

WESTERN AUSTRALIA  
**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

**DAILY NOTICE PAPER**

**No. 1**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14 2002, 4.00pm**

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Petitions, Statements by Ministers and Parliamentary Secretaries, Papers for Tabling, Notices of Questions, Notices of Motions for Disallowance, Notices of Motions to Introduce Bills, Notices of Motions, Questions on Notice, Questions without Notice, Urgency Motions, Motions Without Notice, Motions and Orders of the Day.

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**MOTIONS**

**1. Standing Committee on Public Administration and Finance - Inquiry into Appointment of Electoral Commissioner** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Norman Moore: To move -

That the Standing Committee on Public Administration and Finance be required to inquire into the circumstances surrounding the appointment of the Electoral Commissioner with a view to determining whether or not the appointment was made in accordance with appropriate and proper procedures, and report back to the House on or before October 17 2002.

**2. Standing Order 73 - Amendment** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Leader of the House: To move -

That SO 73 is amended by -

(1) Repealing paragraphs (a) and (b) and substituting the following -

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(1) In the House, a member may speak:

(a) to a question, including an amended question if the member has not spoken to the original question, for not more than 45 minutes;

- (b) to the question for adjournment of the House under SO 61 for not more than 10 minutes.
- (2) A member who has spoken to the original question may speak again to a proposed amendment for not more than 30 minutes.
- (3) A member may speak in reply for not more than 45 minutes.
- (4) In a committee of the whole House a member may speak to a question any number of times for not more than 10 minutes on each call.
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- (2) Redesignating paragraph (c) as subclause (5).
- (3) By adding the following subclause -

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- (6) At the expiration of the time stated for each of the following debates the question is to be put and determined:

Question	Max time
Adjournment under SO 61	40 mins
Special adjournment under SO 61(d)(ii)	20 mins
SO's suspension without notice - SO 433	60 mins

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**3. Restoration of Legislative Council Bill to Legislative Council Notice Paper** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Leader of the House: To move -

That the *Statutes (Repeal and Minor Amendments) Bill 2001* be restored to the Legislative Council Notice Paper and thereafter be dealt with at the stage it had reached in the previous Session.

**4. North West Shelf Joint Venture Contract** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Leader of the House: To move -

That this House congratulates the North West Shelf Joint Venture in winning the \$25 billion contract to sell liquefied natural gas to China but calls for a major revamp of the Federal Government's Commonwealth Grants Commission process due to the inherent way it disadvantages Western Australians in the sharing of benefits from major resource projects between the Commonwealth and this State.

**5. Select Committee into the Fremantle Eastern Bypass - Establishment** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Simon O'Brien: To move -

- (1) That a Select Committee of five Members is appointed, any three of whom constitute a quorum, to inquire and report on the history of that part of the Metropolitan Region Scheme known as the Fremantle Eastern Bypass and related road infrastructure including -
- (a) initial inclusion of the bypass in the Metropolitan Region Scheme;
- (b) subsequent modifications to the Metropolitan Region Scheme in respect of the bypass;

- (c) the decision making process and advice given to Government by relevant Government agencies including agencies responsible for Main Roads, Planning, Transport and Environment;
  - (d) directions given by Government to agencies with responsibility for decision making; and
  - (e) other matters pertaining to the history and possible future of the Fremantle Eastern Bypass that the Committee may consider useful to bring to the attention of the House.
- (1) The Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records and to travel from place to place.
  - (2) Standing Orders 322, 323, 330 and 331 apply to the proceedings of the Committee and any contrary or inconsistent provision of Chapter XXIII is modified accordingly.
  - (3) The Committee may present interim reports without a requirement for leave and is to report finally not later than November 30 2002.

**6. Australian Involvement in Military Action in Iraq** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Dee Margetts: To move -

That this House notes -

- (1) The recent comments from the Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs regarding Australia's possible support for US military action in Iraq.
- (2) That these comments were made in the absence of any United Nations resolution or processes.
- (3) The threat to the livelihood of Western Australian agricultural producers and exporters in light of the Prime Minister's indication that any request for Australian assistance would be considered against the "national interest test".
- (4) The statements from Labor Leader Simon Crean that Mr Howard's and Mr Downer's statements are out of step with other international opinion.
- (5) The likely impact on the civilian population, particularly women and children.

Therefore, the Legislative Council informs the Federal Government that it does not support Australian involvement in military action in Iraq without UN backing.

**7. Implications of Regional Planning on Industrial Development - Karratha and Barrow Island** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Robin Chapple: To move -

That the House notes the serious implications of the lack of coordinated regional planning covering the proposed industrial development in the regions of Karratha and Barrow Island. Particularly the ad hoc manner in which the Government is attempting to allocate industry to various sites without providing strategic options for that industry and placing such industry against the wishes of the local and wider community.

**8. Referral of Petition Praying for Relief - Tinsley Beck** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Derrick Tomlinson: To move -

That the petition praying for relief presented on behalf of Tinsley Beck and reported on in the Report of the Joint Standing Committee on Environment and Public Affairs "Overview of Petitions and Inquiries August 2001 to December 2001", be referred back to the Committee for further consideration.

**9. Perth Urban Rail Development - Tabling of Questions and Referral to Standing Committee on Public Administration and Finance** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Peter Foss: To move -

- (1) That the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure do -
  - (a) table in the House at the next sitting day three calendar days after the making of this order, full and complete answers to all the questions of which notice was given with respect to the Perth Urban Rail Development Proposal for the hearing by the Estimates Committee for the 2002-2003 Budget together with all the documents requested by those questions;
  - (b) attend before the Standing Committee on Public Administration and Finance at its next meeting after such tabling and thereafter and with such other witnesses as directed by that Committee in order that the Committee may satisfy itself as to the adequacy of such answers and tabling, and on any other matters arising out of those answers or which as a result of its inquiries the Standing Committee consider appropriate to inquire into.
- (4) The Standing Committee do generally inquire into and maintain Parliamentary supervision over the Perth Urban Rail Development and report to the House; and
- (5) The Standing Committee do report to the House -
  - (a) with respect to the compliance of the Parliamentary Secretary with part (1)(a) of this order no later than three sitting days after the making of this order; and
  - (b) with respect to compliance with part (1)(b) of this order, and any other matters related thereto, no later than December 3 2002;
  - (c) otherwise, as the Committee deems fit from time to time.

**10. Commonwealth Government Transport Funding** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Planning and Infrastructure: To move -

That this House calls on the Commonwealth Government to provide adequate transport funding to Western Australia commensurate with its geographic size and importance to the national economy and notes that in the Roads of National Importance Scheme Western Australia received just 3 percent of the funding allocated to the States in the Commonwealth budget.

**11. Select Committee into Water Services - Establishment** (*Notice given August 13 2002*)

Hon Norman Moore: To move -

- (1) A Select Committee is appointed to inquire into and report on the issues confronting Western Australia that arise from, or relate to, the present and future supply, retention, and maintenance of water services throughout the State.
- (2) The Committee has power to send for persons, papers and records.
- (3) Standing Orders 322, 323, 330 and 331 apply to the proceedings of the Committee and any contrary or inconsistent provision of Chapter XXIII is modified accordingly.
- (4) The Committee may present interim reports without a requirement for leave and is to report finally not later than June 3 2003.

**12. Referral of Evidence from the Select Committee on Western Australian Police Service**  
*(Notice given August 13 2002)*

Hon Derrick Tomlinson: To move -

That all information gathered by the Select Committee on the Western Australian Police Service relating to the matter referred to as "The Mickelberg Affair" be submitted to the Royal Commission into Allegations of Police Corruption in WA.

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**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

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**1. Address-in-Reply**

Resumption of debate (Tuesday, August 13 2002, Hon Bruce Donaldson) on motion of Hon Sue Ellery.

**2. Trans-Tasman Mutual Recognition (Western Australia) Bill 2002 [LC 134-1B] Leader of the House**

Second reading.

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**PETITIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES**

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**1. Preservation of Marujuga in the Burrup Peninsula** *(Tabled August 13 2002 - By delivery)*  
*Hon Giz Watson. (100 signatures).*

Praying that the Legislative Council consider the protection of the cultural and ecological region known as 'Marujuga' in the Burrup Peninsula and the surrounding rock art province in the Pilbara region. (Tabled paper 21).

\* For amendments see Supplementary Notice Paper #

For full text see Supplementary Notice Paper for other business before the House.

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Clerk of the Legislative Council