

**STATE ENERGY SYSTEM**

*Notice of Motion*

**Hon Dr Steve Thomas (Leader of the Opposition)** gave notice that at the next sitting of the house he would move —

That this house notes —

- (a) the risk of power outages in the state’s energy system over this and future summers;
- (b) the government’s admission that it will likely need to import coal to Collie to generate electricity;
- (c) the government’s plan for energy transition announced in a media release on 14 June 2022, which highlights —
  - (i) the inability of the government to detail how the proposed new energy system would maintain baseload energy;
  - (ii) the inability of the government to detail how the proposed new system would provide adequate storage of energy; and
  - (iii) the hopes of the government that the private sector will somehow come up with solutions to all these issues in the next few years,

and calls on the government to deliver a fully detailed and costed plan for energy transition without unknowns and guesswork.