

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 115

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 14 MARCH 2019

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. Petition

Safety Issues at the Corner of Thomas and Nicholson Roads – Mrs A.K. Hayden presented a petition from 1593 people asking the Legislative Assembly to provide funding to improve the safety at the intersection of Thomas and Nicholson Roads in Oakford (P. 128).

3. Papers

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

North Metropolitan TAFE - Annual Report 2018 (2281).

North Regional TAFE - Annual Report 2018 (2282).

South Regional TAFE - Annual Report 2018 (2283).

4. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Corrective Services on training opportunities offered to young offenders at Banksia Hill.

The Minister for Sport and Recreation on the elevation of Stephen Michael to legend status in the WA Football Hall of Fame.

The Minister for Citizenship and Multicultural Interests on Harmony Week 2019.

5. Grievances

The Speaker called for grievances which were then made.

6. Leave of Absence

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

That the member for Girrawheen be given leave of absence from the Legislative Assembly until Thursday, 4 April 2019 on account of ill health.

Question put and passed.

7. 2019 Temporary Orders

The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of debate on the amendment moved by Mr S. L'Estrange to the motion moved by the Leader of the House,

That the following temporary orders be adopted and commence from 19 March 2019 to the end of 2019 –

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- (1) Standing Order 40 be amended by inserting the following sentence at the end of the Standing Order: “A stranger does not include a member’s baby being breastfed by that member.”
- (2) (a) The sections on ‘Motions’ and ‘Other Bills’ in Standing Order 101 be amended by –
 - (i) deleting “60” as the allocated time for the ‘Mover’, the ‘Premier or one member deputed’ and the ‘Leader of the Opposition or one member deputed’ and substituting “45”; and
 - (b) The section on ‘Third reading’ under ‘Other Bills’ in Standing Order 101 be amended by deleting the words of the section and substituting the following –

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Third reading —

Mover	30 minutes
Premier or one member deputed	†30 minutes
Leader of the Opposition or one member deputed	#30 minutes
Any other member	15 minutes
Mover in reply	30 minutes
†	If not a Government bill
#	If not an Opposition bill

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- (3) (a) Standing Order 146 be amended by –
 - (i) deleting “Four” and substituting “Five”; and
 - (ii) inserting the following sentence at the end of the Standing Order: “The fifth grievance will alternate between government and opposition each week.”; and
 - (b) Standing Order 101 be amended by deleting “7” and substituting “6” in the section ‘Grievance debate (S.O. 146)’.
- (4) (a) Standing Order 147 be amended by deleting “Once” and substituting “Twice”, by deleting “six” and substituting “five”, and by deleting “90 seconds” and substituting “two minutes”; and

- (b) Standing Order 101 be amended by –
- (i) deleting “90 seconds” and substituting “2 minutes” in the section ‘Members’ statements (S.O. 147)’; and
 - (ii) deleting “Maximum of 6 members.” and substituting “Maximum of 5 members, twice weekly.”.

Mr S. L’Estrange had moved,

In paragraph (3)(a)(ii), To delete the words “alternate between government and opposition each week” and substitute:

“ be allocated to the opposition each week ”.

Debate resumed.

Dr A.D. Buti moved, That the debate be adjourned until a later stage of this day’s sitting.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (15)

Mr V.A. Catania
Ms M.J. Davies
Mrs L.M. Harvey
Mrs A.K. Hayden
Dr D.J. Honey

Mr P.A. Katsambanis
Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup
Mr A. Krsticevic
Mr S.K. L’Estrange
Mr R.S. Love

Mr J.E. McGrath
Mr D.C. Nalder
Mr D.T. Redman
Mr P.J. Rundle
Ms L. Mettam (*Teller*)

Noes (33)

Ms L.L. Baker
Dr A.D. Buti
Mr J.N. Carey
Mrs R.M.J. Clarke
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 K.J.J. Michel
Mr S.A. Millman
Mr Y. Mubarakai
Mr M.P. Murray
Mrs L.M. O’Malley
Mr P. Papalia
Mr S.J. Price
Mr J.R. Quigley

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 R.R. Whitby
Ms S.E. Winton
Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr D.R. Michael (*Teller*)

Question thus negated.

8. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No.1 be next considered.

9. Infrastructure Western Australia Bill 2019

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.

10. Members’ Statements

The Acting Speaker called for members’ statements which were then made.

11. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 4908 to 4919 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 4422, 4439, 4456, 4473, 4486, 4487, 5450, 4627, 4628, 4632, 4635, 4636, 4649, 4685, 4689 and 4692 were answered.

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

The Speaker advised that he had received a letter from the Chair of the Economics and Industry Standing Committee advising that the Committee had resolved to extend its reporting date to the House on its Inquiry into Microgrids and Associated Technologies in Western Australia to 31 May 2019.

13. Local Government Legislation Amendment Bill 2019

The Minister for Local Government, pursuant to notice, moved,

That a bill for “An Act to amend the *Local Government Act 1995*, the *Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1960* and certain other Acts.” be introduced and read a first time.

Question put and passed.

The Minister for Local Government presented an explanatory memorandum and bill read a first time.

The Minister for Local Government moved, That the bill be now read a second time.

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

Question put and passed.

14. Infrastructure Western Australia Bill 2019

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.

15. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 4.57 pm until Tuesday, 19 March 2019 at 2.00 pm.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mr I.C. Blayney, Mr R.H. Cook, Ms J. Farrer, Mr K.M. O'Donnell, Mr D.T. Punch and Ms M.M. Quirk.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. PETER WATSON
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly