

CLIMATE CHANGE

Petition

MR C.J. TALLENTIRE (Gosnells) [12.01 pm]: I have a petition concerning the commitment of the state of Western Australia to action on climate change. The petition reads —

To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

We, the undersigned, say to national, local, and international leaders: **Scientists clearly warn that risking runaway climate change threatens our very survival, and the future of everything we love. Now we ask the Legislative Assembly to commit to keep global temperature rise under the safe level of 2 degrees celsius, by rapidly shifting our societies and economies to be powered by 100% clean energy. We also call on you to urgently forge global, national and local agreements, and realistic plans, to achieve this end.**

The petition has been signed by 10 petitioners and it has been certified as conforming to the standing orders of the house. I table the petition.

[See petition 246.]