

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 109

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 14 FEBRUARY 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

Alternative Bunbury Outer Ring Road – Mr D.T. Redman presented a petition from 471 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly stop the Alternative Bunbury Outer Ring Road from destroying the habitat of endangered and critically endangered fauna and flora (P. 125).

3. Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Clerk –

Pharmacy Registration Board of Western Australia – Annual Report 2017–2018 (2215).

4. Notice of Motion

5. Brief Ministerial Statements

Brief Ministerial Statements were made by –

The Minister for Tourism on the review of the Rottnest Island Army Jetty incident on 24 October 2018.

Papers

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

By the Minister for Tourism –

Tourism, Minister for – Rottnest Island Authority – Review into Army Jetty partial collapse: Engineering assessment and review of asset maintenance practices over the Army Jetty (2216).

Tourism, Minister for – Wallbridge Gilbert Aztec – Investigation into Structural Failure at the Rottnest Army Jetty Wharf Structure (2217).

Tourism, Minister for – Inspections, Assessments, Reports commissioned by Rottnest Island Authority since 24 October 2018 (2218).

The Minister for Veterans Issues on the 55th anniversary of the Voyager disaster in 1964.

The Minister for Community Services on the Early Years Initiative partnership in the Central Great Southern.

6. 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.

Mr D.C. Nalder moved, That the following words be added after "noted" –

That this House condemns the McGowan Government for the bungling of the Huawei contract and for intentionally hiding the national security issues from the people of Western Australia.

Debate ensued.

Amendment put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (17)

Mr I.C. Blayney	Mr A. Krsticevic	Mr D.C. Nalder
Ms M.J. Davies	Mr S.K. L'Estrange	Mr K.M. O'Donnell
Mrs L.M. Harvey	Mr R.S. Love	Mr D.T. Redman
Dr D.J. Honey	Mr W.R. Marmion	Mr P.J. Rundle
Mr P.A. Katsambanis	Mr J.E. McGrath	Ms L. Mettam (<i>Teller</i>)
Mr Z.R.F. Kirkup	Dr M.D. Nahan	

Noes (34)

Ms L.L. Baker	Mr F.M. Logan	Ms A. Sanderson
Dr A.D. Buti	Mr M. McGowan	Ms J.J. Shaw
Mr J.N. Carey	Ms S.F. McGurk	Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
Mr R.H. Cook	Mr K.J.J. Michel	Mr C.J. Tallentire
Ms J. Farrer	Mr S.A. Millman	Mr D.A. Templeman
Mr M.J. Folkard	Mr Y. Mubarakai	Mr P.C. Tinley
Ms J.M. Freeman	Mrs L.M. O'Malley	Mr R.R. Whitby
Ms E.L. Hamilton	Mr P. Papalia	Ms S.E. Winton
Mr T.J. Healy	Mr S.J. Price	Mr B.S. Wyatt
Mr M. Hughes	Mr D.T. Punch	Mr D.R. Michael (<i>Teller</i>)
Mr W.J. Johnston	Ms C.M. Rowe	
Mr D.J. Kelly	Ms R. Saffioti	

Amendment thus negatived.

On the question, That the Premier's Statement be noted,

Debate resumed.

Debate interrupted by the Chair (Mr R.S. Love speaking) and adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

7. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 4762 and 4763 were asked.

8. Ports Legislation Amendment Bill 2017

Message No. 75 dated 14 February 2019 from the Legislative Council was reported as follows –

The Legislative Council acquaints the Legislative Assembly that it has agreed to the *Ports Legislation Amendment Bill 2017* subject to the amendment contained in the Schedule annexed; in which amendment the Legislative Council desires the concurrence of the Legislative Assembly.

Schedule indicating the amendment made by the Legislative Council in the Ports Legislation Amendment Bill 2017

No. 1

Clause 52, page 57, line 26 to page 63, line 10 — To delete the clause.

Ordered, That consideration in detail of Legislative Council Message No. 75 be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting of the Assembly.

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

The Speaker advised that the Joint Standing Committee on the Corruption and Crime Commission had resolved to extend its inquiry into public sector procurement of goods and services to 15 August 2019.

10. Speaker's Statement – Portfolio Responsibilities of Standing Committees

The Speaker tabled an updated schedule showing the determination of portfolio responsibilities of the standing committees for the 40th Parliament, as a result of the establishment of the new portfolio of Ports, and the split of the portfolio of Commerce and Industrial Relations.

Paper

The following paper was presented and ordered to lie upon the Table of the House –

By the Speaker –

Standing Committees, Legislative Assembly – New determination by the Speaker of Portfolio Responsibilities as a consequence of portfolio changes on 13 December 2018 (2219).

11. Variation to the Order of Business

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

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.

Mr R.S. Love moved, That the following words be added after "noted" –

and that this House condemns the McGowan Government for putting property and lives at risk due to the rejection of prudent planning advice and a haphazard approach toward bushfire risk management.

Debate ensued.

Amendment put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (4)

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

Mr D.T. Redman
Mr R.S. Love (*Teller*)

Noes (40)

Ms L.L. Baker
 Dr A.D. Buti
 Mr J.N. Carey
 Mrs R.M.J. Clarke
 Mr R.H. Cook
 Ms J. Farrer
 Mr M.J. Folkard
 Ms J.M. Freeman
 Ms E.L. Hamilton
 Mrs L.M. Harvey
 Mr T.J. Healy
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 Ms L. Mettam
 Mr S.A. Millman
 Mr Y. Mubarakai
 Mr M.P. Murray
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 Mr P. Papalia
 Mr S.J. Price
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 Ms A. Sanderson
 Ms J.J. Shaw
 Mrs J.M.C. Stojkovski
 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*)

Amendment thus negatived.

On the question, That the Premier's Statement be noted,
 Debate resumed.

Mr D.R. Michael moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

13. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly at 4.52 pm until Tuesday, 19 February 2019 at 2.00 pm.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings – All the members except Mrs A.K. Hayden, Mr J.R. Quigley and Ms M.M. Quirk.

KIRSTEN M. ROBINSON
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. PETER WATSON
 Speaker of the Legislative Assembly