. Krishnan

Mr P. Lilburne

Mr M. McGowan

Mr D.R. Michael

Mr S.A. Millman

Mr Y. Mubarakai

Mrs L.M. O'Malley

Mr S.J. Price

Mr D.T. Punch

Mr J.R. Quigley

Ms M.M. Quirk

Ms R. Saffioti

Ms A. Sanderson

Ms J.J. Shaw

Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski

Dr K. Stratton

Mr C.J. Tallentire

Mr D.A. Templeman

Mr P.C. Tinley

Ms C.M. Tonkin

Ms S.E. Winton

Ms C.M. Rowe (*Teller*)

Amendment thus negatived.

Clause 16 agreed to.

Clauses 17 to 24 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

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

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

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and forwarded to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

11. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No. 4 be next considered.

12. Premier's Statement

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the question, That the Premier's Statement be noted, was read.

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Minister for Culture and the Arts speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

13. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Private Members' Business Notice of Motion Nos 6 and 7 be next considered.

14. Referral to the Public accounts Committee

Mr P.J. Rundle, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House requests the Public Accounts Committee to inquire into and report by 31 May 2023 on the Public Trustee's administration of trusts and deceased estates, including –

- (1) inviting submissions from the public regarding experiences with the Public Trustee;
- (2) reviewing the implications of a self-funded model of delivery on estates and trusts under the responsibility of the Public Trustee;
- (3) reviewing the fees and charges of the Public Trustee together with the communication protocols used for informing clients of the statements of their estates and trusts;
- (4) reviewing level of fee subsidisation across estates and trusts; and
- (5) reviewing supplier policies and procedures.

Debate ensued.

Ms C.M. Rowe moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

15. Western Australia's Education System

Mr P.J. Rundle, pursuant to notice, moved,

That this House calls on the McGowan Labor Government to take responsibility for the mess of Western Australia's education system and take immediate action to address systemic issues impacting students and staff.

Debate ensued.

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

16. Adjournment

Mr D.R. Michael moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 7.00 pm until Thursday, 16 November 2022 at 9.00 am.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr M. Hughes, Ms S.F. McGurk, Mr K.J.J. Michel, Ms L.A. Munday, Mr P. Papalia, Ms R.S. Stephens and Mr R.R. Whitby.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. MICHELLE H. ROBERTS
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

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