

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**No. 128****FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SEVENTH PARLIAMENT**

TUESDAY, 20 MARCH 2007**1. Meeting of Assembly**

The Assembly met at 2.00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment.

The Speaker took the Chair.

Prayers were read.

2. Speaker's Statement - Media Arrangements

The Speaker advised members that he had approved media organisations taking television file footage and photographs between 2.00 pm and 3.00 pm. The Speaker also approved the taking of official photographs to record members' first sitting in the newly refurbished Chamber.

3. Distinguished Visitors

The Speaker noted the presence in the Speaker's Gallery of Mrs Lynn Lovelock, Clerk of the New South Wales Legislative Council, accompanied by Mr Kieran Lovelock; the Hon. Bob Sneath, President of the South Australian Legislative Council; the Hon. Jack Snelling, Speaker of the South Australian House of Assembly; Mr Malcolm Lehman, Clerk of the South Australian House of Assembly; Ms Jan Davis, Clerk of the South Australian Legislative Council; the Hon. Jenny Liddell, Speaker of the Victorian Legislative Assembly; the Hon. Robert Smith, President of the Victorian Legislative Council, accompanied by Mrs Margot Smith; and Mr Wayne Tunnecliffe, Clerk of the Victorian Legislative Council.

4. Speaker's Statement - Refurbishment of the Legislative Assembly Chamber

The Speaker advised members that the refurbishment of the Legislative Assembly Chamber and installation of airconditioning had been successfully completed during the summer recess. The refurbishment had increased the seating in the Chamber to 62 seats, modifications had been made to the seating and the balustrades in the public gallery, flat screen televisions had been installed in the public gallery, two hearing loops had been installed in the public gallery and the Chamber, and disabled access had been built into the Chamber. The Speaker thanked the companies and parliamentary staff involved in managing and completing the overall project.

The Speaker also advised members of the changes to Standing Order 38 as a consequence of the changes to the Chamber, regarding the new procedures for acknowledging the Chair when entering and leaving the Chamber and passing between the Chair and the member speaking.

Paper

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

By the Speaker -

Legislative Assembly Chamber Refurbishment 2006-2007 - List of companies and contractors involved in the Legislative Assembly Chamber refurbishment (2508).

5. Speaker's Statement - Release of Committee Documents to the Procedure and Privileges Committee

The Speaker advised members that in view of the Legislative Assembly's resolution to refer certain matters to the Procedure and Privileges Committee for its investigation, and the implicit need to examine unreleased committee documents, the Clerk had been authorised to release documents, minutes and transcripts held in his custody that were relevant to the Economics and Industry Standing Committee's inquiry into Vanadium Resources at Windimurra and were deemed necessary for the Procedure and Privilege Committee's investigation into the actions of the member for Murchison-Eyre in the early release of committee documents.

6. Speaker's Statement - Request for Committee Documents

The Speaker advised members that, under the provisions of Standing Order 32, he had approved the release to Mr Oliver Cosgrove of a submission and appendices dated August 1996 made by the former Department of Family and Children's Services to the Legislative Assembly's former Select Committee on Child Migration.

7. Brief Ministerial Statements

The following Brief Ministerial Statements were made by -

The Premier on changes to the Ministry effective from 2 March 2007.

Paper

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

By the Premier -

Constitution of the Ministry - State Government Ministerial Offices 2 March 2007 (2509).

The Premier on the *Contact with Lobbyists Code* which creates a Register of Lobbyists; establishes rules for contact between lobbyists and Ministers, Parliamentary Secretaries, Ministerial staff and public sector employees; and establishes standards of conduct for lobbyists who wish to be included on the Register of Lobbyists.

Paper

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

By the Premier -

Lobbyists Code - Contact with Lobbyists Code (2510).

The Premier on the declaration and handling of a 'bush fire emergency period' in February 2007, and the professional and dedicated response of the staff and volunteers involved in the emergency management of recent floods, fires and cyclones across the State.

The Minister for Water Resources on the South West Yarragadee Sustainability Panel report on the sustainability of the Water Corporation's proposal to extract 45 billion litres of water from the South West Yarragadee aquifer, commissioned by the Government in December 2004.

Paper

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

By the Minister for Water Resources -

Sustainability Panel - Sustainability assessment of the South West Yarragadee Water Supply Development, prepared by the Sustainability Panel, March 2007 (2511).

The Minister for Tourism on Western Australia's success in winning the right to host the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships from 2007 to 2009, and the significance of this year's Championships at Scarborough Beach from 19 to 25 March 2007, in the Year of the Surf Lifesaver and the centenary of Surf Lifesaving.

The Minister for Industry and Enterprise on Divex Asia Pacific, recently recognised in the 'Emerging Exporter' category at the Western Australian Industry and Export Awards, for securing new international contracts for the supply of diving systems and re-breather technology.

8. Questions

Questions without Notice were taken.

Questions on Notice Nos 1838 to 2071 were asked.

Questions on Notice Nos 1754, 1755, 1757, to 1762, 1764, 1766, 1767, 1769, 1771, 1776, 1777, 1779, 1780, 1788 to 1790, 1806 to 1809, 1812 to 1815, 1823 to 1828, 1832, 1835, 1836 were answered.

Paper tabled by the Minister for Health –

Question on Notice No. 1826 - Kalamunda District Community Hospital Investigations, Reports, Reviews and Studies (2504).

Question on Notice No. 1825 - Kalamunda District Hospital: number of beds available on Wednesdays in 2006 and 2007 (2505).

Question on Notice No. 1827 - Inquiry into Obstetric and Gynaecological Services at King Edward Memorial Hospital 1990 - 2000: Extracts from the report not previously released (2506).

Paper tabled by Minister for Water Resources –

Question on Notice No. 1766 - Yarragadee pipeline: changes to the proposed route (2507).

9. Petitions

Southern Yarragadee Aquifer - Mr P.D. Omodei presented a petition from 1,991 persons requesting that no water be taken from the Southern Yarragadee Aquifer until South West water needs are met and guaranteed for the future and the environmental impact of the extraction is assessed by an independent scientific body (P. 183).

Falun Gong Practitioners in China - Ms S.E. Walker presented a petition from 520 persons requesting that the Legislative Assembly recommends to the Federal and Western Australian Governments that they assist the Coalition to Investigate the Persecution of Falun Gong (CIPFG) with the research and investigation of the alleged harvesting of organs from, and the illegal detention of, Falun Gong Practitioners (P. 184).

Leeming Newsagency - Mr T.R. Sprigg presented a petition from 13 persons requesting that the Leeming Newsagency be accredited to sell Smart Rider Cards due to its proximity to the Murdoch Bus and Train Station (P. 186).

Daylight Saving - Petitions requesting that the Legislative Assembly initiate a referendum to be held before 31 October 2007 so that a democratic decision on daylight saving can be reached were presented by -

Mr T.K. Waldron from 1,197 persons (P. 185);

Mr M.W. Trenorden from 1,120 persons (P. 187);

Ms S.E. Walker from 66 persons (P. 188); and

Mr G.A. Woodhams from 1,713 persons (P. 189).

Sunset Hospital Site - Ms S.E. Walker presented a petition from 36 persons requesting that the Sunset Hospital Site be dedicated to heritage and recreation (P. 190).

Mueller Park, Subiaco - Ms S.E. Walker presented a petition from 86 persons requesting that opposition to the destruction of Mueller Park, Subiaco be noted (P. 191).

10. Papers

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

By the Speaker –

Public Sector Standards Commissioner, Office of the [PSSC] - Annual Compliance Report 2005 - 2006 (2332).

Public Sector Standards Commissioner, Office of the [PSSC] - Compliance Report Public Interest Disclosures 2005 - 2006 (2503).

By the Clerk –

Armada Redevelopment Act 2001 - Regulations (Armada Redevelopment Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 29/12/2006) (2333).

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- Children and Community Services Act 2004 - Regulations (Children and Community Services (Family Day Care) Amendment Regulations 2006 G.G. 08/12/2006) (2338).
- Children and Community Services Act 2004 - Regulations (Children and Community Services (Outside School Hours Care) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 08/12/2006) (2339).
- Children and Community Services Act 2004 - Regulations (Children and Community Services (Outside School Hours Family Day Care) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 08/12/2006) (2340).
- Children and Community Services Act 2004 - Regulations (Children and Community Services Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2006 G.G. 08/12/2006) (2341).
- Coal Industry Superannuation Act 1989 - Regulations (Coal Industry Superannuation Amendment Regulations 2007 G.G. 20/02/2007) (2342).
- Commonwealth Places (Mirror Taxes Administration) Act 1999 - Regulations (Commonwealth Places (Mirror Taxes Administration) Regulations 2007 G.G. 05/02/2007) (2343).
- Companies (Co-operative) Act 1943 - Regulations (Companies (Co-operative) Amendment Regulations 2006 G.G. 22/12/2006) (2344).
- Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 - Orders (Barrow Island Marine Reserves Amendment Order 2005 G.G. 19/01/2007) (2345).
- Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 - Regulations (Conservation and Land Management Amendment Regulations 2007 G.G. 27/02/2007) (2346).
- Conservation and Land Management Act 1984 - Regulations (Forest Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 22/12/2006) (2347).
- Co-operative Bulk Handling Limited - Annual Report 2006 (2348).
- Country Areas Water Supply Act 1947 - Regulations (Country Areas Water Supply (Clearing Licence) Amendment Regulations 2006 G.G. 22/12/2006) (2349).
- Credit Act 1984 - Regulations (Credit Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 12/01/2007) (2350).
- Credit Act 1984 - Regulations (Credit Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2006 G.G. 22/12/2006) (2351).
- Curtin University of Technology Act 1966 - Statutes (Curtin University of Technology - Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Statute 2006 G.G. 16/03/2007) (2352).
- Debt Collectors Licensing Act 1964 - Regulations (Debt Collectors Licensing Amendment Regulations (No. 3) 2006 G.G. 12/01/2007) (2353).
- Dental Prosthetists Act 1985 - Regulations (Dental Prosthetists Amendment Regulations 2006 G.G. 15/12/2006) (2354).
- Dog Act 1976 - Local Laws (Shire of Capel - Local Laws Relating to Dogs Amendment Local Law 2007 G.G. 13/03/2007) (2355).
- East Perth Redevelopment Act 1991 - Regulations (East Perth Redevelopment Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 29/12/2006) (2356).
- Edith Cowan University Act 1984 - Statutes (Edith Cowan University - Amending Statute No. 4 of 2006 G.G. 16/03/2007) (2357).
- Edith Cowan University Act 1984 - Statutes (Edith Cowan University - Amending Statute No. 5 of 2006 G.G. 16/03/2007) (2358).
- Edith Cowan University Act 1984 - Statutes (Edith Cowan University - Amending Statute No. 6 of 2006 G.G. 16/03/2007) (2359).
- Electricity Industry Act 2004 - Codes (Electricity Networks Access Code Amendments (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 08/12/2006) (2360).
- Electricity Industry Act 2004 - Regulations (Electricity Industry (Wholesale Electricity Market) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 29/12/2006) (2361).
- Electricity Industry Act 2004 - Rules (Wholesale Electricity Market Rules - Amending Rules (March 2007) G.G. 09/03/2007) (2362).

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Fair Trading Act 1987 - Regulations (Fair Trading (Product Safety Standard) Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 29/12/2006) (2370).

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Fish Resources Management Act 1994 - Orders (Prohibition on Fishing (Shannon River) Order 2007 G.G. 25/01/2007) (2387).

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Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Act 1981 - Regulations (Workers' Compensation and Injury Management Amendment Regulations (No. 2) 2006 G.G. 15/12/2006) (2501).

Working with Children (Criminal Record Checking) Act 2004 - Regulations (Working with Children (Criminal Record Checking) Amendment Regulations (No. 4) 2006 G.G. 29/12/2006) (2502).

11. Notices of Motion

12. Matter of Public Interest - Hon. Shelley Archer MLC, Member of Parliament

The Speaker informed the Assembly that he was in receipt of a notice from Mr T.R. Buswell that he intended to move a motion on a matter of public interest.

At least five members having risen in support,

Mr T.R. Buswell moved,

This House considers that the Honourable Shelley Archer is not a fit and proper person to be a member of Parliament.

Debate ensued.

Question put.

The Assembly divided.

Ayes (23)

Mr C.J. Barnett
 Mr M.J. Birney
 Mr T.R. Buswell
 Mr G.M. Castrilli
 Dr E. Constable
 Mr M.J. Cowper
 Mr J.H.D. Day
 Mr B.J. Grylls

Dr K.D. Hames
 Ms K. Hodson-Thomas
 Dr G.G. Jacobs
 Mr R.F. Johnson
 Mr J.E. McGrath
 Mr P.D. Omodei
 Mr D.T. Redman
 Mr G. Snook

Dr S.C. Thomas
 Mr M.W. Trenorden
 Mr T.K. Waldron
 Ms S.E. Walker
 Mr G.A. Woodhams
 Dr J.M. Woollard
 Mr T.R. Sprigg (*Teller*)

Noes (31)

Mr P.W. Andrews
 Mr J.J.M. Bowler
 Mr A.J. Carpenter
 Mr J.B. D'Orazio
 Dr J.M. Edwards
 Mrs D.J. Guise
 Mrs J. Hughes
 Mr J.N. Hyde
 Mr J.C. Kobelke
 Mr R.C. Kucera
 Mr F.M. Logan

Ms A.J.G. MacTiernan
 Mr J.A. McGinty
 Mr M. McGowan
 Ms S.M. McHale
 Mr A.D. McRae
 Mrs C.A. Martin
 Mr M.P. Murray
 Mr A.P. O'Gorman
 Mr P. Papalia
 Mr J.R. Quigley
 Ms M.M. Quirk

Ms J.A. Radisich
 Mr E.S. Ripper
 Mrs M.H. Roberts
 Mr T.G. Stephens
 Mr D.A. Templeman
 Mr P.B. Watson
 Mr M.P. Whitely
 Mr B.S. Wyatt
 Mr S.R. Hill (*Teller*)

Question thus negatived.

13. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Business of the Assembly Notice of Motion No. 1 be postponed.

14. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Notice of Motion No. 1 be postponed.

15. Police Amendment Bill 2006

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

Leave was granted to proceed forthwith to the third reading of the bill.

The Minister for Police and Emergency Services moved, That the bill be now read a third time.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and forwarded to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

16. Equal Opportunity Amendment Bill 2006

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Debate resumed.

Ms S.E. Walker was granted leave to continue her remarks at a later stage of the day's sitting.

17. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That Government Business Order of the Day No. 6 be next considered.

18. 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.

The Leader of the House moved, That the debate be adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

Question put and passed.

19. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 2 be resumed.

20. Equal Opportunity Amendment Bill 2006

The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate upon the second reading of the bill was read.

Debate resumed.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a second time.

CONSIDERATION IN DETAIL

Clauses 1 to 17 agreed to.

Title agreed to.

Consideration in detail concluded.

Leave was granted to proceed forthwith to the third reading of the bill.

The Attorney General moved, That the bill be now read a third time.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a third time and forwarded to the Legislative Council for concurrence.

21. Variation to the Order of Business

Ordered, That consideration of Government Business Order of the Day No. 6 be resumed.

22. 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.

The Leader of the House moved, That the debate be adjourned.

Question put and passed.

23. Adjournment

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

Question put and passed.

The Assembly adjourned accordingly, at 9.47 p.m. until Wednesday, 21 March 2007 at 12 noon.

Members present during any part of the day's proceedings - All the members except Mr D.F. Barron-Sullivan and Mr A.J. Simpson.

PETER J. McHUGH
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

HON. FRED RIEBELING
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly