

APPROPRIATION (CAPITAL 2016–17) SUPPLEMENTARY BILL 2017

Introduction and First Reading

Bill introduced, on motion by **Mr B.S. Wyatt (Treasurer)**, and read a first time.

Explanatory memorandum presented by the Treasurer.

Second Reading

MR B.S. WYATT (Victoria Park — Treasurer) [1.30 pm]: I move —

That the bill be now read a second time.

This bill seeks to charge the consolidated account the sum of \$107 512 860 for capital payments made during the financial year ended 30 June 2017, as shown in schedule 1 of the bill. The payments were made under the authority of section 27 of the Financial Management Act 2006. They reflect above-budget excess expenditures against appropriations, and capital expenditures for which no appropriations were budgeted for the 2016–17 financial year. Details of the purposes and services of the funding for excesses and new items provided to agencies in 2016–17 were disclosed in the *2016–17 Annual Report on State Finances*, released on 22 September 2017. I commend this bill to the house.

Debate adjourned, on motion by **Ms L. Mettam**.